

**SENATE . . . . . No. 2262**

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Senate, January 18, 2018 -- Offered by Senator Joan B. Lovely relative to establishing a Special Senate committee to review the sexual harassment policies and procedures of the Senate

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**



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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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1           *Ordered*, That, notwithstanding any rule to the contrary, there shall be a Special Senate  
2 committee to review the sexual harassment policies and procedures of the Senate. The committee  
3 shall consist of 9 members of the Senate, 2 of whom shall be appointed by the minority leader.  
4 The senate president shall serve as ex-officio member of the committee and shall vote only if a  
5 vote of the other members is tied. The Senate president shall designate 1 appointee as the chair of  
6 the committee. The counsel to the Senate shall serve as counsel to the committee. In conducting  
7 its review, the committee shall consult with the Senate office of human resources. The committee  
8 shall file a final report of its findings and recommendations with the clerk of the senate not later  
9 than May 15, 2018. The clerk shall make the report publicly available on the legislature’s  
10 website.