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SESSION OF 1984 168TH OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The House convened at 11 a.m., e.d.t.

THE SPEAKER (K. LEROY IRVIS) IN THE CHAIR PRAYER

REV. DR. DAVID R. HOOVER, chaplain of the House of Representatives, from McConnellsburg, Pennsylvania, offered the following prayer:

Eternal Father, strong to save, we pray that Thy watchful eye and vigilant protection may guard us against the evil forces of life which tend to lure us away from that which is right and true.

Grant to these stalwart workmen of Thine the ability to stand firm and loyal amidst the temptations of the world. Share with them the keen discernment and understanding to make the right decisions and pursue the proper goals in the pathway of life. And instill within each one the competent assurance and indwelling spirit to seek the divine guidance which is Thine to give. Amen.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

(The Pledge of Allegiance was enunciated by members.)

JOURNAL APPROVAL POSTPONED

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the approval of the Journal of Monday, June 4, 1984, will be postponed until the Journal is in print. The Chair hears no objection.

HOUSE BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

No. 2240 By Representatives JACKSON, D. W. SNYDER, MOEHLMANN, SCHEETZ, SCHULER, FARGO, W. W. FOSTER, BRANDT, SWIFT, HUTCHINSON, KUKOVICH, ANGSTADT, HALUSKA, AFFLERBACH, NOYE, HAYES, HERMAN, MAIALE, BOWSER, KASUNIC, GEIST and B. SMITH An Act amending "The Insurance Company Law of 1921," approved May 17, 1921 (P. L. 682, No. 284), requiring stock fire insurance companies to provide coverage for sinkhole damage.

Referred to Committee on INSURANCE, June 5, 1984.

No. 2241 By Representatives LLOYD, PISTELLA, MERRY, COY, HERMAN, ARTY, MRKONIC, KASUNIC, PRATT, BOYES and SCHEETZ

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further regulating surrender of license and terms of suspension.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, June 5, 1984.

No. 2242 By Representatives LLOYD and PISTELLA

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, regulating animal-drawn vehicles.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, June 5, 1984.

No. 2243 By Representatives LLOYD, HALUSKA, BRANDT, MERRY, MICHLOVIC, KASUNIC, PRATT, GAMBLE, BOYES, MORRIS, WOGAN and SCHEETZ

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further regulating authority to issue permits for mobile homes.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, June 5, 1984.

No. 2244 By Representatives RAPPAPORT, R. C. WRIGHT, REBER, RIEGER, LASHINGER, WOGAN, CORDISCO and HAGARTY

An Act amending the act of April 12, 1957 (P. L. 61, No. 34), entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the Delaware River Port Authority, a body corporate and politic, functioning under the legislation enacted by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey, and the express consent of the Congress of the United States, to appoint policemen; make rules and regulations for the prevention of disorder, the preservation of safety, and the conservation of traffic on such bridges and in such tunnels and approaches thereto as the commission does or may hereafter operate; to prevent the evasion of the payment of tolls; and providing a penalty for the violation of any such rules or regulations or for the evasion of the attempt to evade the payment of tolls," authorizing the issuance of citations to persons charged with evading or attempting to evade the payment of tolls.

No. 41

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, June 5, 1984.

No. 2245 By Representatives GRUITZA, PRATT. STEIGHNER, McHALE, GEORGE and FEE

An Act amending the "Solid Waste Management Act," approved July 7, 1980 (P. L. 380, No. 97), prohibiting the operation of disposal sites in the vicinity of certain rivers.

Referred to Committee on CONSERVATION, June 5, 1984.

No. 2246 By Representatives SALVATORE, J. L. WRIGHT, GEIST, GRIECO, PETRONE, GANNON, PERZEL, GLADECK, SAURMAN, KOSINSKI, LINTON, NOYE, GREENWOOD, E. Z. TAYLOR, FISCHER, TRELLO, MICHLOVIC, DeLUCA and WESTON

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, making it illegal to sell certain residential property without an operable smoke detector installed therein.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, June 5, 1984.

No. 2247 By Representatives RYBAK, FEE and **KOWALYSHYN**

An Act amending the "Liquor Code," approved April 12, 1951 (P. L. 90, No. 21), further providing for special occasion permits.

Referred to Committee on LIQUOR CONTROL, June 5, 1984.

No. 2248 By Representatives F. E. TAYLOR, DUFFY, L. E. SMITH and CAPPABIANCA

An Act amending the "Goods and Services Installment Sales Act," approved October 28, 1966 (1st Sp. Sess., P. L. 55, No. 7), further providing for disclosures.

