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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The House convened at 1 p.m., e.s.t.

**THE SPEAKER (MATTHEW J. RYAN)
PRESIDING**

PRAYER

REV. ROBERT A. GRAYBILL, Chaplain of the House of Representatives and pastor of Baughman Memorial United Methodist Church, New Cumberland, Pennsylvania, offered the following prayer:

Let us pause and remember the veterans of all wars who call the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania their home this day. For some of us, we can recall the faces of our comrades when we held the line and remained strong. For others of us, the face of an older gentleman might come to our mind, for we know he has given an important part of his life in battle to defend the principles and the values of our country. Could you just pause for a moment and try to picture one or two or more of those people and keep them in your thoughts as I pray.

Let us pray:

Almighty God, we pause in honor of the persons we have just remembered, plus thousands more who have given of their earthly life, to defend the causes of freedom and to protect our dreams for a land where Your peace shall be experienced fully. We give You thanks for the veterans of all wars and conflicts, who have sacrificed of themselves so their families and friends can live calmly within this great land. We ask of You, O God, that Your hope surround the veterans who still struggle each day, some with pains of body and soul and some with uncertainty and heartache about their future. Refresh their spirits with Thy tender love, we ask of You.

O Gracious God, we, too, pause to have our spirits refreshed with a sense of Your divine presence this day. As this great Assembly convenes, we ask that Your guiding hand be ever near to the men and women of this body. They have the task of upholding the freedom and the dreams for which our veterans have sacrificed. So, gracious God, come and touch our minds with ideas that shall initiate new hope among our people; come and touch our hearts with a deep sense of responsibility that produces plans that nurture the good within our Commonwealth; come and touch our souls so we are moved by Thy gracious love and can make decisions that shape our Commonwealth into the land that You desire it to be.

Almighty God, in the midst of reviewing plans, studying bills, making decisions, and setting policies, may this body of human beings feel the divine presence of You, so our veterans' sacrifices were not in vain and the giving of our service was not wasted but shall continue to produce a Commonwealth that dreams are alive and freedom is foremost.

In the name of our gracious God, we pause to be refreshed. Amen.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

(The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by members and visitors.)

JOURNAL APPROVAL POSTPONED

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the approval of the Journal of Wednesday, October 9, 1996, will be postponed until printed. The Chair hears no objection.

JOURNALS APPROVED

The SPEAKER. The following Journals are in print and, without objection, stand approved:

Monday, March 18, 1996;
Tuesday, March 19, 1996;
Wednesday, March 20, 1996;
Thursday, March 21, 1996;
Monday, March 25, 1996;
Tuesday, March 26, 1996;
Wednesday, March 27, 1996;
Tuesday, April 9, 1996;
Wednesday, April 10, 1996;
Monday, April 29, 1996;
Tuesday, April 30, 1996;
Wednesday, May 1, 1996;
Monday, May 6, 1996; and
Tuesday, May 7, 1996.

RULES COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Perzel, who requests an immediate meeting of the Rules Committee at the majority leader's desk.

COMMUNICATION**LOBBYIST LIST PRESENTED**

The SPEAKER. The Chair acknowledges receipt of a list of lobbyists who have registered under the Lobbying Registration and Regulation Act, which the clerk will file.

The following communication was submitted:

The General Assembly of Pennsylvania
Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

November 1, 1996

To the Honorable, the Senate
of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
To the Honorable, the House of Representatives
of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

In compliance with Act No. 712 of the 1961 Session and Act No. 212 of the 1976 Session of the General Assembly titled the "Lobbying Registration and Regulation Act," we herewith jointly present a list containing the names and addresses of the persons who have registered from October 1, 1996 through October 31, 1996 inclusive, for the 180th Session of the General Assembly. This list also contains the names and addresses of the organizations represented by these registrants.

Respectfully submitted:
Mark R. Corrigan, Secretary
Senate of Pennsylvania

Ted Mazia, Chief Clerk
House of Representatives

(For list, see Appendix.)

**BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEES,
CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED**

HB 2049, PN 2548 (Amended) By Rep. MICOZZIE

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for required financial responsibility and for fees for reinstatement.

INSURANCE.

HB 2391, PN 3111 By Rep. BOYES

An Act amending the act of March 11, 1971 (P.L.104, No.3), known as the Senior Citizens Rebate and Assistance Act, further defining "income."

FINANCE.

SB 31, PN 2379 (Amended) By Rep. MICOZZIE

An Act amending the act of May 17, 1921 (P. L. 682, No. 284), entitled "The Insurance Company Law of 1921," further providing for investments, for certificates of authority for issuance of nonassessable

policies, for life and endowment insurance and annuities, for limitation on actions, for alternative plan of conversion and for mutual companies insolvent or in hazardous financial condition.

INSURANCE.

SB 1165, PN 1361

By Rep. CIVERA

An Act amending the act of July 20, 1974 (P. L. 564, No. 193), entitled "Peer Review Protection Act," extending the protection given by the act to review committees of associations of veterinarians; and redefining "professional health care providers" to include veterinarians.

PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE.**BILL REMOVED FROM TABLE**

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader. Mr. PERZEL. Mr. Speaker, I move that SB 31 be removed from the table.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion ?
Motion was agreed to.

BILL RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader. Mr. PERZEL. Mr. Speaker, I move that SB 31 be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion ?
Motion was agreed to.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM GOVERNOR**APPROVAL OF HOUSE BILLS**

The Speaker laid before the House communications in writing from the office of His Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, advising that the following House bills had been approved and signed by the Governor:

HB 664, HB 1053, HB 1166, HB 1886, HB 1985, HB 2024, HB 2388, and HB 2695.

ACTUARIAL NOTES

The SPEAKER. The Chair acknowledges receipt from the Public Employee Retirement Commission of an actuarial note for HB 2399, PN 3773, and an actuarial note for HB 225, PN 207.

(Copies of actuarial notes are on file with the Journal clerk.)

**HOUSE BILLS
INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

No. 2960 By Representative HESS

An Act providing for health insurance coverage for chelation therapy.

Referred to Committee on INSURANCE, October 10, 1996.

