

SENATE No. 2616, Appendix A

Senate, March 26, 2020 -- A report of the Senate Committee on Ethics concerning the conduct of Senator Dean A. Tran so much as relates to Resolutions resolving the investigation of the conduct of the Honorable Dean A. Tran, Senator from the Worcester and Middlesex District.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court
(2019-2020)**

Resolutions resolving the investigation of the conduct of the Honorable Dean A. Tran, Senator from the Worcester and Middlesex District.

1 WHEREAS, THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ETHICS HAS DETERMINED THAT
2 SENATOR TRAN VIOLATED SENATE RULE 10A; AND

3 WHEREAS, SENATE RULE 12A PERMITS THE IMPOSITION OF DISCIPLINE
4 FOR A VIOLATION OF SENATE RULE 10A, ANY OTHER SENATE RULE OR OTHER
5 MISCONDUCT; THEREFORE BE IT

6 RESOLVED, THAT THE SENATOR FROM THE WORCESTER AND MIDDLESEX
7 DISTRICT, MR. DEAN A. TRAN, SHALL BE REMOVED AS ASSISTANT MINORITY
8 WHIP FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE 2019-2020 LEGISLATIVE SESSION; AND BE IT
9 FURTHER

10 RESOLVED, THAT SENATOR TRAN'S PERSONAL OFFICE SHALL BE
11 RELOCATED TO SOME AVAILABLE SPACE IN THE STATE HOUSE FOR THE
12 REMAINDER OF THE 2019-2020 LEGISLATIVE SESSION; AND BE IT FURTHER

13 RESOLVED, THAT SENATOR TRAN SHALL BE SEGREGATED FROM HIS
14 STAFF, WHO WILL CONTINUE TO SERVE CONSTITUENTS IN SENATOR TRAN'S
15 CURRENT PHYSICAL OFFICE, AND THAT HIS CONTACT WITH THEM SHALL BE
16 ONLY IN WRITING THROUGH OFFICIAL SENATE EMAIL AND STRICTLY LIMITED
17 TO OFFICIAL SENATE BUSINESS FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE 2019-2020
18 LEGISLATIVE SESSION; AND BE IT FURTHER

19 RESOLVED, THAT THIS REPORT, THE ALLEGATIONS CONCERNING
20 SENATOR TRAN'S OCTOBER 2019 SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET AMENDMENT AND
21 ANY SUPPORTING MATERIALS THAT THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ETHICS, IN
22 CONSULTATION WITH SENATE COUNSEL, DEEMS APPROPRIATE SHALL BE
23 REFERRED TO THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION AND THE OFFICE OF CAMPAIGN
24 AND POLITICAL FINANCE.