Referred to Committee on BUSINESS AND COM-MERCE, June 5, 1984.

HOUSE RESOLUTION **INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

No. 236 By Representative WESTON

Establishing a select committee to investigate problems created by manuals which instruct adults on how to have sex with children.

Referred to Committee on RULES, June 5, 1984.

MASTER ROLL CALL RECORDED

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

The following roll call was recorded:

	PRESENT-198		
Afflerbach	Fargo	Livengood	
Alderette	Fattah	Lloyd	
Angstadt	Fee	Lucyk	
Armstrong	Fischer	McCall	
Arty	Flick	McClatchy	
Baldwin	Foster, W. W.	McHale	
Barber	Foster, Jr., A.	Melntyre	
Battisto	Freeman	McMonagle	
Belardi	Freind	Mackowski	
Belfanti	Fryer	Madigan	
Blaum	Gallagher	Maiale	
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Bowser	Gamble	Manmiller	
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Brandt	Geist	Mayernik	
Broujos	George	Merry	
Bunt	Gladeck	Michlovic	
Burns	Godshall	Micozzie	
Caltagirone	Greenwood	Miller	
Cappabianca	Grieco	Miscevich	
Carn	Gruitza	Moehlmann	
Cawley	Gruppo	Morris	
Cessar	Hagarty	Mowery	
Cimini	Haluska	Mrkonic	
Civera	Harper	Murphy	
Clark	Hasay	Nahill	
Clymer	Hayes	Noye	
Cohen	Herman	O'Brien	
Colafella	Hershey	O'Donnell	
Cole	Hoeffel	Olasz	
Cordisco	Honaman	Oliver	
Corneli	Hutchinson	Perzel	
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Cowell	Jackson	Petrarca	
Соу	Jarolin	Petrone	
Deluca	Johnson	Phillips	
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Stuban

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Trello

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Williams Wilson

Wogan

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Wozniak

Wright, D. R.

Wright, J. L. Wright, R. C.

Speaker

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Van Horne

Taylor, E. Z.

Taylor, F. E.

Smith, B.

Smith, L. E.

Snyder, D. W.

Snyder, G. M.

Marmion

LEAVES ADDED-4

W. W. Foster Clymer

Madigan Stevens

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The SPEAKER. The Chair now turns to leaves of absence. Mr. Pievsky, are there any leaves for the Democrats? Mr. PIEVSKY. No, Mr. Speaker. The SPEAKER. Mr. Ryan, any leaves for the Republicans?

McVerry

Mr. RYAN. Mr. Speaker, I request leave for the gentleman from Bucks, Mr. CLYMER, for the day; the gentleman from Bradford, Mr. MADIGAN, for the day; and the gentleman from Luzerne, Mr. STEVENS, for the day.

The SPEAKER. Without objection, and the Chair hears no objection, the leaves will be granted.

Does Mr. Ryan have additional leaves? The Chair recognizes the minority leader.

Mr. RYAN. Mr. Speaker, I am not sure whether at yesterday's session we requested leave for the gentleman from Wayne, Mr. FOSTER, for the week. If not, we would so request.

The SPEAKER. Mr. Foster's leave will be granted, without objection. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

SENATE MESSAGE

AMENDED HOUSE BILL RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE

The clerk of the Senate, being introduced, returned **HB** 1157, **PN 2982**, with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

SENATE MESSAGE

HOUSE AMENDMENTS CONCURRED IN BY SENATE

The clerk of the Senate, being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to **SB 455**, **PN 2000**.

SENATE MESSAGE

HOUSE BILL CONCURRED IN BY SENATE

The clerk of the Senate, being introduced, returned **HB** 159, PN 2545, with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE

ADJOURNMENT RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE

The clerk of the Senate, being introduced, presented the following extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, June 4, 1984

RESOLVED, (the House of Representatives concurring), That when the Senate adjourns this week it reconvene on Monday, June 11, 1984 unless sooner recalled by the President Pro Tempore, and when the House of Representatives adjourns this week it reconvene on Monday, June 11, 1984 unless sooner recalled by the Speaker. Ordered, That the clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

On the question,

Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate? Resolution was concurred in. Ordered, That the clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

MEMBERS' PRESENCE RECORDED

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Burd, and the gentleman, Mr. Zwikl's names will be added to the master roll.

BILL SIGNED BY SPEAKER

The Chair gave notice that he was about to sign the following bill, which was then signed:

HB 159, PN 2545

An Act authorizing the Township of Independence, Washington County, to convey a certain tract of land acquired pursuant to the Project 70 Land Acquisition and Borrowing Act.