No. 2961 By Representatives GIGLIOTTI, KENNEY, DeLUCA, MELIO, TRICH, PESCI, DERMODY, COLAIZZO, HALUSKA, LESCOVITZ, TANGRETTI, VAN HORNE, READSHAW, LAUGHLIN, COWELL, PISTELLA, LEVDANSKY, STABACK, BUTKOVITZ and KELLER

An Act amending the act of December 17, 1981 (P.L.435, No.135), known as the Race Horse Industry Reform Act, providing for certain gaming devices to operate at racetracks; imposing additional powers and duties on the State Horse Racing Commission and the State Harness Racing Commission; imposing taxes and licensing fees; and creating the State Gaming Device Fund.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, October 10, 1996.

No. 2962 By Representatives PESCI, VAN HORNE, MERRY, CAPPABIANCA, MARKOSEK, BELARDI, TRAVAGLIO, E. Z. TAYLOR, WALKO, TRELLO, ITKIN, YOUNGBLOOD and MELIO

An Act amending the act of July 9, 1990 (P.L.340, No.78), known as the Public Safety Emergency Telephone Act, further providing for contributions from wireless telephone subscribers and for access to the 911 emergency communications system by wireless subscribers; and making editorial changes.

Referred to Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, October 10, 1996.

No. 2963 By Representatives SAYLOR, FEESE, HENNESSEY, BROWNE, SHEEHAN, TIGUE, FARGO, LEVDANSKY, TRELLO, LYNCH, MILLER, MUNDY, McCALL, PLATTS, YOUNGBLOOD, SCRIMENTI, BARD and LUCYK

An Act amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for alimony.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, October 10, 1996.

No. 2964 By Representatives PHILLIPS, GEIST, YOUNGBLOOD, FAIRCHILD, ALLEN, BELFANTI, BELARDI, ROBERTS, MERRY, LEDERER, FARGO, SCHULER, PETTIT, B. SMITH, STERN, BROWN, MUNDY, ROONEY, LYNCH, McCALL, STABACK, HENNESSEY, M. COHEN, DENT, BARD, RUBLEY, WALKO, L. I. COHEN, DeLUCA, COLAIZZO, TRUE, HASAY, TRELLO, KAISER, HORSEY, MILLER, LUCYK, SATHER and HESS

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for the offense of unauthorized school bus entry.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, October 10, 1996.

No. 2965 By Representatives HASAY, BLAUM, TIGUE, CAWLEY, MUNDY and JAROLIN

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, regulating appropriations to the Department of Corrections.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, October 10, 1996.

No. 2966 By Representatives SATHER, MICOZZIE, COLAFELLA, REINARD, COLAIZZO, GEIST, DEMPSEY, ROONEY, GLADECK, HERMAN, PESCI, FICHTER and NICKOL

An Act amending the act of July 22, 1974 (P.L.589, No.205), known as the Unfair Insurance Practices Act, regulating financial institutions in relation to the offering of insurance; providing for certain powers and duties of the Insurance Department; requiring and prohibiting certain practices; requiring disclosure to consumers; providing for certain confidentiality, for enforcement and for civil penalties.

Referred to Committee on INSURANCE, October 10, 1996.

No. 2967 By Representatives BISHOP, MELIO, GIGLIOTTI, ROEBUCK, THOMAS, CORRIGAN, BELARDI, DeLUCA, MIHALICH, TRUE, TANGRETTI, RAMOS, WILLIAMS, SHANER, SAINATO, COWELL, HORSEY, ROBINSON, HANNA, DALEY, ITKIN, PETRARCA, YOUNGBLOOD, KUKOVICH, WASHINGTON, MYERS, JAMES, OLIVER, STABACK, JOSEPHS, E. Z. TAYLOR, J. TAYLOR and LEDERER

An Act providing for lead-level testing of playgrounds, schools and parks; and making an appropriation.

Referred to Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, October 10, 1996.

No. 2968 By Representatives HANNA, SAYLOR, HERSHEY, WOGAN, HALUSKA, TRELLO, MERRY and SHANER

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for verdicts and preemptory challenges in criminal cases.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, October 10, 1996.

No. 2969 By Representatives HANNA, DALEY, ROBINSON, M. COHEN and CURRY

An Act designating a certain bridge on SR 2012 in Castanea Township, Clinton County, as the Castanea Firemen's Memorial Bridge.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, October 10, 1996.

No. 2970 By Representatives TIGUE, O'BRIEN, LUCYK, READSHAW, FICHTER, FAIRCHILD, MERRY, CAPPABIANCA, SHANER, BATTISTO, PETRARCA, MELIO, BELFANTI, WOGAN, MUNDY, HALUSKA, BELARDI, EGOLF, TRAVAGLIO, DALEY, DeLUCA, McCALL, E. Z. TAYLOR, COLAFELLA, STABACK, HASAY, SEMMEL, OLASZ, STERN, SATHER, ROBERTS, COWELL, SCRIMENTI, NAILOR, HORSEY, CORPORA, TRELLO, ROONEY and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for termination of leases.

Referred to Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, October 10, 1996.

No. 2971 By Representatives COLAFELLA, TRELLO, E. Z. TAYLOR, LAUGHLIN, BELARDI, GEORGE, READSHAW, MERRY, LEDERER, KUKOVICH, M. COHEN, MELIO, SCHRODER, MARKOSEK, COLAIZZO, FARMER, B. SMITH, RUBLEY, SANTONI, SHANER, STABACK, JAROLIN, JOSEPHS, TIGUE, WALKO, OLASZ, DeLUCA, TRAVAGLIO, SAYLOR, CORPORA, HALUSKA, BELFANTI, YOUNGBLOOD, CURRY, LUCYK and FLICK

An Act amending the act of November 30, 1965 (P.L.847, No.356), known as the Banking Code of 1965, further providing for fees for revolving credit plans.

Referred to Committee on COMMERCE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, October 10, 1996.

No. 2972 By Representatives SEMMEL, DENT, D. W. SNYDER, GRUPPO, TRELLO, ALLEN, RUBLEY, HERSHEY, YOUNGBLOOD, SAYLOR, ARGALL, HENNESSEY and KIRKLAND

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for payments to special funds.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, October 10, 1996.

