

HOUSE No. 5049

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, February 5, 2026.

The committee on Transportation, to whom were referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3618) of Bruce J. Ayers relative to the flight of unmanned aircraft drones in the airspace over early, elementary and secondary educational facilities; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3625) of Luke Soojian relative to the permitting for removal or transportation of refuse; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3663) of Brandy Fluker-Reid relative to the safe operation of drones in the Commonwealth; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3671) of Homar Gómez and others relative to Purple Heart registration plates; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3797) of Marcus S. Vaughn relative to providing for a MassPort airline regulation study; and the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3800) of Marcus S. Vaughn relative to regulating drones, reports recommending that the accompanying order (House, No. 5049) ought to be adopted.

For the committee,

JAMES ARCIERO.

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1 *Ordered,* That the committee on Transportation be authorized to sit during a recess of the
2 General Court to make an investigation and study of House documents numbered 3618, 3625,
3 3663, 3671, 3797 and 3800, relative to aviation and miscellaneous matters.

4 Said committee shall report to the General Court the results of its investigation and study
5 and its recommendations, if any, together with drafts of legislation necessary to carry such
6 recommendations into effect, by filing the same with the Clerk of the House of Representatives
7 on or before December 31, 2026.