FILMING PERMISSION GRANTED

The SPEAKER. Notice is given that the Speaker has given permission to Mackenzie Carpenter of Public TV to videotape on the floor the current session today.

CALENDAR

BILLS AGREED TO 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:

SB 968, PN 1477; SB 450, PN 2050; SB 729, PN 2051; SB 850, PN 2052; SB 853, PN 998; SB 860, PN 1006; SB 905, PN 1100; SB 983, PN 2053; SB 1044, PN 1561; SB 1324, PN 2055; SB 1338, PN 1896; SB 1339, PN 2056; SB 1340, PN 2057; SB 1341, PN 2058; SB 1343, PN 2059; and SB 1344, PN 1902.

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 2196**, **PN 3078**, entitled:

An Act establishing a Chesapeake Bay Pollution Abatement Fund to be administered by the State Conservation Commission; and providing for the powers and duties of the commission with respect to the fund.

On the question,

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Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

BILL RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader. Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, I move that HB 2196, PN 3078, be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations for a fiscal note. On the question, Will the House agree to the motion? Motion was agreed to.

BILLS AGREED TO ON SECOND CONSIDERATION CONTINUED

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

SB 1285, PN 1791; and HB 1980, PN 2658.

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The House proceeded to second consideration of HB 272, PN 3058, entitled:

An Act amending the "Wage Payment and Collection Law," approved July 14, 1961 (P. L. 637, No. 329), further providing for deductions from wages.

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

BILL RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader. Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, I move that HB 272, PN 3058, be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations for a fiscal note.

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

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 2199**, **PN 3037**, entitled:

An Act amending the "Pennsylvania Human Relations Act," approved October 27, 1955 (P. L. 744, No. 222), further providing for educational programs.

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

BILL RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader. Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, 1 move that HB 2199, PN 3037, be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations for a fiscal note.

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

BILLS AGREED TO ON SECOND CONSIDERATION CONTINUED

The following bills, having been called up, were considered for the second time and agreed to, and ordered transcribed for third consideration: HB 1987, PN 3005; and SB 1152, PN 2054.

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The House proceeded to second consideration of HB 1592, PN 1985, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for vehicles exempt from registration.

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

BILL RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader. Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, 1 move that HB 1592,

PN 1985, be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations for a fiscal note.

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

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The House proceeded to second consideration of HB 1725, PN 2210, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for special registration plates for news reporters.

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

BILL RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader. Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, I move that HB 1725, PN 2210, be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations for a fiscal note.

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

BILLS AGREED TO ON SECOND CONSIDERATION CONTINUED

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

HB 2095, PN 2831.

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The House proceeded to second consideration of SB 1181, PN 1596, entitled:

An Act designating a section of Route 11 (Legislative Route 25) in Snyder County as the "Charles E. Attig, Jr. Memorial Highway."

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On the question.

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

BILL RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader. Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, I move that SB 1181, PN 1596, be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations for a fiscal note.

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

WELCOME

The SPEAKER. The Chair is delighted to welco hall of the House, as the guests of the Philadelph tion, three young lawyers, Jonathan R. Black. Evans, and Wendella P. Fox. They are from P from the firm of Jackson, Fox and Associates.

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of PN 3025, entitled:

An Act establishing certain fees to be charged by t Quarter Sessions of Philadelphia.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration?

Mr. O'DONNELL offered the following amendment No. A2426:

Amend Sec. 1, page 3, line 6, by striking out all of said line

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes the majority whip.

Mr. O'DONNELL. Mr. Speaker, this bill raises the fees that are charged for filing various documents in the courts of common pleas and the municipal court in the city of Philadelphia. The increases overall in the bill go from \$3 to \$5 and from \$10 to \$15; that is roughly the range. This amendment would strike one of those increases. In Philadelphia there has never been a fee charged for an appeal from a traffic ticket to the court of common pleas. The bill would have created such a fee for the first time, and a concern was raised about that when the bill was in committee. Accordingly, this amendment will remove the fee that would be charged for an appeal from traffic court to the court of common pleas and return that situation to its present state of affairs. Thank you.

On the question recurring, Will the House agree to the amendment?

The following roll call was recorded:

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NOT VOTING-1

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EXCUSED-6

Stevens Clymer McVerry Marmion Foster, W. W. Madigan

The question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration as amended?

Bill as amended was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. This bill has been considered on three different days and agreed to and is now on final passage.