No. 2973 By Representatives E. Z. TAYLOR, SHEEHAN, GEORGE, M. COHEN, STABACK, LEDERER, CHADWICK, BEBKO-JONES, MELIO, LAUGHLIN, MERRY, KAISER, BAKER, FARMER, TRELLO, FAIRCHILD, BELFANTI, OLASZ, DiGIROLAMO, GODSHALL, WALKO, HESS, PLATTS, TRUE, RUBLEY, THOMAS, DENT, DEMPSEY,

GEIST, BUNT, BELARDI, MILLER, ITKIN, GIGLIOTTI, MYERS, ROBINSON, FICHTER, SAINATO, LUCYK, LYNCH, KING, L. I. COHEN, YOUNGBLOOD, HENNESSEY, PETTIT, JAMES, PISTELLA, TRAVAGLIO, KENNEY, MAJOR, WOGAN, SATHER and PHILLIPS

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for a Pennsylvania Armed Conflict Service Medal; and making an appropriation.

Referred to Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, October 10, 1996.

No. 2974 By Representatives E. Z. TAYLOR, PLATTS, OLASZ, THOMAS, PESCI, SERAFINI, STURLA, FAJT, YOUNGBLOOD, GIGLIOTTI, LEDERER, L. I. COHEN, ADOLPH, BELFANTI, CURRY, HORSEY, STEELMAN, ROBINSON, BELARDI, McCALL, DeLUCA, GRUPPO, MUNDY, CAWLEY, KIRKLAND, TRELLO, JAMES and WASHINGTON

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for general requirements for school buses.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, October 10, 1996.

No. 2975 By Representatives STURLA, COWELL, COY, NAILOR, FAIRCHILD, ROBERTS, KUKOVICH, MELIO, GORDNER, BATTISTO, HALUSKA, LUCYK, STABACK, TRAVAGLIO, BAKER, BELARDI, WOGAN, DeLUCA, TRELLO, TIGUE, ROONEY, YOUNGBLOOD, McCALL, PETRARCA, M. COHEN, SANTONI, BOSCOLA, BELFANTI, JOSEPHS and JAMES

An Act amending the act of June 29, 1996 (P.L. . No.1A), known as the General Appropriation Act of 1996, increasing the appropriation for vocational education payments.

Referred to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, October 10, 1996.

No. 2976 By Representatives BOSCOLA, DENT, MARKOSEK, RUBLEY, GRUPPO, M. COHEN, SAYLOR, ITKIN, PLATTS, RUDY, L. I. COHEN, MUNDY, GODSHALL, E. Z. TAYLOR, FAJT, LEVDANSKY, CORPORA, ROBINSON, STEELMAN, KUKOVICH, JOSEPHS, GIGLIOTTI and McGILL

An Act providing rights with respect to breastfeeding in public and private places where a woman is otherwise authorized to be.

Referred to Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, October 10, 1996.

No. 2977 By Representatives BOSCOLA, DENT, MARKOSEK, RUBLEY, GRUPPO, M. COHEN, SAYLOR, ITKIN, PLATTS, RUDY, L. I. COHEN, MUNDY, GODSHALL, E. Z. TAYLOR, FAJT, LEVDANSKY, CORPORA, ROBINSON, STEELMAN, KUKOVICH, JOSEPHS, GIGLIOTTI and McGILL

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing that breastfeeding is not violative of law and for exceptions to certain offenses for breastfeeding.

Referred to Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, October 10, 1996.

No. 2978 By Representatives BELFANTI, DeWEESE, VEON, M. COHEN, CAPPABIANCA, STURLA, KUKOVICH, LAUGHLIN, LaGROTTA, BELARDI, YEWIC, RUDY, ROBINSON, PRESTON, LUCYK, MERRY, MANDERINO, STABACK, TIGUE, WALKO, GIGLIOTTI, MIHALICH, VAN HORNE, OLIVER, YOUNGBLOOD, HALUSKA, PISTELLA and SHANER

An Act providing for certain records and other information to be returned and made available by nursing homes; and providing for additional duties of the Department of Public Welfare.

Referred to Committee on AGING AND YOUTH, October 10, 1996.

No. 2979 By Representatives OLASZ, KING, COLAIZZO, STABACK, MERRY, READSHAW, PESCI, DeLUCA, CLARK, RAMOS, MELIO, YOUNGBLOOD, SHANER, BOSCOLA and STEELMAN

An Act amending the act of December 29, 1972 (P.L.1701, No.364), known as the Health Maintenance Organization Act, providing for managed care plans.

Referred to Committee on INSURANCE, October 10, 1996.

No. 2980 By Representatives GRUPPO, SERAFINI, LUCYK, SATHER, FICHTER, DeLUCA, COWELL, ROBERTS, LAUGHLIN, STERN, THOMAS, GEIST, BELARDI, HERSHEY, BLAUM, FEESE, KENNEY, COLAFELLA, TRUE, B. SMITH, BEBKO-JONES, MILLER, DiGIROLAMO, PISTELLA, BROWNE, RUDY, RAMOS, JAROLIN, WAUGH, L. I. COHEN, PITTS, EGOLF, CLARK, HESS, YOUNGBLOOD, CLYMER, BARD, HORSEY, KIRKLAND and STEELMAN

An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, prohibiting certain licensees from advertising on billboards within 1,000 feet of any real property on which a public, private or parochial school is located.

Referred to Committee on LIQUOR CONTROL, October 10, 1996.

No. 2981 By Representatives TIGUE, BATTISTO, CORRIGAN, BELARDI, STABACK, SAYLOR, MELIO, WAUGH, ARGALL, READSHAW, MERRY, GEORGE, KUKOVICH, SCHULER, DEMPSEY, GORDNER, FAIRCHILD, PETTIT, TRELLO, STISH, VAN HORNE, LEDERER, MUNDY, E. Z. TAYLOR, FARGO, SHANER, COLAIZZO, McCALL, OLASZ, JAROLIN, HENNESSEY, JOSEPHS, DeLUCA, PISTELLA, TRAVAGLIO, D. W. SNYDER, CORPORA, HALUSKA, BELFANTI, YOUNGBLOOD, SCRIMENTI, LUCYK, ITKIN, COLAFELLA, S. H. SMITH and LAUGHLIN

An Act amending the act of February 1, 1966 (1965 P.L.1656, No.581), known as The Borough Code, providing for training for fire company personnel.

Referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, October 10, 1996.

