

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, October 4, 2001.

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 471) of Colleen M. Garry, Salvatore F. DiMasi and Eugene L. O'Flaherty relative to the electronic recording of arrests and interrogations by law enforcement officers; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 639) of James R. Miceli relative to the criminal records of certain patients of the Department of Mental Health and the Department of Public Health; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1055) of Douglas W. Petersen and Ruth B. Balsler relative to malpractice actions against social workers; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3366) of Reed V. Hillman for legislation to provide that warrants appearing in the warrant management system be available on the Internet; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3376) of Thomas M. Menino and Angelo M. Scaccia for legislation to further regulate the amount of interest to be paid in certain civil actions against the Commonwealth and cities and towns; reports recommending that the accompanying order (House, No. 4618) ought to be adopted.

For the committee,

DAVID T. DONNELLY.

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In the Year Two Thousand and One.

1 *Ordered*, That the Committee on the Judiciary be authorized to
2 sit during the recess of the General Court to make an investigation
3 and study of House documents numbered 471, 639, 1055, 3366 and
4 3376.

5 Said Judiciary Committee shall report to the General Court the
6 results of its investigation and study, and its recommendations, if
7 any, together with drafts of legislation necessary to carry such rec-
8 ommendations into effect, by filing the same with the Clerk of the
9 House of Representatives on or before the last Wednesday in
10 December, two thousand and one.