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On final passage, the Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Mr. Wass.

Mr. WASS. Mr. Speaker, may I interrogate Mr. O'Donnell, please?

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. O'Donnell, indicates he will stand for interrogation. Mr. Wass is in order and may proceed.

Mr. WASS. Mr. Speaker, I am not sure my inquiry or interrogation is germane, but I am hoping that it is.

In my district, Mr. Speaker, we have many, many problems with traffic tickets. My constituents get notices that they received a traffic ticket, and they just were never in Philadelphia; their car was not in Philadelphia, and, Mr. Speaker, if you could, you would really be doing us a favor out in the rural counties if there was some method that we could tell our people is the proper way to handle that situation. Can you be a little informative in that area?

Mr. O'DONNELL. It is a very, very serious problem. I have worked with a couple of members, including John Broujos, to try and figure out why that is happening. Apparently, as close as we can get to it, for whatever reason, either in the computer or on the document that is originally filled out on the traffic ticket, there is either a transposition of numbers or an 8 looks like a 3 or a 3 looks like an 8, so that when the summons goes into the record, instead of being sent to the right person, it is sent to the wrong person. In the incredible volume of traffic tickets that are issued in the city of Philadelphia, when you take the percentage of error that is occurring there, these errors are being sent out from the computer and they are being sent all over Pennsylvania. So my license plate might be 6038, and when it goes out of the computer it looks like 6088, and the notice gets sent to somebody in your county. Well, the first thing they do is they disregard the notice because it is ridiculous. The computer automatically, having received no reply, sends them another notice in red saying, you are about to be arrested, or whatever.

I am happy to work with anybody who has any thoughts on how in the world to cope with that situation. We have communicated that problem back and have gotten no satisfactory reply. What we have done is asked folks-and it is an imposition and they should not have to do it, but I do not know any other way around it-we have asked folks to just send in a notarized statement-do you see what I mean?-through their legislator or otherwise, and invariably the court understands the problem and washes the ticket clean. So that is what we have been doing, but I think folks are reluctant because it looks to them a little bit like a fix or something. So I do not quite know how to handle it; we are open to suggestions.

And you are right; it is not germane.

Mr. WASS. Mr. Speaker, I appreciate your response, but it truly has a negative attitude toward Philadelphia, and it truly impacts on our senior citizens. They really are fearful that something has gone wrong. So possibly we could get together and try to solve that problem. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Westmoreland, Mr. Hutchinson.

Mr. HUTCHINSON. Mr. Speaker, I think I can clear this up a little bit. On your calendar there is a bill with an amendment in it that is the same as what the Motor Vehicle Code used to have - that you send a notice to the Philadelphia courts, and it does not have to be notarized, telling them that you were never there.

But let me tell you, it does not only happen in Philadelphia. It happens in Lancaster County, and it happens in Greensburg. I took five tags back to Greensburg that people in Philadelphia got, and probably people in Philadelphia got tagged in Indiana. It happens all over Pennsylvania, but if you take a town of 1.6 million or 1.7 million, the percentages are a little bit higher, and it happens everyplace. But we are putting back in the Motor Vehicle Code, in one of the bills on the calendar, language that says you send a paper to the courts, the same as the old Motor Vehicle Code had.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The SPEAKER. Agreeable to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and navs will now be taken.

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Ordered. That the clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

The House proceeded to third consideration of HB 2158, PN 3053, entitled:

An Act amending the "Public School Code of 1949," approved March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30, No. 14), further providing for meetings of intermediate unit boards of directors.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration? Bill was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. This bill has been considered on three different days and agreed to and is now on final passage.

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeable to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays will now be taken.

YEAS-193

Afflerbach	Fargo	Livengood	Rybak
Alderette	Fattah	Lloyd	Saloom
Angstadt	Fee	Lucyk	Salvatore
Armstrong	Fischer	McCall	Saurman
Arty	Flick	McClatchy	Scheetz
Baldwin	Foster, Jr., A.	McHale	Schuler
Barber	Freeman	McMonagle	Semmel
Battisto	Freind	Mackowski	Serafini
Belardi	Fryer	Maiale	Seventy
Belfanti	Gallagher	Manderino	Showers
Blaum	Gallen	Manmiller	Sirianni
Book	Gamble	Markosek	Smith, B.
Bowser	Gannon	Mayernik	Smith, L. E.
Boyes	Geist	Merry	Snyder, D. W.
Brandt	George	Michlovic	Snyder, G. M.
Broujos	Gladeck	Micozzie	Spencer
Bunt	Godshall	Miller	Spitz
Burd	Greenwood	Miscevich	Stairs
Burns	Grieco	Moehlmann	Steighner
Caltagirone	Gruitza	Morris	Stewart
Cappabianca	Gruppo	Mowery	Stuban
Carn	Hagarty	Mrkonic	Sweet
Cawley	Haluska	Murphy	Swift
Cessar	Harper	Nahill	Taylor, E. Z.
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Civera	Hayes	O'Brien	Telek
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NOT VOTING-3