No. 2982 By Representatives BATTISTO, TIGUE, CORRIGAN, BELARDI, STABACK, SAYLOR, MELIO, WAUGH, ARGALL, READSHAW, MERRY, GEORGE, KUKOVICH, SCHULER, DEMPSEY, GORDNER, FAIRCHILD, PETTIT, TRELLO, STISH, VAN HORNE, LEDERER, MUNDY, E. Z. TAYLOR, FARGO, SHANER, COLAIZZO, McCALL, OLASZ, JAROLIN, HENNESSEY, JOSEPHS, DeLUCA, PISTELLA, TRAVAGLIO, D. W. SNYDER, CORPORA, HALUSKA, BELFANTI, YOUNGBLOOD, SCRIMENTI, LUCYK, ITKIN, COLAFELLA, S. H. SMITH and LAUGHLIN

An Act amending the act of June 24, 1931 (P.L.1206, No.331), known as The First Class Township Code, providing for training for fire company personnel.

Referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, October 10, 1996.

No. 2983 By Representatives BATTISTO, TIGUE, CORRIGAN, BELARDI, STABACK, SAYLOR, MELIO, WAUGH, ARGALL, READSHAW, MERRY, GEORGE, KUKOVICH, SCHULER, DEMPSEY, GORDNER, FAIRCHILD, PETTIT, TRELLO, STISH, VAN HORNE, LEDERER, MUNDY, E. Z. TAYLOR, FARGO, SHANER, COLAIZZO, McCALL, OLASZ, JAROLIN, HENNESSEY, JOSEPHS, DeLUCA, PISTELLA, TRAVAGLIO, D. W. SNYDER, CORPORA, HALUSKA, BELFANTI, YOUNGBLOOD, SCRIMENTI, LUCYK, ITKIN, COLAFELLA, S. H. SMITH and LAUGHLIN

An Act amending the act of May 1, 1933 (P.L.103, No.69), known as The Second Class Township Code, providing for appropriations for training fire company personnel.

Referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, October 10, 1996.

No. 2984 By Representatives BATTISTO, TIGUE, CORRIGAN, BELARDI, STABACK, SAYLOR, MELIO, WAUGH, ARGALL, READSHAW, MERRY, GEORGE, KUKOVICH, SCHULER, DEMPSEY, GORDNER, FAIRCHILD, PETTIT, TRELLO, STISH, VAN HORNE, LEDERER, MUNDY, E. Z. TAYLOR, FARGO, SHANER, COLAIZZO, McCALL, OLASZ, JAROLIN, HENNESSEY, JOSEPHS, DeLUCA, PISTELLA, TRAVAGLIO, D. W. SNYDER, CORPORA, HALUSKA, BELFANTI, YOUNGBLOOD, SCRIMENTI, LUCYK, ITKIN, COLAFELLA, S. H. SMITH and LAUGHLIN

An Act amending the act of June 23, 1931 (P.L.932, No.317), known as The Third Class City Code, further providing for fire bureaus.

Referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, October 10, 1996.

No. 2985 By Representatives PETRARCA, MARKOSEK, LAUGHLIN, VAN HORNE, RUDY, BELARDI, WALKO, TRELLO, CAPPABIANCA, TRAVAGLIO, MERRY, BEBKO-JONES, TIGUE, ITKIN, TANGRETTI, HALUSKA, ROONEY, READSHAW, KUKOVICH, E. Z. TAYLOR, HENNESSEY, RAMOS, CURRY, ROBERTS, YOUNGBLOOD, MELIO and CLARK

An Act amending the act of July 9, 1990 (P.L.340, No.78), known as the Public Safety Emergency Telephone Act, providing for telephone customer service addresses to be printed on service bills.

Referred to Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, October 10, 1996.

No. 2986 By Representatives BELARDI, CAWLEY and STABACK

An Act providing for restrictions on purchases of real property in second class A cities.

Referred to Committee on URBAN AFFAIRS, October 15, 1996.

No. 2987 By Representatives BELARDI, CAWLEY and STABACK

An Act providing for compliance with building codes in second class A cities; and imposing penalties.

Referred to Committee on URBAN AFFAIRS, October 15, 1996.

No. 2988 By Representatives BELARDI, CAWLEY and STABACK

An Act providing for the crime of municipal housing code avoidance in cities of the second class A.

Referred to Committee on URBAN AFFAIRS, October 15, 1996.

No. 2989 By Representatives BELARDI, CAWLEY and STABACK

An Act regulating repurchase of property at judicial tax sales in cities of the second class A.

Referred to Committee on URBAN AFFAIRS, October 15, 1996.

No. 2990 By Representatives BELARDI, CAWLEY and STABACK

An Act amending the act of April 14, 1937 (P.L.313, No.87), entitled, as amended, "An act to enable cities of the first, second, and second class A, incorporated towns, boroughs, and townships, to govern and regulate by ordinance the construction, alteration, repairs, occupation, maintenance, sanitation, lighting, ventilation, water supply, toilet facilities, drainage, use and inspection of all buildings and housing and land appurtenant thereto; providing for the enforcement of such

ordinances; and repealing existing laws," providing for property maintenance ordinances in cities of the second class A and for fines and penalties.

Referred to Committee on URBAN AFFAIRS, October 15, 1996.

No. 2991 By Representatives PETRARCA, ITKIN, BELARDI, COWELL, CORRIGAN, TIGUE, KENNEY, TRAVAGLIO, DERMODY, READSHAW, DONATUCCI, MELIO, TANGRETTI, WALKO, DALEY, MIHALICH, ROBERTS, STABACK, E. Z. TAYLOR, LUCYK, HENNESSEY, BELFANTI, CARN, MANDERINO, MUNDY, TRELLO and KUKOVICH

An Act amending the act of March 28, 1984 (P.L.150, No.28), known as the Automobile Lemon Law, extending the act to include leased vehicles, motorcycles, motor homes, off-road vehicles and commercial vehicles; and further providing for definitions.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, October 28, 1996.

No. 2992 By Representative WALKO

An Act amending the act of August 1, 1975 (P.L.169, No.87), entitled "An act relating to pensions for employees of the City of Pittsburgh," further providing for pension allowance.

Referred to Committee on URBAN AFFAIRS, October 31, 1996.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION
INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

No. 468 By Representatives COLAFELLA, ITKIN, TRELLO, THOMAS, BELARDI, FICHTER, WALKO, ROBERTS, CORRIGAN, STABACK, BATTISTO, SCHRODER, M. N. WRIGHT, E. Z. TAYLOR, SHANER, TANGRETTI, BOSCOLA, CAPPABIANCA, HESS, MERRY, RAMOS, YOUNGBLOOD and CONTI

A Resolution urging the Insurance Commissioner to actively monitor compliance with the Motor Vehicle Physical Damage Appraiser Act.

