

HOUSE No. 4569

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, April 4, 2022.

The committee on State Administration and Regulatory Oversight to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3139) of Patricia A. Duffy and Christine P. Barber for the issuance of an annual proclamation by the Governor setting apart the month of April as Sikh appreciation month and designate November 12 as world equality day, reports recommending that the accompanying bill (House, No. 4569) ought to pass.

For the committee,

ANTONIO F. D. CABRAL.

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

An Act Recognizing Sikh Appreciation 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 Section 15JJJJJ. The Governor shall annually issue a proclamation setting apart the
2 month of April as Sikh Appreciation Month in recognition of the significant contributions
3 Sikhs
4 have made to the Commonwealth and to the United States. The Governor shall
5 recommend that
6 said month be observed in an appropriate manner by the people.