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DOCKET 2

Author: Office of the Governor

Title: General Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2017

Introduced: 01/27/2016

Disposition: Pending

Location: House Ways and Means Committee

Summary: Makes appropriations for Fiscal Year 2017.

Status: 01/27/2016 INTRODUCED.

01/27/2016 To HOUSE Committee on WAYS AND MEANS.

01/27/2016 Filed as House Docket 2

Subject: AirportFunding, Airports

2. **MA H 754**



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DOCKET 1325

Author: Smizik (D)

Title: Lifecycle Greenhouse Gas Emissions

Introduced: 03/11/2015

Disposition: Pending

Location: Accompanying Similar Bill

Summary: Computes and tracks the individual and collective lifecycle greenhouse gas emissions of all

fuels.

Status: 03/28/2016 From JOINT Committee on ENVIRONMENT, NATURAL RESOURCES AND

AGRICULTURE: Accompanied by Bill S 456

Subject: Fuel



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DOCKET 614

Author: Garry (D)

Title: Unmanned Aerial Vehicles

Introduced: 03/11/2015

Disposition: Pending - Carryover

Location: Joint Committee on The Judiciary

Summary: Relates to the use of information derived from unmanned aerial vehicles as evidence in

judicial, regulatory or other government proceedings.

Status: 10/06/2015 In JOINT Committee on JUDICIARY: Heard. Eligible for Executive Session.

Subject: UnmannedAircraft

4. MA H 1858 HIGH

Passed Passed Passed Passed Passed Introduced 1st Committee 1st Chamber 2nd Committee 2nd Chamber



DOCKET 247

Author: Madden (D)

Title: Local Legislation

Introduced: 03/11/2015

Disposition: Pending - Carryover **Location:** Senate Third Reading

Summary: Provides that the town of Nantucket be authorized to exclude the fuel revolving account for

the Nantucket Memorial Airport in calculating the limit on revolving account funds.

Status: 07/29/2015 In SENATE. Read second time.

07/29/2015 In SENATE. Ordered to a third reading.

Subject: AirportFunding, Airports



Introduced 1st Committee 1st Chamber 2nd Committee 2nd Chamber Enacted

DOCKET 2827

Author: Hogan (D)

Title: Is Used for Aviation

Introduced: 03/11/2015

Disposition: Pending - Carryover

Location: Joint Committee on Revenue **Summary:** Provides that is used for aviation.

Status: 05/12/2015 In JOINT Committee on REVENUE: Heard. Eligible for Executive Session.

Subject: TaxPersonalProperty

6. **MA H 2594**

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Introduced 1st Committee 1st Chamber 2nd Committee 2nd Chamber Enacted



DOCKET 2909

Author: Linsky (D)

Title: Collection of Personal Property Taxes

Introduced: 03/11/2015

Disposition: Pending

Location: Joint Committee on Revenue

Summary: Relates to the collection of personal property taxes.

Status: 02/23/2016 In JOINT Committee on REVENUE: Heard. Eligible for Executive Session.

Subject: TaxPersonalProperty

7. MA H 3013



Introduced

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DOCKET 2830

Author: Hogan (D)

Title: Update of Airspace Regulations

Introduced: 03/11/2015

Disposition: Pending - Carryover

Location: Joint Committee on Transportation

Summary: Relates to the Massachusetts Aeronautics Division and updating airspace regulations.

Status: 11/09/2015 In JOINT Committee on TRANSPORTATION: Heard. Eligible for Executive

Session.

Priority: High

Subject: LandUse

8. **MA H 3400**



Introduced 1st Committee 1st Chamber 2nd Committee 2nd Chamber Enacted

New Draft

of:

MA H 1

New Draft

see:

MA H 3401

Author: House Ways and Means Committee

Title: General Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2016

Introduced: 04/15/2015

Last

Amend:

04/29/2015

Disposition: Pending - Carryover

Location: Replaced by New Draft

Summary: Makes appropriations for Fiscal Year 2016.

Status: 04/29/2015 Amended on HOUSE floor by substitution of New Draft. For further action see

H 3401.

Subject: AirportAuthorities, Airports, LandUse

9. MA H 3401



Passed Introduced 1st Committee

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New Draft

of:

MA H 3400

> **New Text** MAS3, MAS1930 see:

Author: House Floor

Title: General Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2016

Introduced: 04/29/2015

Last

07/07/2015 Amend:

Disposition: Pending - Carryover Location: Conference Committee

Makes appropriations for Fiscal Year 2016. **Summary:**

07/07/2015 A part reported from CONFERENCE Committee by substitution of New Draft. Status:

See H 3650.

07/07/2015 A part reported from CONFERENCE Committee by substitution of New Draft.

See H 3651.