Stevens

Donatucci McIntyre Pratt EXCUSED-6

Clymer McVerry Marmion Foster, W. W. Madigan

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

The House proceeded to third consideration of SB 658, PN 2035, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 14, 1961 (P. L. 324, No. 188), entitled "The Library Code," further providing for municipality powers to make appropriations and impose taxes to fund libraries.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration? Bill was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. This bill has been considered on three different days and agreed to and is now on final passage.

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeable to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays will now be taken.

YEAS-191

Afflerbach	Fattah	Livengood	Ryan
Alderette	Fee	Lloyd	Rybak
Angstadt	Fischer	Lucyk	Saloom
Armstrong	Flick	McCall	Salvatore
Arty	Foster, Jr., A.	McClatchy	Saurman
Baldwin	Freeman	McHale	Scheetz
Barber	Freind	McMonagle	Schuler
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Brandt	Gladeck	Michlovic	Snyder, D. W.
Broujos	Godshall	Micozzie	Snyder, G. M.
Bunt	Greenwood	Miller	Spencer

Burd	Grieco	Miscevich	Spitz
Burns	Gruitza	Moehlmann	Stairs
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Cawley	Harper	Murphy	Sweet
Cessar	Hasay	Nahill	Swift
Cimini	Hayes	Noye	Taylor, E. Z.
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Clark	Hershey	O'Donnell	Telek
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Colafella	Honaman	Oliver	Trello
Cole	Hutchinson	Perzel	Truman
Cordisco	Itkin	Peterson	Van Horne
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Cowell	Johnson	Phillips	Wambach
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Deluca	Kennedy	Pievsky	Wass
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DeWeese	Kosinski	Pitts	Wiggins
Daley	Kowalyshyn	Pott	Williams
Davies	Kukovich	Preston	Wogan
Dawida	Lashinger	Punt	Wozniak
Deal	Laughlin	Rappaport	Wright, D. R.
Dietz	Lehr	Reber	Wright, J. L.
Dininni	Lescovitz	Reinard	Wright, R. C.
Dombrowski	Letterman	Richardson	Zwikl
Dorr	Levi	Rieger	
Duffy	Levin	Robbins	Irvis,
Durham	Linton	Rudy	Speaker
Fargo			

NAYS-0

NOT VOTING-5

Donatucci Evans	McIntyre	Pratt	Wilson
	E	XCUSED—6	
Clymer Foster, W. W.	McVerry Madigan	Marmion	Stevens

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the clerk return the same to the Senate with the information that the House has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

WELCOME

The SPEAKER. The Chair is delighted to welcome to the hall of the House Michael Solomon from Bethlehem. He is the guest of Paul McHale.

BOWLING AWARDS PRESENTED

The SPEAKER. The Chair welcomes to the podium Norman and Elaine Brumberg. Mr. Brumberg is the president of the Bowling Proprietors Association of Pennsylvania. Norman, please come to the podium.

Mr. Brumberg has invited the House, in successive years, to participate in a miniature bowling tournament. You will be interested in knowing that there are three trophies. Mr. Brumberg will explain to the members who gets what and for what reason. As president of the Bowling Proprietors Association of Pennsylvania, I am here to present the bowling awards for our annual legislative bowling party.

As the invitations were sent out to the members of the House and Senate to come to our annual affair, one member of the House started showing up late for meetings or disappeared from his office at various times. The rumor among his colleagues was that he was out practicing to win this prestigious bowling award. After he finished bowling last night, he knew without a doubt that his practice had paid off. The owner of ABC Lanes, where the function was held, was speechless at his score.

For his outstanding achievement in bowling, I present to Jim Wright the low bowler's score of the night. Jim, will you please come up and take this prestigious award? Congratulations.

High game of the night was truly a high score - it was 140 pins more than our low famous score. I present this to Tom Petrone for the high game of the night, with a score of 218. Tom, please get your award.

