

By Mr. Businger of Brookline, petition of John A. Businger for an investigation by a special commission (including members of the General Court) relative to the effect of the ratification of the proposed amendment to the Constitution prohibiting discrimination on account of sex upon the laws, business communities and the public. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Five.

RESOLVE PROVIDING FOR AN INVESTIGATION AND STUDY BY A SPECIAL COMMISSION RELATIVE TO THE EFFECT OF THE RATIFICATION OF THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROHIBITING DISCRIMINATION ON ACCOUNT OF SEX UPON THE LAWS, BUSINESS COMMUNITIES AND PUBLIC IN THE COMMONWEALTH.

1 *Resolved*, That a special commission, to consist of three
2 members of the Senate, five members of the House of
3 Representatives and six persons to be appointed by the
4 Governor of whom four shall be members of the Governor's
5 Commission on the Status of Women (as established by
6 Executive Order #81 of 1971), is hereby established for the
7 purpose of making an investigation and study relative to the
8 impact of the ratification of the proposed amendment to the
9 Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts
10 prohibiting discrimination on account of sex will have on the
11 laws, business communities and public in the Commonwealth.
12 Said Commission shall report to the General Court the results
13 of its investigation and study and its recommendations, if any,
14 together with the drafts of such legislation as may be necessary
15 to carry such recommendations into effect, by filing the same
16 with the Clerk of the Senate on or before December thirtieth,
17 Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-six.

REPORT OF THE

COMMISSIONERS OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

IN ANSWER TO A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

IN APRIL 1861

BY ORDER OF THE HOUSE OF COMMONS