

SENATE No. 2137

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)**

SENATE, July 20, 2017

The committee on Rules to whom was referred the Senate Bill establishing the month of May as Cystic Fibrosis Awareness Month (Senate, No. 1742),-- reports, that the matter be placed on the Orders of the Day for the next session with an recommended amendment substituting a new with the same title (Senate, No. 2137)

For the committee,
Mark C. Montigny

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An Act establishing the month of May as Cystic Fibrosis Awareness Month

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

1 Chapter 6 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 15BBBBBB
2 the following section:-

3 Section 15CCCCCC. The governor shall annually issue a proclamation setting apart the
4 month of May as Cystic Fibrosis Awareness Month to increase public awareness and
5 understanding of cystic fibrosis as a progressive, genetic disease that causes persistent lung
6 infections and limits a person's ability to breathe over time. The proclamation shall recommend
7 that the month of May be observed in an appropriate manner by the people.