

HOUSE No. 4050

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, May 29, 2007.

The committee on Municipalities and Regional Government to whom were referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1918) of Jennifer M. Callahan, Cleon H. Turner and another for legislation to authorize municipalities to provide contracts for assessors, treasurers and collectors, the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1920) of Thomas J. Calter relative to imposing a moratorium on the abolishment of county governments, the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1921) of Thomas J. Calter that county governments and councils of government be authorized to negotiate contracts for electric service, the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1922) of Thomas J. Calter for legislation to provide for county advisory boards on economic development, regional planning and intergovernmental relations, the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1923) of Thomas J. Calter that grants to political subdivisions be also made available to the counties of the Commonwealth, and the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1924) of Thomas J. Calter for legislation to reform the civil process system, reports recommending that the accompanying order (House, No. 4050 ought to be adopted.

For the committee,

VINCENT A. PEDONE.

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In the Year Two Thousand and Seven.

1 *Ordered,* That the Joint Committee on Municipalities and
2 Regional Government be authorized to sit during the recess of the
3 General Court to make an investigation and study of current
4 House documents 1918, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924.
5 Said committee shall report to the General Court the results of
6 its investigation and study, and its recommendations, if any,
7 together with drafts of legislation necessary to carry such recom-
8 mendations into effect, by filing the same with the Clerk of the
9 House of Representatives on or before December 31, 2007.