

HOUSE No. 4996

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, July 21, 2008.

The committee on Rules, reports, under the provisions of House Rules 7B and 7C, that the accompanying order relative to special procedures for consideration of the House Bill providing for the preservation and improvement of land, parks, and clean energy in the Commonwealth (House, No. 4561), and also relative to special procedures for consideration of the House Bill providing capital facility repairs and improvements for the Commonwealth (House, No. 4582), ought to be adopted.

For the committee,

ANGELO M. SCACCIA.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Eight.

1 *Ordered*, That, notwithstanding the provisions of any rule to the
2 contrary, amendments to House bill No. 4561, “Bill providing for
3 the preservation and improvement of land, parks, and clean energy
4 in the Commonwealth”, and also amendments to House bill
5 No. 4582, “Bill providing capital facility repairs and improve-
6 ments for the Commonwealth”, or further amendments to any
7 substitute bills thereof recommended by the committee on Ways
8 and Means, shall be filed with the Clerk of the House in electronic
9 format to be determined by the Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on
10 Tuesday, July 22, 2008; provided that the Clerk shall notify by
11 electronic communication the primary sponsor of each amendment
12 of the receipt of such amendment and the number assigned by said
13 Clerk to said amendment; provided further that the Clerk shall
14 print each amendment so filed electronically; and such printed
15 copy shall be considered to be the official amendment; and be it
16 further

1 *Ordered*, That, except for perfecting or consolidated amend-
2 ments offered by the committee on Ways and Means, no proposi-
3 tion on a subject different from the amendment under
4 consideration shall be admitted under color of a further amend-
5 ment, except that any member may remove his/her amendment
6 from the consolidated amendment and offer it as an amendment in
7 the first degree, to be acted upon before action is taken on the
8 consolidated amendment.

1 *Ordered*, That, any amendment not complying with the provi-
2 sions of the special rules of procedure stated herein shall be con-
3 sidered withdrawn.