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## Open Meeting Law Advisory Commission Notice of Meeting

Meeting Date: Wednesday, March 8, 2017
Time: 2:00PM
Location: 100 Cambridge Street, Room D of the Leverett Saltonstall Building,
Boston, MA 02108

## **Listing of Topics**

- 1. Welcome
- 2. Introductions, welcoming new Commission member Senator Walter Timilty
- 3. Election of Commission Chair
- 4. Review and approval of draft minutes from September 14, 2016
- 5. 2016 Annual Report from the Division of Open Government, regarding the Open Meeting Law and the activities of the Division of Open Government
- 6. Status of bills pertaining to the Open Meeting Law filed in the Legislature
  - a. HD3313: An Act relative to the open meeting law (Representative Antonio Cabral)
  - b. HD3445: An Act to exempt the deliberation of public bodies at town meeting from the open meeting law (Representative Peter Kocot)
  - c. <u>H.1704</u>: An Act to permit enhanced public access to deliberations of public bodies and to permit improved efficiency of public bodies (Representative Jeffrey Roy)
  - d. H.1669: An Act Relative to the Open Meeting Law (Representative Bradford Hill)
- 7. Public comment
- 8. Items not reasonably anticipated by the Chair 48 hours in advance of the meeting
- 9. Schedule next meeting
- 10. Adjourn

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