Referred to Committee on RULES, October 10, 1996.

SENATE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE

The clerk of the Senate, being introduced, presented the following bills for concurrence:

SB 484, PN 2316

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, October 10, 1996.

SB 1128, PN 2329

Referred to Committee on COMMERCE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, October 10, 1996.

SB 1158, PN 2330

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, October 10, 1996.

SB 1444, PN 2331

Referred to Committee on GAME AND FISHERIES, October 10, 1996.

SB 1469, PN 2012

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, October 10, 1996.

SB 1499, PN 2038

Referred to Committee on INSURANCE, October 10, 1996.

SB 1577, PN 2068

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, October 10, 1996.

SB 1579, PN 2141

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, October 10, 1996.

SB 1581, PN 2072

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, October 10, 1996.

SB 1595, PN 2332

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, October 10, 1996.

SB 1596, PN 2333

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, October 10, 1996.

SB 1638, PN 2335

Referred to Committee on AGRICULTURE AND RURAL AFFAIRS, October 10, 1996.

SB 1681, PN 2336

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, October 10, 1996.

**BILLS ON CONCURRENCE
REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE**

HB 1757, PN 4123

By Rep. PERZEL

An Act amending Title 68 (Real and Personal Property) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, adding provisions relating to planned communities.

RULES.

HB 2091, PN 4198 (Amended)

By Rep. PERZEL

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for examination of applicant for driver's license; providing for physical examinations; further providing for qualifications for school bus driver endorsement; providing for a driver's license compact; and further providing for the operation of school buses, for driving under the influence of alcohol or controlled substances, for snow plow lamps, for permits for movement of wooden structures and for financial responsibility.

RULES.

HB 2380, PN 4071

By Rep. PERZEL

An Act amending the act of October 21, 1988 (P.L.1036, No.116), known as the Hardwoods Development Council Act, further providing for definitions, for the Hardwoods Development Council and for the council's powers and duties; and providing for a transfer of functions from the Department of Community and Economic Development to the Department of Agriculture.

RULES.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Barley, for the purpose of taking leaves of absence.

Mr. BARLEY. Yes. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I do have a request for a leave for the gentleman from Montgomery County, Mr. BUNT, for the day.

The SPEAKER. Without objection, leave shall be granted. The Chair hears none.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Itkin, who requests leave for the gentleman from Lawrence, Mr. LaGROTTA, for today's session. Without objection, leave will be granted. The Chair hears none.

BILLS REMOVED FROM TABLE

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. PERZEL. Mr. Speaker, on page 4 of today's tabled calendar, I move that HB 2498 be taken off the table, and on page 9, I move that HB 2887 be taken off the table.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion?
Motion was agreed to.

BILLS RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.
Mr. PERZEL. Mr. Speaker, I move that HB 2498 and HB 2887 be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion?
Motion was agreed to.

MASTER ROLL CALL

The SPEAKER. The Chair is about to take today's master roll call. Members will proceed to vote.

The following roll call was recorded:

PRESENT—201

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| Adolph | Evans | Lynch | Saylor |
| Allen | Fairchild | Maitland | Schroder |
| Argall | Fajt | Major | Schuler |
| Armstrong | Fargo | Manderino | Scrimenti |
| Baker | Farmer | Markosek | Semmel |
| Bard | Feese | Marsico | Serafini |
| Barley | Fichter | Masland | Shaner |
| Battisto | Fleagle | Mayernik | Sheehan |
| Bebko-Jones | Flick | McCall | Smith, B. |
| Belardi | Gamble | McGeehan | Smith, S. H. |
| Belfanti | Gannon | McGill | Snyder, D. W. |
| Birmelin | Geist | Melio | Staback |
| Bishop | George | Merry | Stairs |
| Blaum | Gigliotti | Michlovic | Steelman |
| Boscola | Gladeck | Micozzie | Steil |
| Boyes | Godshall | Mihalich | Stern |
| Brown | Gordner | Miller | Stetler |
| Browne | Gruitza | Mundy | Stish |
| Butkovitz | Gruppo | Myers | Strittmatter |
| Buxton | Habay | Nailor | Sturla |
| Caltagirone | Haluska | Nickol | Surra |
| Cappabianca | Hanna | Nyce | Tangretti |
| Carn | Harhart | O'Brien | Taylor, E. Z. |
| Carone | Hasay | Olasz | Taylor, J. |
| Cawley | Haste | Oliver | Thomas |
| Chadwick | Hennessey | Perzel | Tigue |
| Civera | Herman | Pesci | Travaglio |
| Clark | Hershey | Petrarca | Trello |
| Clymer | Hess | Petrone | Trich |
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| Cornell | Jarolin | Preston | Vitali |
| Corpora | Josephs | Ramos | Walko |
| Corrigan | Kaiser | Raymond | Washington |
| Cowell | Keller | Readshaw | Waugh |
| Coy | Kenney | Reber | Williams |
| Curry | King | Reinard | Wogan |
| Daley | Kirkland | Rieger | Wozniak |
| DeLuca | Krebs | Roberts | Wright, D. R. |
| Dempsey | Kukovich | Robinson | Wright, M. N. |
| Dent | Laughlin | Roebuck | Yewcic |
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| Druce | Levdansky | Sainato | Ryan, |
| Durham | Lloyd | Santoni | Speaker |
| Egolf | Lucyk | Sather | |

ADDITIONS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—2

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LEAVES ADDED—1

Washington

GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. The Chair is pleased to welcome to the hall of the House today a group of Junior Girl Scouts, Troop 71, Leola, Pennsylvania, here as the guests of the Lancaster delegation. They are located in the balcony. Would the Girl Scouts please rise.

As the guests of Representative Sheila Miller, Ms. Jennifer Gannon and Ryan Matthew Stubblebine. Jennifer and Ryan are students at Conrad Weiser High School and are here visiting with our video and television production staff. I would hope that you notice that gentleman's name. He got it a little bit backwards – Ryan Matthew – but he is on the right track. Would they please stand up. They are guest pages. Here they are, over here in the corner.

Here today as guests of Representative Peter Zug are Janine and Brandon Winebark, serving as guest pages on the floor. In addition, Kenneth and Janet Winebark, the parents of Janine and Brandon, are seated in the House gallery. Would the family please rise.

As the guests of Representative Steve Maitland, Mr. and Mrs. Jay McGlaughlin of Gettysburg, seated to the left of the Speaker. Mr. and Mrs. McGlaughlin.

