

HOUSE No. 5717

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, May 27, 1992.

The committee on Public Safety, to whom were referred the petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 997) of James P. Jajuga, the Massachusetts Chiefs of Police Association, by Paul L. Doherty, executive director, Thomas G. Palumbo, Charles E. Shannon, Brian S. Dempsey, Larry F. Giordano and James M. Barry for legislation to regulate the issuance of firearm identification cards, the petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1007) of William R. Keating for legislation relative to alien gun permits, the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 795) of Joseph N. Hermann for legislation to regulate the issuance of firearm identification cards, the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1760) of Joseph B. McIntyre for legislation to further regulate the issuance of firearm identification cards, the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3252) of Michael W. Morrissey and Lida E. Harkins relative to additional sentences of imprisonment for crimes committed while in possession of rifles, shotguns or other firearms, the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4301) of Alvin E. Thompson and another for legislation to transfer gun control from local authorities to the Department of Public Safety, and the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4578) of the Gun Owners' Action League, Richard T. Moore, Shannon P. O'Brien, Robert A. Durand, Robert A. Antonioni and Augusta Hornblower for legislation to establish reciprocity in the licensing of firearms, reports recommending that the accompanying order (House, No. 5717) ought to be adopted.

For the committee,

PAUL E. CARON.

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

- 1 *Ordered*, That the committee on Public Safety be authorized
2 to sit during the recess of the General Court to make an
3 investigation and study of Senate documents numbered 997 and
4 1007; and House documents numbered 795, 1760, 3252, 4301 and
5 4578, relative to firearms.
6 Said committee shall report to the General Court the results
7 of its investigation and study, and its recommendations into effect,
8 by filing the same with the Clerk of the House of Representatives
9 on or before the last Wednesday in December, nineteen hundred
10 and ninety-two.