

HOUSE No. 5396

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, April 22, 1971.

The committee on Election Laws, to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1888) of Lawrence S. DiCara and John A. Businger relative to amending the law regulating referenda, report recommending that the accompanying bill (House, No. 5396) ought to pass.

For the committee,

ALLAN McGUANE

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT AMENDING THE STATUTE REGULATING REFERENDA.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Section 21 of chapter 53 of the General Laws, as amended by
2 chapter 237 of the acts of 1945, is hereby amended by striking
3 out the second sentence and inserting in place thereof the
4 following sentence: – Not more than three questions under
5 section nineteen shall be placed upon the ballot at one election,
6 and they shall be submitted in the order in which the
7 applications are filed.