As the guests of Representative Greg Vitali, from Delaware County there are four guest pages – Daniel Hawthorne, Eric Hawthorne, Sarah Adams, and Andrew Bell. Would the guest pages please rise.

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Blair, Mr. Geist.
Mr. GEIST. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, there will be an important meeting of the Transportation Committee at the call of the recess and before the caucus. It will take place right here by this microphone. So if we could have all the members of the Transportation Committee come by, it is an important informational meeting.

GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. The Chair is pleased to welcome to the hall today, as guest pages for Representative Allan Egolf, Nina Tepsich and Kristen Venum, eighth graders from Susquenita High School. Would these pages kindly rise.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Itkin, who asks that the Chair return to leaves of absence and asks that Ms. WASHINGTON be placed on leave of absence for today.

Without objection, leave will be granted. The Chair hears none.

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Pitts – Congressman-elect Pitts.

Mr. PITTS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to announce a meeting of the Appropriations Committee at 4 o'clock – 4 o'clock – in the conference room in the Appropriations area; today at 4 o'clock. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Gannon, for the purpose of announcing a committee meeting.

Mr. GANNON. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, there has been a time change for the House Judiciary Committee meeting scheduled for tomorrow. The meeting time has been changed to 9:15 in room 60 of the East Wing. That is 9:15 a.m., Mr. Speaker. Thank you.

BRENDON MALOVRH PRESENTED

The SPEAKER. Representatives Schroder and Herman, please come to the rostrum.

Members will please take their seats or leave the floor of the House. Members will take their seats or leave the floor of the House.

Were you ever curious to see what a hero looked like? Here is one. Now stop talking and sit down and see one, and hear something about a real hero.

Mr. SCHRODER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, we are fortunate today to have a constituent of mine from Lionville, Uwchlan Township, Chester County, and also a constituent of Representative Lynn Herman's from State College – Mr. Brendon Malovrh – with us today. Now, you may not recognize the name, but you have heard of him and his heroic efforts.

"Hero" is often an overused word; however, it is indisputable that Brendon Malovrh deserves such a title. It was a rainy September morning at the Main Campus of Penn State University when Brendon rushed in where others would have fled. A distraught young woman, armed with a high-powered rifle, was

crouched in the shrubbery in front of the Hetzel Union Building. She fired several shots, wounding one and killing another.

Brendon did not have time to think; he just reacted. As the sniper attempted to reload, he took immediate action, quickly closing the distance between him and the shooter, and wrestled the rifle away, undoubtedly saving the lives of others. The shooter, still in a rage, slashed at Brendon with a knife. She missed, opening up a wound in her own leg. Brendon subdued her, removed his belt, and used it as a tourniquet to stop her bleeding. I venture to say that few would have shown such compassion under the circumstances.

Brendon's actions undoubtedly saved many lives that day. He chose the safety of others over his own. For bravery in the face of danger, we honor and pay tribute to Brendon Malovrh today, and we also recognize the heroic efforts of others that day who placed the welfare of others over their own.

Mr. HERMAN. Thank you very much.

It has been 2 months since Centre County and the University Park campus have overcome the shock of the terrible tragedy of a random act of violence that occurred that day. I think as we look back and as we look today at what had transpired at that time, I think there is not any doubt that, you know, obviously many lives were saved and spared because of the heroics of Brendon that occurred on that day.

I do not know what more can be said that Curt has not already expressed, because this young man is certainly a hero in the eyes of the people who live and walk the campus of University Park every day, but also a hero in the eyes of the world for what he has done in sacrificing his own life to save so many others, and we greatly appreciate the heroics of this young man and his act of bravery.

Mr. SCHRODER. Brendon, on behalf of a grateful House of Representatives, Representative Lynn Herman and I would like to present you with this citation from the House and our sincere thanks.

I would also just like to take a moment to introduce Brendon's parents, Frank and Mary Malovrh – would you please stand? – and two friends of his who are down with us from State College today, David DeKorte and Roger Pharp.

Thank you.

CALENDAR

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

BILL PASSED OVER

The SPEAKER. The Chair turns to today's calendar, page 1. SB 2 is over.

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 2893, PN 3999**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for recovery of costs related to certain distribution system improvement projects.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration ?

BILL RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.
Mr. PERZEL. Mr. Speaker, I move that HB 2893 be
recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion ?
Motion was agreed to.

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 2705, PN 4007**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, defining the offense of disarming a law enforcement officer; and providing a penalty.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration ?

BILL RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.
Mr. PERZEL. Mr. Speaker, I move that HB 2705 be
recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion ?
Motion was agreed to.

BILL PASSED OVER TEMPORARILY

The SPEAKER. SB 598 is over temporarily.

BILL PASSED OVER

The SPEAKER. SB 635 is over.

BILL PASSED OVER TEMPORARILY

The SPEAKER. SB 1509 is over temporarily.

BILLS PASSED OVER

The SPEAKER. Page 3. HB's 1256 and 2687 are over for today.

BILL PASSED OVER TEMPORARILY

The SPEAKER. HB 2226 is over temporarily.

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE POSTPONED

BILL PASSED OVER TEMPORARILY

The SPEAKER. HB 508 is over temporarily.

DISCHARGE RESOLUTIONS

RESOLUTIONS PASSED OVER

The SPEAKER. The resolutions on page 4 are over.

SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR A

RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO RULE 35

Mrs. MILLER called up **HR 469, PN 4193**, entitled:

A Resolution commemorating the 300th Anniversary of the birth of Conrad Weiser.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolution ?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS-199

