

HOUSE No. 5240

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, March 16, 2026.

The committee on Children, Families and Persons with Disabilities, to whom were referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 216) of Marjorie C. Decker, Lindsay N. Sabadosa and Samantha Montaña relative to emergency housing assistance for children and families experiencing homelessness; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 260) of David Henry Argosky LeBoeuf that the Executive Office of Housing and Livable Communities conduct a study on the state of immigrant and refugee resettlement infrastructure in the Commonwealth; and the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4194) of Colleen M. Garry relative to the estimated rate of inflation for social service programs, reports (under the provisions of House Rule 27) recommending that the accompanying order (House, No. 5240) ought to be adopted.

For the committee,

JAY D. LIVINGSTONE.

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1 *Ordered,* That the committee on Children, Families and Persons with Disabilities be
2 authorized to sit during a recess of the General Court to make an investigation and study of
3 House documents numbered 216, 260 and 4194, relative to housing assistance, resettlement and
4 social service programs.

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, 2026.