

HOUSE No. 4895

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Dylan A. Fernandes

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying resolve:

Resolve creating a technical fix to the Ocean Acidification Commission.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Dylan A. Fernandes</i>	<i>Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket</i>	<i>2/26/2020</i>

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By Mr. Fernandes of Falmouth, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Dylan A. Fernandes relative to the membership and the reviving and continuation of the Ocean Acidification Commission. Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court
(2019-2020)

Resolve creating a technical fix to the Ocean Acidification Commission.

1 **Resolved**, that subsection (b) of section 97 of chapter 209 of the acts of 2018 is hereby
2 amended by adding the following sentence:- The co-chairs of the commission may designate 2
3 other commission members to serve as acting co-chairs for the commission by mutual agreement
4 of the co-chairs; provided, however, that the co-chairs shall submit the designation in writing to
5 the clerk of the house and the clerk of the senate.”; and by inserting the following section:-
6 Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, the special commission established in
7 section 97 of chapter 209 of the acts of 2018 is hereby revived and continued to December 31,
8 2020.”.