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## QUESTION 1, 2, 3 OR 4
## THIS QUESTION IS NOT BINDING

Shall the state representative from this district be instructed to vote in favor of: (1) a resolution asserting that the campaign against terrorism should not be waged at the expense of constitutionally protected civil rights and liberties of Massachusetts residents; (2) legislation barring the use of state resources or institutions to carry out actions that violate constitutional rights, or actions such as racial and religious profiling, conducting secret investigations without reasonable grounds, and maintaining files on individuals and organizations without reasonable suspicion of criminal conduct; and (3) a resolution urging the Massachusetts Congressional delegation to vote to repeal provisions in the federal USA PATRIOT Act and other laws that infringe on civil rights and liberties and to oppose any future legislation that infringes on civil rights and liberties?

| | Yes | No | Blanks | Total Ballots |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Third Berkshire District** | | | | |
| PITTSFIELD | 9,944 | 4,278 | 3,278 | 17,500 |
| **TOTALS** | **9,944** | **4,278** | **3,278** | **17,500** |
| **Fourth Berkshire District** | | | | |
| Alford | 195 | 63 | 45 | 303 |
| Blandford | 365 | 190 | 114 | 669 |
| Chester | 364 | 195 | 107 | 666 |
| Egremont | 543 | 171 | 98 | 812 |
| Great Barrington | 2,439 | 672 | 644 | 3,755 |
| Lee | 1,800 | 665 | 594 | 3,059 |
| Lenox | 1,875 | 658 | 557 | 3,090 |
| Monterey | 402 | 94 | 50 | 546 |
| Mount Washington | 75 | 27 | 6 | 108 |
| New Marlborough | 557 | 173 | 98 | 828 |
| Otis | 423 | 210 | 120 | 753 |
| PITTSFIELD | 767 | 337 | 288 | 1,392 |
| Sandisfield | 250 | 97 | 71 | 418 |
| Sheffield | 1,142 | 385 | 301 | 1,828 |
| Stockbridge | 826 | 216 | 218 | 1,260 |
| Tolland | 114 | 64 | 60 | 238 |
| Tyringham | 141 | 64 | 61 | 266 |
| West Stockbridge | 571 | 173 | 162 | 906 |
| **TOTALS** | **12,849** | **4,454** | **3,594** | **20,897** |

## QUESTION 1
## THIS QUESTION IS NOT BINDING

Shall the state senator from this district be instructed to introduce and vote in favor of legislation making possession of marijuana a civil violation, like a traffic ticket instead of a criminal offense, and requiring police to hold a person under 18 cited for possession until the person is released to a parent or legal guardian or brought before a judge?

| | Yes | No | Blanks | Total Ballots |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Second Essex District** | | | | |
| BEVERLY | 11,781 | 6,348 | 1,548 | 19,677 |
| Danvers | 7,543 | 4,868 | 926 | 13,337 |
| PEABODY | 13,650 | 8,674 | 2,855 | 25,179 |
| SALEM | 10,855 | 5,373 | 1,912 | 18,140 |
| Topsfield | 2,127 | 1,349 | 257 | 3,733 |
| **TOTALS** | **45,956** | **26,612** | **7,498** | **80,066** |
| **Third Essex & Middlesex District** | | | | |
| LYNN | 16,513 | 8,419 | 3,204 | 28,136 |
| Marblehead | 6,867 | 4,234 | 1,011 | 12,112 |
| MELROSE | 2,337 | 1,351 | 548 | 4,236 |
| Nahant | 1,425 | 585 | 249 | 2,259 |
| Saugus | 4,512 | 2,949 | 2,281 | 9,742 |
| Swampscott | 4,851 | 2,214 | 982 | 8,047 |
| **TOTALS** | **36,505** | **19,752** | **8,275** | **64,532** |