The next award will be given only this year. We have not come up with a name for it, but it will long be remembered by all of us. It is being given to a man who we know will always be the highest scorer among us. Last year he told me he was sorry he could not attend our party, because he knew definitely that he would have won the low bowler's score. In honor of this statement being made for the first time and his high hopes in his bowling career, I present this award to the Honorable Speaker of the House, Leroy Irvis.

Thank you, and I hope to see you all again at our party.

The SPEAKER. Thank you very much.

My cousin, who was here for my swearing in, who still lives in Albany, will be happy to hear, when I call him tonight, that I finally won a bowling trophy. He will not believe it until I explain that I won it by not showing up. After that, he will know it is the truth.

REMARKS ON VOTES

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Lycoming, Mr. Cimini.

Mr. CIMINI. Mr. Speaker, I was recorded as voting in the affirmative on HB 1776. I would like to be recorded as voting in the negative.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman's remarks will be spread upon the record.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Lycoming, Mr. Grieco.

Mr. GRIECO. Mr. Speaker, yesterday on HB 1776 I voted "yes." I would like to change my vote to a "no." Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman's remarks will be spread upon the record.

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION CONTINUED

The House proceeded to third consideration of HB 924, PN 2976, entitled:

An Act providing protection for employees who report a violation or suspected violation of State, local or Federal law; providing protection for employees who participate in hearings, investigations, legislative inquiries or court actions; and prescribing remedies and penalties.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration? Bill was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. This bill has been considered on three different days and agreed to and is now on final passage.

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On final passage, the Chair recognizes the gentleman from Dauphin, Mr. Wambach.

Mr. WAMBACH. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, not to belabor the House, but I would like to make a few comments on HB 924.

Mr. Speaker, the whistleblower law, as HB 924 is referred to, would shield government employees from job reprisals for reporting acts of wrongdoing or official misconduct. It is my belief, Mr. Speaker, that public corruption thrives in an atmosphere of coerced silence. We are here today to do something about that. I believe that the mere threat of reprisals against someone who would report a corrupt act is usually enough to silence that person - just the mere threat.

Past approaches to battling this corruption have involved creations of commissions, agencies, and bureaus to investigate and rout out the problem. Such approaches are always costly and sometimes effective. The whistleblower law, as presented, does recognize the austerity of the times. It offers the Commonwealth a potent anticorruption force with a mere stroke, hopefully very shortly, of the Governor's pen.

In a nutshell, the whistleblower law would be a powerful weapon against corruption and the misuse of public resources. I feel, Mr. Speaker, that the time has come for positive consideration. And I also appreciate, and I want to state publicly that I do appreciate, the bipartisan approach with the 115 cosponsors to this bill that has been afforded to me, including the leadership on both sides of the aisle. Thank you, Mr. Speaker, and I would appreciate a positive vote on HB 924.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The SPEAKER. Agreeable to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays will now be taken.

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Arty	Flick	McClatchy	Scheetz
Baldwin	Foster, Jr., A.	McHale	Schuler

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Belfanti	Gallagher	Manderino	Showers	
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Brandt	George	Michlovic	Snyder, G. M.	
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Dietz	Laughlin	Reber	Wright, J. L.	
Dininni	Lehr	Reinard	Wright, R. C.	
Dombrowski	Lescovitz	Richardson	Zwikl	
Dorr	Letterman	Rieger		
Duffy	Levi	Robbins	Irvis,	
Durham	Levin	Ryan	Speaker	
Evans	Linton			
NAYS-0				

NOT VOTING-4

Donatucci	McIntyre	Olasz	Rudy	
	EX	CUSED—6		
Clymer Foster, W. W.	McVerry Madigan	Marmion	Stevens	

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 729**, **PN 2913**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 18, 1974 (P. L. 359, No. 120), referred to as the Municipal Police Education and Training Law, extending the length of time to complete training; and further providing for reimbursement of certain expenses.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration? Bill was agreed to. The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeable to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays will now be taken.

