

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 5089

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By Mr. Lynch of Barnstable, petition of Thomas K. Lynch relative to authorizing the joint committee on Counties to make an investigation and study relative to the salary of sheriffs. Counties.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty.

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*Ordered,* That the joint committee on Counties is hereby authorized and directed to make an investigation and study relative to the salaries of sheriffs. Said committee shall consider the compensation for all services rendered both as sheriff and as master or keeper of the jail or house of correction.

Said committee shall be provided with quarters in the State House, or elsewhere, may hold hearings, may require by summons the attendance and testimony of witnesses, may travel within/and without the Commonwealth and may expend for expert, legal, clerical and other services and for expenses such sums as may be appropriated therefor.

Said committee shall report to the General Court from time to time the results of its recommendations, if any, together with drafts of legislation necessary to carry its recommendations into effect, by filing the same with the Clerk of the House of Representatives on or before the first Wednesday of December, nineteen hundred and eighty.

REPORT OF THE

COMMISSIONERS OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

IN ANSWER TO A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

IN APRIL 1854

BY THE COMMISSIONERS

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