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| **First Hampshire District** | | | | |
| Hatfield | 1,124 | 650 | 319 | 2,093 |
| Montgomery | 233 | 152 | 86 | 471 |
| NORTHAMPTON | 10,565 | 2,932 | 1,998 | 15,495 |
| Southampton | 1,606 | 1,116 | 460 | 3,182 |
| Westhampton | 560 | 330 | 117 | 1,007 |
| **TOTALS** | **14,088** | **5,180** | **2,980** | **22,248** |
| **Third Hampshire District** | | | | |
| Amherst | 8,159 | 1,768 | 1,665 | 11,592 |
| Granby | 1,516 | 1,129 | 699 | 3,344 |
| **TOTALS** | **9,675** | **2,897** | **2,364** | **14,936** |
| **Fifteenth Middlesex District** | | | | |
| Arlington | 2,676 | 1,023 | 696 | 4,395 |
| Lexington | 6,673 | 2,992 | 1,937 | 11,602 |
| WOBURN | 2,248 | 1,897 | 1,520 | 5,665 |
| **TOTALS** | **11,597** | **5,912** | **4,153** | **21,662** |
| **Twenty-Fourth Middlesex District** | | | | |
| Arlington | 1,335 | 592 | 305 | 2,232 |
| Belmont | 7,848 | 3,983 | 1,689 | 13,520 |
| CAMBRIDGE | 3,501 | 899 | 1,015 | 5,415 |
| **TOTALS** | **12,684** | **5,474** | **3,009** | **21,167** |
| **Twenty-Fifth Middlesex District** | | | | |
| CAMBRIDGE | 11,725 | 2,405 | 2,517 | 16,647 |
| **TOTALS** | **11,725** | **2,405** | **2,517** | **16,647** |
| **Twenty-Ninth Middlesex District** | | | | |
| CAMBRIDGE | 3,463 | 931 | 993 | 5,387 |
| Watertown | 7,636 | 4,166 | 2,375 | 14,177 |
| **TOTALS** | **11,099** | **5,097** | **3,368** | **19,564** |
| **Fifteenth Norfolk District** | | | | |
| Brookline | 11,249 | 3,064 | 3,717 | 18,030 |
| **TOTALS** | **11,249** | **3,064** | **3,717** | **18,030** |

## QUESTION 1 OR 2
## THIS QUESTION IS NOT BINDING

Shall the state representative from this district be instructed to introduce and vote in favor of legislation making possession of marijuana a civil violation, like a traffic ticket instead of a criminal offense, and requiring police to hold a person under 18 cited for possession until the person is released to a parent or legal guardian or brought before a judge?

| | Yes | No | Blanks | Total Ballots |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Tenth Norfolk District** | | | | |
| Franklin | 8,589 | 5,997 | 894 | 15,480 |
| Medway | 2,979 | 1,628 | 366 | 4,973 |
| **TOTALS** | **11,568** | **7,625** | **1,260** | **20,453** |

## QUESTION 1, 2 OR 3
## THIS QUESTION IS NOT BINDING

Shall the state representative from this district be instructed to vote in favor of legislation that would make possession of less than one ounce of marijuana a civil violation, subject to a maximum fine of $100 and not subject to any criminal penalties?

| | Yes | No | Blanks | Total Ballots |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Third Plymouth District** | | | | |
| Cohasset | 2,870 | 1,291 | 365 | 4,526 |
| Hingham | 7,332 | 3,697 | 1,096 | 12,125 |
| Hull | 3,907 | 1,500 | 450 | 5,857 |
| Scituate | 1,106 | 468 | 176 | 1,750 |
| **TOTALS** | **15,215** | **6,956** | **2,087** | **24,258** |
| **Sixth Worcester District** | | | | |
| Charlton | 3,420 | 1,938 | 342 | 5,700 |
| East Brookfield | 607 | 395 | 98 | 1,100 |
| Oxford | 876 | 508 | 116 | 1,500 |
| Southbridge | 3,391 | 2,139 | 1,047 | 6,577 |
| Spencer | 1,711 | 849 | 213 | 2,773 |
| **TOTALS** | **10,005** | **5,829** | **1,816** | **17,650** |
| **Twelfth Worcester District** | | | | |
| Boylston | 1,625 | 649 | 193 | 2,467 |
| Clinton | 3,654 | 1,713 | 755 | 6,122 |
| Lancaster | 1,164 | 625 | 263 | 2,052 |
| Northborough | 4,733 | 2,330 | 684 | 7,747 |
| Sterling | 1,442 | 691 | 186 | 2,319 |
| **TOTALS** | **12,618** | **6,008** | **2,081** | **20,707** |

## QUESTION 2 OR 3
## THIS QUESTION IS NOT BINDING

Shall the state representative from this district be instructed to vote in favor of legislation that would allow the state to regulate the taxation, manufacture and sale of marijuana to adults 21 and older provided that sales outlets are state licensed, do not sell alcohol, and are not within 500 yards of a school?

| | Yes | No | Blanks | Total Ballots |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **First Hampshire District** | | | | |
| Hatfield | 918 | 977 | 198 | 2,093 |
| Montgomery | 197 | 216 | 58 | 471 |
| NORTHAMPTON | 8,655 | 5,096 | 1,744 | 15,495 |
| Southampton | 1,253 | 1,632 | 297 | 3,182 |
| Westhampton | 471 | 472 | 64 | 1,007 |
| **TOTALS** | **11,494** | **8,393** | **2,361** | **22,248** |