YEAS-192

Afflerbach	Fargo	Lloyd	Ryan
Alderette	Fattah	Lucyk	Rybak
Angstadt	Fee	McCall	Saloom
Armstrong	Fischer	McClatchy	Salvatore
Arty	Flick	McHale	Saurman
Baldwin	Foster, Jr., A.	McIntyre	Scheetz
Barber	Freeman	McMonagle	Schuler
Battisto	Freind	Mackowski	Semmel
Belardi	Fryer	Maiale	Serafini
Belfanti	Gallagher	Manderino	Seventy
Blaum	Gallen	Manmiller	Showers
Book	Gamble	Markosek	Sirianni
Bowser	Gannon	Mayernik	Smith, B.
Boyes	Geist	Merry	Smith, L. E.
Brandt	George	Michlovic	Snyder, D. W.
Broujos	Gladeck	Micozzie	Snyder, G. M.
Bunt	Godshall	Miller	Spencer
Burd	Greenwood	Miscevich	Spitz
Burns	Grieco	Moehlmann	Stairs
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Cappabianca	Gruppo	Mowery	Stuban
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Cessar	Harper	Nahill	Taylor, E. Z.
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Civera	Hayes	O'Brien	Telek
Clark	Herman	O'Donnell	Tigue
Cohen	Hershey	Oliver	Trello
Colafella	Hoeffel	Perzel	Truman
Cole	Honaman	Peterson	Van Horne
Cordisco	Hutchinson	Petrarca	Vroon
Cornell	Itkin	Petrone	Wachob
Coslett	Jackson	Phillips	Wambach
Cowell	Johnson	Piccola	Wargo
Соу	Kasunic	Pievsky	Wass
Deluca	Kennedy	Pistella	Weston
DeVerter	Klingaman	Pitts	Wiggins
DeWeese	Kosinski	Pott	Williams
Davies	Kowalyshyn	Pratt	Wilson
Dawida	Kukovich	Preston	Wogan
Deal	Lashinger	Punt	Wozniak
Dietz	Laughlin	Rappaport	Wright, D. R.
Dininni	Lehr	Reber	Wright, J. L.
Dombrowski	Lescovitz	Reinard	Wright, R. C.
Donatucci	Letterman	Richardson	Zwikl
Dorr	Levi	Rieger	
Duffy	Levin	Robbins	Irvis,
Durham	Linton	Rudy	Speaker
Evans	Livengood	•	
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Steighner			
	NOT	VOTING-3	

NOT VOTING-3

Daley	Jarolin	Olasz	
		EXCUSED—6	
Clymer Foster, W. W.	McVerry Madigan	Marmion	Stevens

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

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The House proceeded to third consideration of HB 588, PN 3023, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 18, 1974 (P. L. 359, No. 120), referred to as the "Municipal Police Education and Training Law," including first class cities within the act; and making appropriations.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration? Bill was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. This bill has been considered on three different days and agreed to and is now on final passage.

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeable to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays will now be taken.

YEAS-177

Afflerbach	Durham	Livengood	Salvatore
Alderette	Evans	Lloyd	Saurman
Angstadt	Fattah	Lucyk	Scheetz
Armstrong	Fee	McCall	Schuler
Baldwin	Fischer	McClatchy	Semmel
Barber	Flick	McHale	Serafini
Battisto	Foster, Jr., A.	Mackowski	Seventy
Belardi	Freeman	Maiale	Showers
Belfanti	Freind	Manderino	Sirianni
Blaum	Fryer	Manmiller	Smith, B.
Book	Gallagher	Markosek	Snyder, D. W.
Bowser	Gallen	Mayernik	Snyder, G. M.
Boyes	Gamble	Michlovic	Spencer
Brandt	Gannon	Micozzie	Spitz
Broujos	Geist	Miller	Stairs
Bunt	George	Miscevich	Steighner
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Caltagirone	Greenwood	Mrkonic	Sweet
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Carn	Gruitza	Nahill	Taylor, E. Z.
Cawley	Gruppo	O'Brien	Taylor, F. E.
Cessar	Hagarty	O'Donnell	Telek
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Civera	Harper	Perzel	Trelio
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Davies	Lashinger	Reinard	Wright, J. L.
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Deal	Lehr	Rieger	Zwikl
Dietz	Lescovitz	Rudy	
Dininni	Letterman	Ryan	Irvis,
Dombrowski	Levin	Rybak	Speaker
Duffy	Linton	Saloom	

	Ν	AYS-12		
Arty Dorr Fargo	Hayes Jackson Klingaman	Levi Merry Moehlmann	Noye Robbins Smith, L. E.	
NOT VOTING-7				
Donatucci Hutchinson	McIntyre McMonagle EX	Olasz Pratt CUSED6	Van Horne	
Clymer	McVerry	Marmion	Stevens	

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

REMARKS ON VOTE

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Mifflin, Mr. DeVerter.

Mr. DeVERTER. Mr. Speaker, on HB 588, PN 3023, I am inadvertently recorded in the affirmative, and I would like to be recorded in the negative, please.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

WELCOME

The SPEAKER. We are pleased to have with us the fourth grade students from Bangor Elementary Center in Northampton County, with their teachers and parents. They are the guests of Representative Gruppo. Welcome to the hall of the House, children.

