

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, April 13, 1995.

The committee on Criminal Justice, to whom were referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1672) of J. Michael Ruane for legislation to provide for twenty-five year mandatory sentences for major drug dealers, the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2139) of Ronald Mariano relative to disciplinary periods for certain violations, the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2531) of Steven C. Panagiotakos relative to prohibiting persons charged or convicted of sexual abuse from receiving probation, the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2906) of James V. DiPaola for legislation to increase the penalties for unlawful use of insignias, the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3502) of Edward B. Teague III and other members of the General Court relative to prohibiting persons charged or convicted of sexual abuse from receiving probation and the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4082) of Robert M. Koczera, John C. Klimm, Mary Jeanette Murray and Edward J. Clancy, Jr., for legislation to increase the penalties for burglary, entering a dwelling in the nighttime, and buying or selling stolen goods, reports recommending that the accompanying order (House, No. 4864) ought to be adopted.

For the committee,

PAUL R. HALEY.

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In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-Five.

1 *Ordered*, That the committee on Criminal Justice be authorized
2 to sit during the recess of the General Court to make an investiga-
3 tion and study of House Documents numbered 1672, 2139, 2531,
4 2906, 3502 and 4082 relative to sentencing and other criminal
5 matters.

6 Said committee shall report to the General Court the results of
7 its investigation and study, and its recommendations, if any,
8 together with drafts of legislation necessary to carry such recom-
9 mendations into effect, by filing the same with the Clerk of the
10 House of Representatives on or before the last Wednesday in
11 December, nineteen hundred and ninety-five.