Adolph	Evans	Lynch	Sather
Allen	Fairchild	Maitland	Saylor
Argall	Fajt	Major	Schroder
Armstrong	Fargo	Manderino	Schuler
Baker	Farmer	Markosek	Scrimenti
Bard	Feese	Marsico	Semmel
Barley	Fichter	Masland	Serafini
Battisto	Fleagle	Mayernik	Shaner
Bebko-Jones	Flick	McCall	Sheehan
Belardi	Gamble	McGeehan	Smith, B.
Belfanti	Gannon	McGill	Smith, S. H.
Birmelin	Geist	Melio	Snyder, D. W.
Bishop	George	Merry	Staback
Blaum	Gigliotti	Michlovic	Stairs
Boscola	Gladeck	Micozzie	Steelman
Boyes	Godshall	Mihalich	Steil
Brown	Gordner	Miller	Stern
Browne	Gruitza	Mundy	Stetler
Butkovitz	Gruppo	Myers	Stish
Buxton	Habay	Nailor	Strittmatter
Caltagirone	Haluska	Nickol	Sturla
Cappabianca	Hanna	Nyce	Surra
Carn	Harhart	O'Brien	Tangretti
Carone	Hasay	Olasz	Taylor, E. Z.
Cawley	Haste	Oliver	Taylor, J.
Chadwick	Hennessey	Perzel	Thomas
Civera	Herman	Pesci	Tigue
Clark	Hershey	Petrarca	Travaglio
Clymer	Hess	Petrone	Trello
Cohen, L. I.	Horsey	Pettit	Trich
Cohen, M.	Hutchinson	Phillips	True

Colaifella	Itkin	Pistella	Tulli
Colaizzo	Jadlowiec	Pitts	Vance
Conti	James	Platts	Van Horne
Cornell	Jarolin	Preston	Veon
Corpora	Josephs	Ramos	Vitali
Corrigan	Kaiser	Raymond	Walko
Cowell	Keller	Readshaw	Waugh
Coy	Kenney	Reber	Williams
Curry	King	Reinard	Wogan
Daley	Krebs	Rieger	Wozniak
DeLuca	Kukovich	Roberts	Wright, D. R.
Dempsey	Laughlin	Robinson	Wright, M. N.
Dent	Lawless	Roebuck	Yewcic
Dermody	Lederer	Rohrer	Youngblood
DeWeese	Leh	Rooney	Zimmerman
DiGirolamo	Lescovitz	Rubley	Zug
Donatucci	Levdansky	Rudy	
Druce	Lloyd	Sainato	Ryan,
Durham	Lucyk	Santoni	Speaker
Egolf			

NAYS-0

NOT VOTING-1

Kirkland

EXCUSED-3

Bunt LaGrotta Washington

The majority having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the resolution was adopted.

The SPEAKER. Does the majority leader or the Democratic floor leaders have anything further prior to caucus?

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Fargo.

Mr. FARGO. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

There will be a Republican caucus immediately upon recess.

We will plan on coming back for voting at 3 o'clock.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Cohen.

Mr. COHEN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, there will also be a Democratic caucus immediately upon the recess.

GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. Would the gentleman, Mr. O'Brien, come to the rostrum.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. O'Brien.

Mr. O'BRIEN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

It is my privilege today to introduce some very distinguished guests in this House chamber. Before I introduce them, I would first like to briefly explain why they are here.

These guests accompanied Governor Ridge in the unveiling of a painting in the East Wing rotunda entitled "A Time for Healing." This painting depicts a battle which took place along the Kull Trail in the Huertgen Forest during World War II.

What makes this battle special, particularly to Pennsylvanians, is that Pennsylvania's 28th Division was a participant in this engagement, along with the German 89th Division.

What was unique about this battle was that during the middle of this fierce and bloody engagement, the two sides called a truce so that each side could tend to their wounded. In essence, what happened was both sides worked together in attending to all of the wounded. In fact, there was even an instance where German soldiers were protecting the American field hospital because it was behind enemy lines.

In terms of the battle itself, we have with us today two military surgeons who were present at this bloody battle in 1944.

I would like to introduce Prof. Gunter Stuttgart from Germany and Dr. Bedford Davis from the State of Georgia. Accompanying Dr. Davis is his wife, Louise.

These two gentlemen worked out the details to put aside temporarily the conflict so that humanitarian efforts for all the soldiers on both sides could take place.

As well, I would like to introduce the artist who painted the picture, Mr. Bob Nisley, from Hummelstown, Pennsylvania. He is not here. Okay.

Lastly, I would like to introduce someone who is no stranger to the halls, to this chamber, the Commonwealth's World War II Commemoration Committee chairman - a former colleague and majority leader - Mr. Sam Hayes from Tyrone. Sam has been the key figure in moving this event to fruition.

I would like to encourage everyone here today to make an effort to go to the East Wing rotunda to take a look at this very impressive commemorative painting, and they are also on sale, and that will help raise the money for the war memorial that will be started in November of 1997. There are 1,120 signed prints, all of which will be signed by the artist personally.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

RECESS

The SPEAKER. Do the Republican or Democratic floor leaders have any further business?

Hearing none, this House will stand in recess to the call of the Chair, which will take place at 3 o'clock.

RECESS EXTENDED

The time of recess was extended until 3:30 p.m.

AFTER RECESS

The time of recess having expired, the House was called to order.

The SPEAKER. For the information of the members, no votes will be taken this afternoon.

BILLS REMOVED FROM TABLE

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. PERZEL. Mr. Speaker, I move that the following bills be taken from the table:

HB 2049;
HB 2391;
HB 2703; and
SB 1165.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion ?
Motion was agreed to.

BILLS RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. PERZEL. Mr. Speaker, I move that the following bills be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations:

HB 2049;
HB 2391;
HB 2703; and
SB 1165.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion ?
Motion was agreed to.

HOUSE SCHEDULE

The SPEAKER. For the information of the members, session will begin at 1 o'clock tomorrow; session will begin at 1 o'clock tomorrow when we adjourn today's session.

CALENDAR CONTINUED**BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE POSTPONED**

The House proceeded to consideration on final passage postponed of **HB 508, PN 4077**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, prohibiting passengers from riding in an uncovered truck body.

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally ?

DECISION OF CHAIR RESCINDED

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the Chair rescinds its decision that HB 508 has been agreed to for the third time as amended.

On the question recurring,
Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration as amended ?

AMENDMENT A6205 RECONSIDERED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Yewcic, who moves that the vote by which amendment A6205 was passed to HB 508, PN 4001, on the 1st day of October be reconsidered.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion ?
Motion was agreed to.

BILL PASSED OVER

The SPEAKER. Without objection, HB 508, together with any amendments thereto, will be over. The Chair hears none.

**COMMUNICATION FROM
PENNSYLVANIA INTERGOVERNMENTAL
COOPERATION AUTHORITY**

The SPEAKER. The Chair acknowledges receipt of the annual report of the Pennsylvania Intergovernmental Cooperation Authority.

(Copy of communication is on file with the Journal clerk.)

**COMMUNICATION FROM
PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY**

The SPEAKER. The Chair acknowledges receipt of the financial report of the Pennsylvania State University submitted pursuant to Act 41A of 1996.