## QUESTION 3
## THIS QUESTION IS NOT BINDING

Shall the state representative from this district be instructed to introduce and vote in favor of legislation that: (1) declares workplace phychological harassment (bullying) to be an occupational health and safety issue; (2) mandates a study to analyze the direct and indirect costs of workplace psychological harassment for Massachusetts families and as reflected in healthcare and insurance rates within the Commonwealth; and (3) requires employers, if they employ 50 or more workers in Massachusetts, to put into place by December 31st, 2005, a policy that defines psychological harassment and prevents is occurrence?

| | Yes | No | Blanks | Total Ballots |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Third Hampshire District** | | | | |
| Amherst | 6,599 | 2,819 | 2,174 | 11,592 |
| Granby | 1,600 | 1,041 | 703 | 3,344 |
| **TOTALS** | **8,199** | **3,860** | **2,877** | **14,936** |

## QUESTION 1
## THIS QUESTION IS NOT BINDING

Shall the state representative from this district be instructed to vote in favor of legislation or a constitutional amendment to require that elections to statewide office (such as Governor, Treasurer, Auditor and Secretary of the Commonwealth) be conducted according to a system of instant runoff voting?

| | Yes | No | Blanks | Total Ballots |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **First Franklin District** | | | | |
| Belchertown | 1,332 | 901 | 976 | 3,209 |
| Chesterfield | 283 | 207 | 183 | 673 |
| Conway | 593 | 288 | 313 | 1,194 |
| Deerfield | 1,476 | 800 | 750 | 3,026 |
| Goshen | 240 | 171 | 167 | 578 |
| Huntington | 839 | 107 | 120 | 1,066 |
| Leverett | 592 | 245 | 332 | 1,169 |
| Montague | 2,016 | 1,178 | 1,004 | 4,198 |
| New Salem | 253 | 186 | 151 | 590 |
| Pelham | 386 | 190 | 288 | 864 |
| Shutesbury | 593 | 249 | 330 | 1,172 |
| Sunderland | 830 | 469 | 454 | 1,753 |
| Wendell | 272 | 98 | 164 | 534 |
| Whately | 432 | 260 | 243 | 935 |
| Williamsburg | 744 | 391 | 450 | 1,585 |
| Worthington | 332 | 233 | 222 | 787 |
| **TOTALS** | **11,213** | **5,973** | **6,147** | **23,333** |

## SPECIAL STATE PRIMARIES AND ELECTIONS
## STATE SENATE (TO FILL VACANCY)
## Special State Primary February 3, 2004

### Democratic Primary

| Norfolk, Bristol & Middlesex District | Richard W. Gatto of Needham | James F. Klocke of Wellesley | Ronald C. Lipof of Sherborn | Daniel P. Matthews of Needham | Angus G. McQuilken of Millis | Terence P. Noonan of Needham | All Others | Blanks | Total Votes Cast |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ATTLEBORO | 37 | 162 | 2 | 37 | 174 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 424 |
| Franklin | 27 | 12 | 7 | 47 | 165 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 272 |
| Millis | 13 | 17 | 6 | 27 | 424 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 492 |
| Natick | 79 | 144 | 17 | 49 | 582 | 17 | 2 | 3 | 893 |
| Needham | 1,218 | 359 | 63 | 1,017 | 1,053 | 51 | 5 | 11 | 3,777 |
| Norfolk | 15 | 22 | 6 | 15 | 197 | 6 | 2 | 9 | 272 |
| North Attleborough | 26 | 53 | 6 | 69 | 403 | 16 | 4 | 8 | 585 |
| Plainville | 10 | 21 | 8 | 15 | 150 | 10 | 8 | 2 | 224 |
| Sherborn | 13 | 34 | 50 | 10 | 152 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 267 |
| Wayland | 83 | 106 | 18 | 52 | 402 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 672 |
| Wellesley | 57 | 194 | 3 | 34 | 396 | 4 | - | 5 | 693 |
| Wrentham | 27 | 26 | 10 | 40 | 298 | 9 | 3 | 17 | 430 |
| **TOTALS** | **1,605** | **1,150** | **196** | **1,412** | **4,396** | **139** | **30** | **73** | **9,001** |

