

HOUSE No. 4610

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 15, 2016.

The committee on Transportation to whom were referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2938) of James Arciero and Gregory Scott for legislation to exempt non-profit and charitable organizations from trailer registration fees; petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2953) of Antonio F. D. Cabral and others for legislation to establish the Massachusetts rail transit fund; petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2963) of Nick Collins and others that the Registrar of Motor Vehicles be authorized to issue distinctive motor vehicle registration plates honoring Massachusetts Fallen Heroes; petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2964) of Nick Collins for an investigation by a special commission (including members of the General Court) relative to police jurisdiction on Massachusetts Port Authority properties in the South Boston Waterfront of the city of Boston; joint petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2965) of Nick Collins and Linda Dorcena Forry for an investigation by a special commission (including members of the General Court) relative to transportation in the South Boston Waterfront of the city of Boston; petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2995) of Paul K. Frost and Kevin J. Kuros relative to tolls on the Massachusetts Turnpike; petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3002) of Sean Garballey and Timothy J. Toomey, Jr., relative to the public transit fare structure; petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3006) of Colleen M. Garry relative to warning light violations committed by operators of motor vehicles selling frozen desserts; petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3020) of Bradley H. Jones, Jr. and others for an investigation by a special commission (including members of the General Court) relative to

changing the fee structure of the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority to “pay per stop”, so-called; petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3022) of Michael J. Hyde relative to the display of motor vehicle number plates; joint petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3055) of Shaunna L. O’Connell, Robert L. Hedlund and others relative to motor vehicle license requirements; joint petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3066) of Elizabeth A. Poirier, Richard J. Ross and Timothy R. Whelan relative to lights for ambulances, fire apparatus and law enforcement vehicles; petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3071) of David M. Rogers and others relative to crosswalks erected and maintained on public ways; petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3090) of Todd M. Smola relative to the use of headlights and taillights on motor vehicles; petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3312) of Carlos Gonzalez and others for legislation to authorize the Registrar of Motor Vehicles to suspend the license of persons in possession of a controlled substances inside motor vehicles with minor children present; joint petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3313) of Shaunna L. O’Connell, Joan B. Lovely and others relative to motorcycle parking; petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3540) of Daniel Cullinane and others relative to the composition of the board of directors of the Massachusetts Port Authority; and the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3542) of Paul McMurtry, David M. Rogers and Chris Walsh relative to the hours of operation of persons holding a junior operator’s license; reports recommending that the accompanying order (House, No. 4610) ought to be adopted.

For the committee,

WILLIAM M. STRAUS.

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1 *Ordered*, That the committee on Transportation be authorized to sit during a recess of the
2 General Court to make an investigation and study of House documents numbered 2938, 2953,
3 2963, 2964, 2965, 2995, 3002, 3006, 3020, 3022, 3055, 3066, 3071, 3090, 3312, 3313, 3540 and
4 3542, relative to transportation issues.

5 Said committee shall report to the General Court the results of its investigation and study
6 and its recommendations, if any, together with drafts of legislation necessary to carry such
7 recommendations into effect, by filing the same with the Clerk of the House of Representatives
8 on or before December 31, 2016.