(Copy of communication is on file with the Journal clerk.)

**COMMUNICATION FROM
DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

The SPEAKER. The Chair acknowledges receipt of the report on the study of a statewide central registry of registered qualified voters submitted pursuant to the Pennsylvania Voter Registration Act.

(Copy of communication is on file with the Journal clerk.)

**COMMUNICATION FROM
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE**

The SPEAKER. The Chair acknowledges receipt of the program summary of the Human Services Development Fund submitted pursuant to Act 74 of 1994.

(Copy of communication is on file with the Journal clerk.)

**COMMUNICATION FROM
PENNSYLVANIA EMERGENCY
MANAGEMENT COUNCIL**

The SPEAKER. The Chair acknowledges receipt of the annual report submitted by the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Council pursuant to Pennsylvania's Hazardous Material Emergency Planning and Response Act.

(Copy of communication is on file with the Journal clerk.)

**COMMUNICATION FROM
TEMPLE UNIVERSITY**

The SPEAKER. The Chair also acknowledges receipt of the financial statements of Temple University submitted pursuant to Act 42A of 1996.

(Copy of communication is on file with the Journal clerk.)

**COMMUNICATION FROM
UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH**

The SPEAKER. The Chair acknowledges receipt of the financial report of the University of Pittsburgh submitted pursuant to Act 44A of 1996.

(Copy of communication is on file with the Journal clerk.)

**COMMUNICATION FROM
PENNSYLVANIA HEALTH CARE
COST CONTAINMENT COUNCIL**

The SPEAKER. The Chair acknowledges receipt of the findings of the Health Care Cost Containment Council submitted pursuant to Act 34 of 1993.

(Copy of communication is on file with the Journal clerk.)

**COMMUNICATION FROM
OFFICE OF THE TREASURER**

The SPEAKER. The Chair acknowledges receipt of the Treasurer's annual report of the Tuition Account Program and College Savings Bond Act submitted pursuant to 24 P.S. §6901.304(d).

(Copy of communication is on file with the Journal clerk.)

ADDITIONS AND DELETIONS OF SPONSORS

The SPEAKER. The Chair acknowledges receipt of additions and deletions for sponsorships of bills, which the clerk will file.

(Copy of list is on file with the Journal clerk.)

BILL REREPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

SB 355, PN 2380 (Amended)

By Rep. BOYES

An Act providing for the tax exemption of institutions of purely public charity; exempting real property owned by State-related universities from taxation; and providing for unfair competition.

FINANCE.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The following bill, having been called up, was considered for the second time and agreed to, and ordered transcribed for third consideration:

SB 355, PN 2380.

The SPEAKER. The House will be at ease awaiting the pleasure of the Appropriations Committee.

BILLS REREPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

HB 1391, PN 2984

By Rep. PITTS

An Act authorizing the attachment of wages; and making a repeal.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 2498, PN 3309

By Rep. PITTS

An Act amending the act of April 8, 1982 (P.L.310, No.87), referred to as the Recorder of Deeds Fee Law, providing for additional fees; and creating a Recorder's Fund.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 2627, PN 4206 (Amended)

By Rep. PITTS

An Act amending the act of December 10, 1974 (P.L.852, No.287), referred to as the Underground Utility Line Protection Law, further providing for definitions, for duties of facility owners, for a One Call System, and for designers and contractors for a One Call System; and providing for penalties.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 2637, PN 4207 (Amended)

By Rep. PITTS

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for sentencing for murder of the first degree and for an order of probation.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 2659, PN 4080

By Rep. PITTS

An Act amending Title 24 (Education) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for definitions; providing for payment of supplemental annuities from excess investment earnings; and creating a supplemental annuity reserve account.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 2905, PN 4208 (Amended)

By Rep. PITTS

An Act amending Title 30 (Fish) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for marking of dams.

APPROPRIATIONS.

SB 562, PN 586

By Rep. PITTS

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, prohibiting the criminal use of communication facilities.

APPROPRIATIONS.

SB 1110, PN 2387 (Amended)

By Rep. PITTS

An Act providing for review procedures pertaining to accident and health insurance form and rate filings; providing penalties; and making repeals.

APPROPRIATIONS.

SB 1317, PN 2388 (Amended)

By Rep. PITTS

An Act providing for registration requirements for telemarketers and for powers and duties of the Office of Attorney General.

APPROPRIATIONS.

SB 1397, PN 2389 (Amended)

By Rep. PITTS

An Act reenacting and amending the act of July 10, 1986 (P. L. 1263, No. 116), entitled "Community Services Act," further providing for functions of the agency and for apportionment of appropriations; and extending the expiration date of the act.

APPROPRIATIONS.

BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The following bills, having been called up, were considered for the second time and agreed to, and ordered transcribed for third consideration:

HB 1391, PN 2984; HB 2498, PN 3309; HB 2627, PN 4206; HB 2637, PN 4207; HB 2659, PN 4080; HB 2905, PN 4208; SB 1110, PN 2387; SB 1317, PN 2388; and SB 1397, PN 2389.

**BILL REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE,
CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED****SB 1234, PN 2393 (Amended)**

By Rep. CORNELL

An Act amending the act of July 19, 1979 (P. L. 130, No. 48), entitled "Health Care Facilities Act," providing for hospice services; and further providing for certificate of need requirement and for expiration of certificate of need requirement.

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES.

BILL REMOVED FROM TABLE

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader. Mr. PERZEL. Mr. Speaker, I move that SB 1234 be removed from the table.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion?
Motion was agreed to.

BILL RECOMMENDED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader. Mr. PERZEL. Mr. Speaker, I move that SB 1234 be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion?
Motion was agreed to.

BILL RECOMMENDED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader. Mr. PERZEL. Mr. Speaker, I move that SB 355 be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion?
Motion was agreed to.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER. Do the Republican or Democratic floor leaders have any further business? Do any of the chairmen have any announcements? Do members have any corrections to the record?

Hearing none, the Chair recognizes the gentleman from Allegheny County, Mr. Habay.

Mr. HABAY. Mr. Speaker, I move that this House do now adjourn until Wednesday, November 13, 1996, at 1 p.m., e.s.t., unless sooner recalled by the Speaker.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion?
Motion was agreed to, and at 4:28 p.m., e.s.t., the House adjourned.