

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 48

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts



*House of Representatives,*

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**In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen**  
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1           *Ordered,* That, notwithstanding the provisions of any rule to the contrary, amendments to  
2 House Order No. 2013 and House Order No. 2015 shall be properly filed with the Clerk of the  
3 House in electronic format to be determined by the Clerk as directed by the Speaker; provided  
4 that the clerk shall notify by electronic communication the primary sponsor of each amendment  
5 of the receipt of such amendment and the number assigned by said Clerk to the amendment;  
6 provided further that the Clerk shall print each amendment so filed electronically; and such  
7 printed copy shall be considered to be the official amendment for that bill; and be it further

8           *Ordered,* That, except for consolidated amendments or perfecting amendments offered  
9 by the committee on Rules, no proposition on a subject different from the amendment under  
10 consideration shall be admitted under color of a further amendment to House Order No. 2013 or  
11 House Order No. 2015; provided, however, that all consolidated amendments shall be on the  
12 same subject matter; and be it further

13           *Ordered,* That, notwithstanding the provisions of House Rule 74, consolidated  
14 amendments may not be divided; and be it further

15           *Ordered,* That, any amendment not complying with the provisions of the special rules of  
16 procedure stated herein shall be considered withdrawn; and be it further

17           *Ordered,* That, notwithstanding the provisions of any rule to the contrary, amendments to  
18 House Order No. 2013 and House Order No. 2015 shall be properly filed with the Clerk of the  
19 House in electronic format to be determined by the Clerk as directed by the Speaker prior to 1:00  
20 P.M. on Tuesday, January 22, 2013; and be it further

21           Ordered, That notwithstanding the provisions of any rule or order to the contrary, this  
22 order shall only apply if House Order No. 2013 and House Order No. 2015 are available to  
23 members no later than 5:00 P.M. on Wednesday, January 16, 2013.