

HOUSE No. 5205

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

The committee on The Judiciary, to whom were referred the message from His Excellency the Governor recommending legislation to protect victims of crimes and the public (House, No. 4290); the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1462) of Ruth B. Balsler and others relative to pretrial release and probation; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1471) of Natalie M. Blais and others relative to screening of prospective school employees for prior investigations into child abuse or sexual misconduct; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1567) of Brandy Fluker Oakley and others relative to providing for the vacating of certain criminal convictions; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1714) of Kay Khan and others relative to the rights and protections of children; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1763) of Elizabeth A. Malia relative to the sealing of certain records; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1781) of Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr., and others relative to the offense of assault and battery upon transit workers; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1795) of Liz Miranda and others relative to juvenile justice data collection; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1798) of Liz Miranda and others relative to parole supervision; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1894) of Paul F. Tucker for legislation to increase the safety of courthouses; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1912) of Andres X. Vargas and others relative to eliminating standard conditions and creating maximum caps on probation supervision terms; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3570) of Edward R. Philips and others relative to penalties for driving on a non-administrative license suspension; the petition (accompanied by House, No. 4304) of Marjorie C. Decker, Frank A. Moran and others for legislation to further regulate the manufacturing of assault weapons and large capacity feeding devices; and the petition (accompanied by House, No. 4444) of Josh S. Cutler, Kathleen R. LaNatra and others for legislation to establish penalties for the disposal of radioactive waste into the Commonwealth's waters, reports the

accompanying Order (House, No. 5205) ought to be adopted [Senators Creem of Newton and Velis of Westfield and Representatives Garry of Dracut, Sullivan of Abington dissent].

For the committee,

MICHAEL S. DAY.

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1 *Ordered,* That the committee on The Judiciary be authorized to sit during a recess of the
2 General Court to make an investigation and study of House documents numbered 1462, 1471,
3 1567, 1714, 1763, 1781, 1795, 1798, 1894, 1912, 3570, 4290, 4303 and 4444, relative to
4 probation, parole and other related matters.

5 Said committee shall report to the General Court the results of its investigation and study
6 and its recommendations, if any, together with drafts of legislation necessary to carry such
7 recommendations into effect, by filing the same with the Clerk of the House of Representatives
8 on or before December 31, 2022.