

HOUSE No. 4585

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, June 11, 2018.

The committee on Marijuana Policy, to whom were referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2388) of William Flynn relative to repealing certain provisions of the law regulating the cultivation of marijuana and marihuana; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2785) of Aaron Vega, Byron Rushing and others relative to the expungement of records of marijuana arrests, detention, convictions and incarceration; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3174) of Kathryn Rifkin relative to repealing certain provisions of the law regulating the cultivation of marijuana and marihuana; the petition (accompanied by resolution, House, No. 3196) of David M. Rogers memorializing the Congress of the United States to secure the deletion of the word marihuana from the federal Controlled Substances Act; the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3199) of Linda L. Noel for legislation to further regulate the cultivation of marijuana and marihuana; and the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3732) of Bradley H. Jones, Jr., Jason M. Lewis and James J. Dwyer (by vote of the town) that the town of Reading be authorized to prohibit marijuana establishments other than registered medical marijuana dispensaries, reports recommending the accompanying order (House, No. 4579) ought to be adopted. [Representative Boldyga of Southwick dissents].

For the committee,

MARK J. CUSACK

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1 *Ordered*, That the committee on Marijuana Policy be authorized to sit during a recess of
2 the General Court to make an investigation and study of House documents numbered 2388,
3 2785, 3174, 3196, 3199 and 3732, relative to marijuana policy.

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, 2018.