

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 5241

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, March 16, 2026.

The committee on Agriculture and Fisheries, to whom were referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 114) of Nicholas A. Boldyga relative to the regulation and availability of cottage foods; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 122) of Rodney M. Elliott and James Arciero that the Division of Animal Health be authorized to regulate the preservation of existing pet cemeteries; and the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 140) of Erika Uytterhoeven and Jacob R. Oliveira relative to cottage food entrepreneurs, reports (under the provisions of House Rule 27) recommending that the accompanying order (House, No. 5241) ought to be adopted.

For the committee,

AARON L. SAUNDERS.

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1           *Ordered,* That the committee on Agriculture and Fisheries be authorized to sit during a  
2 recess of the General Court to make an investigation and study of House documents numbered  
3 114, 122 and 140, relative to cottage foods and pet cemeteries.

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.