### Republican Primary

| Norfolk, Bristol & Middlesex District | Scott P. Brown of Wrentham | Earl Henry Sholley of North Attleborough | All Others | Blanks | Total Votes Cast |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ATTLEBORO | 194 | 70 | - | 2 | 266 |
| Franklin | 137 | 33 | - | 2 | 172 |
| Millis | 248 | 27 | - | 4 | 279 |
| Natick | 272 | 73 | 2 | 1 | 348 |
| Needham | 1,059 | 101 | 15 | 18 | 1,193 |
| Norfolk | 502 | 23 | 1 | 5 | 531 |
| North Attleborough | 502 | 194 | 2 | 7 | 705 |
| Plainville | 244 | 45 | - | 1 | 290 |
| Sherborn | 117 | 33 | - | 3 | 153 |
| Wayland | 274 | 25 | - | 4 | 303 |
| Wellesley | 270 | 21 | - | 2 | 293 |
| Wrentham | 572 | 67 | 2 | 2 | 643 |
| **TOTALS** | **4,391** | **712** | **22** | **51** | **5,176** |

## SPECIAL STATE PRIMARIES AND ELECTIONS
## STATE SENATE (TO FILL VACANCY)
### Special State Primary February 3, 2004

### Special State Election March 2, 2004

| Norfolk, Bristol & Middlesex District | Scott P. Brown of Wrentham | ANgus G. McQuilken of Millis | All Others | Blanks | Total Votes Cast |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ATTLEBORO | 1,253 | 1,147 | 10 | 8 | 2,418 |
| Franklin | 900 | 964 | 2 | 14 | 1,880 |
| Millis | 1,036 | 1,044 | 3 | 9 | 2,092 |
| Natick | 1,444 | 2,035 | 6 | 20 | 3,505 |
| Needham | 3,894 | 4,888 | 29 | 22 | 8,833 |
| Norfolk | 1,573 | 805 | 4 | 26 | 2,408 |
| North Attleborough | 2,938 | 1,803 | 4 | 43 | 4,777 |
| Plainville | 1,024 | 606 | 1 | 5 | 1,636 |
| Sherborn | 580 | 641 | 2 | 13 | 1,236 |
| Wayland | 1,363 | 2,158 | 7 | 34 | 3,562 |
| Wellesley | 986 | 1,410 | 5 | 11 | 2,412 |
| Wrentham | 1,876 | 1,017 | 2 | 11 | 2,906 |
| **TOTALS** | **18,867** | **18,518** | **75** | **205** | **37,665** |

## SPECIAL STATE PRIMARIES AND ELECTIONS
## STATE REPRESENTATIVE (TO FILL VACANCY)
### Special State Primary April 1, 2003

| Fifth Norfolk District | Democratic Primary | | | | | | | Republican Primary | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Leland A. Dingee of Braintree | Joseph R. Driscoll, Jr. of Braintree | Joseph F. Powers of Braintree | Joseph P. Walsh, Jr. of Brainttee | All Others | Blanks | Total Votes Cast | Matthew R. Sisk of Braintree | All Others | Blanks | Total Votes Cast |
| Braintree | 1,037 | 2,256 | 1,885 | 524 | 17 | 31 | 5,750 | 984 | 25 | 88 | 1,097 |
| Holbrook | 55 | 147 | 26 | 26 | - | 2 | 256 | 78 | 1 | 4 | 83 |
| Randolph | 57 | 170 | 73 | 161 | 1 | 24 | 486 | 96 | - | 3 | 99 |
| **TOTALS** | **1,149** | **2,573** | **1,984** | **711** | **18** | **57** | **6,492** | **1,158** | **26** | **95** | **1,279** |

### Special State Election May 13, 2003

| Fifth Norfolk District | Joseph R. Driscoll, Jr. of Braintree Democratic | Matthew R. Sisk of Braintree Republican | All Others | Blanks | Total Votes Cast |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Braintree | | | | | |
| Pct. 1 | 510 | 452 | 3 | 26 | 991 |
| 2 | 493 | 453 | 7 | 26 | 979 |
| 3 | 481 | 424 | 17 | 38 | 960 |
| 4 | 432 | 437 | 19 | 35 | 923 |
| 5 | 511 | 448 | 14 | 38 | 1,011 |
| 6 | 417 | 310 | 9 | 29 | 765 |
| 7 | 391 | 381 | 7 | 27 | 806 |
| 8 | 312 | 308 | 13 | 18 | 651 |
| 9 | 436 | 430 | 8 | 35 | 909 |
| 10 | 495 | 393 | 17 | 71 | 976 |
| 11 | 456 | 570 | 14 | 29 | 1,069 |
| 12 | 545 | 456 | 13 | 80 | 1,094 |
| Holbrook | | | | | |
| Pct. 1 | 115 | 184 | - | 1 | 300 |
| Randolph | | | | | |
| Pct. 3 | 403 | 322 | 5 | 20 | 750 |
| **TOTALS** | **5,997** | **5,568** | **146** | **473** | **12,184** |

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