HOUSE No. 4122

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 22, 2021.

The committee on Rules, reports, under the provisions of House Rules 7B and 7C, that the accompanying Order relative to special procedures for consideration of the House Order to safeguard the health of House Members and employees during the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic (see House, No. 4121), ought to be adopted.

For the committee,

WILLIAM C. GALVIN

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court (2021-2022)

1 Ordered, That, notwithstanding the provisions of any rule to the contrary, amendments to 2 House Bill No. 4121, An Order to safeguard the health of House Members and employees during 3 the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, or substitute text recommended for or offered to the subject 4 matter contained therein, shall be properly filed with the Clerk of the House in electronic format 5 to be determined by the Clerk as directed by the Speaker prior to five o'clock P.M. on 6 Wednesday, September 22, 2021 except for perfecting or consolidating amendments offered by 7 the committee on Rules; provided that the Clerk shall notify by electronic communication the 8 primary sponsor of each amendment of the receipt of such amendment and the number assigned 9 by said Clerk to said amendment; provided further, that the Clerk shall print each amendment so 10 filed electronically; and such printed copy shall be considered to be the official amendment; and 11 be it further

- Ordered, That, except for perfecting or consolidated amendments offered by the committee on
- Rules, no proposition on a subject different from the amendment under consideration shall be
- 14 admitted under color of a further amendment, except that, notwithstanding the provisions of Rule
- 15 20A, any member may remove his or her amendment from the consolidated amendment and
- offer it as an amendment in the first degree, to be acted upon before action is taken on the
- 17 consolidated amendment; provided further, that, notwithstanding the provisions of House Rule
- 18 74, consolidated amendments may not be divided; and be it further
- 19 Ordered, That, any amendment not complying with the provisions of the special rules of
- 20 procedure stated herein shall be considered withdrawn.