Subject: AirportAuthorities, Airports, LandUse

10. MA H 3496



Passed Passed Passed Passed Introduced 1st Committee 1st Chamber 2nd Committee 2nd Chamber Enacted

DOCKET 1766

Author: Atkins (D)

Title: Sales Tax Exemption for Aircraft

Introduced: 05/18/2015

Disposition: Pending - Carryover

Location: Joint Committee on Revenue

Relates to the repeal of the sales tax exemption for aircraft. **Summary:**

07/21/2015 In JOINT Committee on REVENUE: Heard. Eligible for Executive Session. Status:

AOPA_Position: Oppose

Priority: High

TaxAircraft Subject:

11. MA H 3650 ENACTED

Passed Passed Passed Passed Introduced 1st Committee 1st Chamber 2nd Committee 2nd Chamber **Enacted**

New Draft MA H 3666, MA H 3667, MA H 3668, MA H 3669, MA H 3670, MA H 3671, MA H 3672

see: , MA H 3673 , MA H 3674

Author: Report of Conference Committee

Title: General Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2016

Introduced: 07/07/2015
Line Item: 07/17/2015
Disposition: Enacted
Location: Chaptered

Summary: Makes appropriations for Fiscal Year 2016; provides that specified costs of the Department

of Fire Services shall be paid for from an assessment on insurance companies writing fire, homeowner's multiple peril or commercial multiple peril policies on property situated in the Commonwealth and a percentage of the costs for hazardous materials response shall be assessed upon commercial multiple peril, nonliability portion policies and commercial auto

liability policies.

Status: 10/22/2015 GOVERNOR'S Line Item Veto overridden, in part, by SENATE.

Section(s)/Item(s): 50.

Subject: AirportAuthorities, Airports, LandUse

12. MA H 3908



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New Draft

see:

MA H 4032

Author: Office of the Governor

Title: Municipal Finance and Government

Introduced: 12/21/2015

Last

Amend:

02/29/2016

Disposition: Pending

Location: Replaced by New Draft

Summary: Modernizes municipal finance and government; relates to Sections 31 through 35, 42

through 47, 56, 95, 101 through 183, 221, 242 through 249 of House bill 3905 regarding

matters relative to revenue.

Status: 02/29/2016 From JOINT Committee on REVENUE: Amended by substitution of New

Draft. For further action see H 4032.

Subject: Airports





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New Draft

of:

MA H 2462, MA H 2537, MA H 2688, MA H 3908

Author: Joint Committee on Revenue

Title: Municipal Finance and Government Modernization

Introduced: 02/29/2016

Disposition: Pending

Location: House Ways and Means Committee

Summary: Modernizes municipal finance and government.

Status: 02/29/2016 INTRODUCED.

02/29/2016 New Draft for H 2462, H 2537, H 2688 and H 3908.

02/29/2016 To HOUSE Committee on WAYS AND MEANS.

Subject: AircraftRegistration, Airports, TaxAircraft, TaxPersonalProperty

14. **MA S 3** HIGH

Introduced

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New Text

of:

MA H 3401

New Text

see:

MA S 1930

Author: Senate Ways and Means Committee

Title: General Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2016

Introduced: 05/12/2015

Last

05/21/2015

Amend:

Disposition:

Pending - Carryover

Location: SENATE

Summary: Makes appropriations for Fiscal Year 2016.

Status: 05/21/2015 Amended on SENATE floor by substitution of New Text. New text bill number

to be assigned. See S 1930.

Subject: AirportAuthorities, Airports, LandUse

15. **MA S 447**

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Introduced

Passed 1st Committee Passed 1st Chamber Passed 2nd Committee Passed 2nd Chamber

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DOCKET 449

Author: Moore M (D)

Title: Unmanned Aerial System Hunting

Introduced: 04/15/2015

Disposition: Pending

Location: Senate Rules Committee

Summary: Relates to hunting with Unmanned Aerial Systems.

Status: 02/18/2016 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

Subject: UnmannedAircraft

16. MA S 456

Introduced



Passed 1st Committee

Passed 1st Chamber Passed 2nd Committee Passed 2nd Chamber

Enacted

DOCKET 312

Author: Pacheco (D)

Title: Transportation Fuel and Greenhouse Gas Tracking

Introduced: 04/15/2015

Disposition: Pending

Location: Senate Ways and Means Committee

Summary: Establishes tracking and reporting requirements for Massachusetts transportation fuels and

associated greenhouse gas emissions.

Status: 03/28/2016 To SENATE Committee on WAYS AND MEANS.

Subject: Fuel

17. MA S 1107



Passed Passed Passed Passed Passed

Introduced 1st Committee 1st Chamber 2nd Committee 2nd Chamber Enacted



DOCKET 1434

Author: Tarr (R)

Title: Land Use Regulations

Introduced: 04/15/2015

Disposition: Pending - Carryover

Location: Joint Committee on Municipalities and Regional Government

Summary: Relates to land use regulations.

Status: 09/17/2015 In JOINT Committee on MUNICIPALITIES AND REGIONAL GOVERNMENT:

Heard. Eligible for Executive Session.

Subject: LandUse

18. **MA S 1449**

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Passed Passed Passed Passed

Introduced 1st Committee 1st Chamber 2nd Committee 2nd Chamber Enacted

DOCKET 1249

Author: Barrett (D)

Title: Sales Tax Exemption for Jet Fuel

Introduced: 04/15/2015

Disposition: Pending - Carryover

Location: Joint Committee on Revenue

Summary: Repeals the sales tax exemption for jet fuel.

