

# HOUSE . . . . No. 1173

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Resolve covering the second recommendation of the Board of Commissioners on Fisheries and Game contained in House No. 77.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ten.

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### RESOLVE

To provide for an Investigation and Report as to the Adaptability of the Public Waters to the Rearing of Food Fish.

1 *Resolved*, That the commissioners on fisheries and  
2 game are hereby ordered to make a biological investi-  
3 gation and report upon the adaptability of the public  
4 waters of the state for rearing food fishes. This investi-  
5 gation shall embrace methods for determining as nearly  
6 as possible the quantity and species of fish which various  
7 waters should be expected to produce annually; to  
8 ascertain the best methods and to determine the best  
9 species for stocking such waters, and the possibility of  
10 protecting the spawn or fry and the possibility of in-  
11 creasing the supply of natural food for such fish. For  
12 the purposes of this investigation there shall be allowed  
13 and paid out of the treasury of the commonwealth a sum  
14 not exceeding two thousand dollars annually for three  
15 years.

