

SENATE No. 2610

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court
(2021-2022)**

An Act further defining a quorum of a public body in the town of Monson.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. (a) For the purposes of this act, “public body” shall mean a multiple-
2 member board, commission, committee or subcommittee within the executive or legislative
3 branch of the town of Monson, however established, appointed or otherwise constituted, to serve
4 a public purpose; provided, however, that “public body” shall not include a multiple-member
5 board, commission, committee or subcommittee whose members are elected by the registered
6 voters of the town.

7 (b) Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, if a quorum of a public
8 body in the town of Monson requires a simple majority of the members of that public body, then
9 a quorum shall mean a simple majority of the members then actively serving on that public body.

10 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.”.