Status: 07/21/2015 In JOINT Committee on REVENUE: Heard. Eligible for Executive Session.

AOPA_Position: Oppose

Priority: High
Subject: Fuel

19. MA S 1453 HIGH

Passed Passed Passed Passed Passed Ist Chamber 2nd Committee 2nd Chamber Enacted

DOCKET 397

Author: Chang-Diaz (D)

Title: Fairness of Our Tax Laws

Introduced: 04/15/2015

Disposition: Pending - Carryover

Location: Joint Committee on Revenue

Summary: Improves the fairness of our tax Laws.

Status: 06/09/2015 In JOINT Committee on REVENUE: Heard. Eligible for Executive Session.

06/09/2015 In JOINT Committee on REVENUE: Heard. Eligible for Executive Session.

AOPA_Position: Oppose

Priority: High

Subject: TaxPersonalProperty

20. MAS 1540



Passed Introduced 1st Committee

Passed 1st Chamber Passed 2nd Committee Passed 2nd Chamber

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DOCKET 257

New Draft

see:

MA S 2151

Author: Rodrigues (D)

Title: Classification and Taxation of Recreational Land

Introduced: 04/15/2015

Last Amend:

02/26/2016

Disposition: Pending

Location: Replaced by New Draft

Summary: Clarifies the allowance of land under Chapter 61B, which relates to classification and

taxation of recreational land.

Status: 02/26/2016 From JOINT Committee on REVENUE: Recommended amendment by New

Draft dated 2/29/2015. See S 2151.

Subject: LandUse

21. MA S 1835



Passed Introduced 1st Committee Passed 1st Chamber Passed 2nd Committee Passed 2nd Chamber

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DOCKET 185

Author: Hedlund (R)

Title: Use of Unmanned Aerial Vehicles

Introduced: 04/15/2015

Disposition: Pending

Location: Joint Committee on Transportation

Summary: Regulates the use of unmanned aerial vehicles.

Status: 02/24/2016 In JOINT Committee on TRANSPORTATION: Heard. Eligible for Executive

Session.

Subject: UnmannedAircraft

22. MA S 1866



Passed Passed Passed Passed

Introduced 1st Committee 1st Chamber 2nd Committee 2nd Chamber Enacted

DOCKET 1534

Author: Pacheco (D)

Title: Clean Fuel Standard

Introduced: 04/15/2015

Disposition: Pending - Carryover

Location: Joint Committee on Transportation **Summary:** Relates to a clean fuel standard.

Status: 07/23/2015 In JOINT Committee on TRANSPORTATION: Heard. Eligible for Executive

Session.

Subject: Fuel

23. MA S 1930 OUTLOOK

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Introduced 1st Committee 1st Chamber 2nd Committee 2nd Chamber Enacted



New Text

MA H 3401, MA S 3

Author:

of:

Senate Floor

Title: General Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2016

Introduced: 05/21/2015

Disposition: Pending - Carryover

Location: SENATE

Summary: Makes appropriations for Fiscal Year 2016.

Status: 05/21/2015 INTRODUCED.

05/21/2015 New Text of H 3401 and S 3.

Subject: Airports

24. **MA S 2144**



Passed Introduced 1st Committee Passed 1st Chamber Passed 2nd Committee Passed 2nd Chamber

Enacted



New Draft

of:

MAS 118, MAS 122

Author: Joint Committee on Community Development and Small Businesses

Title: Sustainable Community Development and Planning

Introduced: 02/25/2016

Disposition: Pending

Location: Senate Ways and Means Committee

Summary: Promotes the planning and development of sustainable communities.

Status: 02/25/2016 INTRODUCED.

02/25/2016 New Draft for S 118 and S 122.

02/25/2016 To SENATE Committee on WAYS AND MEANS.

Subject: LandUse

25. MA S 2159



Passed Introduced 1st Committee Passed 1st Chamber Passed 2nd Committee Passed 2nd Chamber

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New Draft

of:

MA H 2878, MA S 1751

Author: Joint Committee on Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy

Title: Dark Sky Visibility and Outdoor Light Improvement

Introduced: 03/04/2016

Disposition: Pending

Location: Senate Ways and Means Committee

Summary: Improves outdoor lighting and increasing dark-sky visibility.

Status: 03/07/2016 New Draft for H 2878 and S 1751.

03/07/2016 To SENATE Committee on WAYS AND MEANS.

Subject: LandUse

26. MA S 2200



Passed Introduced 1st Committee Passed 1st Chamber Passed 2nd Committee Passed 2nd Chamber

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New Draft

of:

MA S 1132

Author: Joint Committee on Public Health

Title: Harmful Flame Retardant Protection

Introduced: 03/21/2016

Disposition: Pending

Location: Senate Ways and Means Committee

Summary: Protects children and families from harmful flame retardants.

Status: 03/21/2016 INTRODUCED.

03/31/2016 New Draft for S 1132.

03/31/2016 To SENATE Committee on WAYS AND MEANS.

Subject: AircraftRegistration, Misc, TaxAircraft