

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 4373

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, April 3, 1997.

The committee on Criminal Justice, to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 668) of Dennis M. Murphy for legislation to establish the crime of racketeering activity through criminal enterprises, reports recommending that the accompanying order (House, No. 4373) ought to be adopted.

For the committee,

A. STEPHEN TOBIN.

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

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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 document numbered 668 relative to estab-  
4 lishing the crime of racketeering activity through a criminal  
5 enterprise.

6     Said committee shall report to the General Court the result 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-eight.