REMARKS ON VOTE

The SPEAKER. For what purpose does the lady from Centre, Mrs. Rudy, rise?

Mrs. RUDY. Mr. Speaker, on HB 924 my switch malfunctioned and I was not recorded as voting. I would like to be recorded as voting "yes."

The SPEAKER. The lady's remarks will be spread upon the record.

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. For what purpose does the gentleman from Allegheny, Mr. Trello, rise?

Mr. TRELLO. Mr. Speaker, I would like to call a meeting of the Finance Committee immediately in room 401.

The SPEAKER. There will be a meeting of the Finance Committee in room 401 immediately.

RECESS

The SPEAKER. The House will stand in recess until 1:30 p.m.

AFTER RECESS

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

SENATE MESSAGE

SENATE INSISTS ON AMENDMENTS NONCONCURRED IN BY HOUSE

The clerk of the Senate, being introduced, informed that the Senate has insisted upon its amendments nonconcurred in by the House of Representatives to **HB 224, PN 2908**.

MOTION INSISTING UPON NONCONCURRENCE IN SENATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. MANDERINO moved that the House insist upon its nonconcurrence in Senate amendments to HB 224, PN 2908, and that a committee of conference on the part of the House be appointed.

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

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE

The SPEAKER. The Chair appoints as a committee of conference on the part of the House on HB 224, PN 2908: Messrs. O'DONNELL, FEE and LEHR. Ordered, That the clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

REMARKS ON VOTE

The SPEAKER. For what purpose does the gentleman from Butler, Mr. Steighner, rise?

Mr. STEIGHNER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, my switch was malfunctioning when the vote was taken this morning on HB 729, and I would like to be recorded in the affirmative.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman's remarks will be spread upon the record.

Mr. STEIGHNER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

CALENDAR CONTINUED

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of SB 58, PN 2007, entitled:

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for the issuance of certificate of convenience for armored motor vehicles; regulating construction costs of public utilities; and limiting rate increases.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration as amended?

Mr. GODSHALL offered the following amendments No. A2474:

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Amend Sec. 1, page 5, line 3, by striking out "SECTIONS" and inserting

a section

Amend Bill, page 6, lines 8 through 16, by striking out all of said lines and inserting

Section 2. Section 1103 of Title 66 is amended by adding a subsection to read:

§ 1103. Procedure to obtain certificates of public

convenience.

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(e) Armored vehicles.—A certificate of public convenience to provide the transportation of property of unusual value, including money and securities, in armored vehicles, shall be granted by order of the commission upon application. Such carriers must conform to the rules and regulations of the commission.

Amend Sec. 2, page 6, line 17, by striking out "2" and inserting

Amend Bill, page 7, by inserting between lines 11 and 12

Section 4. Section 2503(a) of Title 66 is amended and a subsection is added to read:

§ 2503. Permits required of contract carriers.

(a) General rule.—No person or corporation shall render service as a contract carrier by motor vehicle unless there is in force with respect to such carrier a permit issued by the commission, authorizing such person or corporation to engage in such business. The application for such permit shall be determined by the commission in accordance with the provisions of subsection (b), except as set forth in subsection (d).

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(d) Armored vehicles. A contract carrier permit to provide the transportation of property of unusual value, including money and securities, in armored vehicles, shall be granted by order of the commission upon application. Such carriers must conform to the rules and regulations of the commission.

Amend Sec. 3, page 7, line 12, by striking out "3" and inserting

Amend Sec. 4, page 7, line 20, by striking out "4" and insert-

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On the question,

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Will the House agree to the amendments?

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes the gentleman from Montgomery, Mr. Godshall.

Mr. GODSHALL. This amendment would end the practice of the major armored car carriers in Pennsylvania protesting the application of small companies which wish to get in the armored car business. The protesting and then the resulting court appeals can tie up the applications for the small companies for years and result in a stifling of competition and actually a monopoly on the part of the major carriers.

I have worked out this amendment with Representative Steighner, who had previously amended the bill, and he agrees with the amendment. The PUC (Public Utility Commission) has also approved the amendment, and the PUC would continue to regulate such things as insurance, vehicles, employee work roles and safety, and all contracts must continue to be filed with the PUC. I ask for your approval of the amendment.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Butler, Mr. Steighner.

Mr. STEIGHNER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, this amendment strengthens the original amendment that was inserted into the bill by Representative Van Horne and myself, and I would ask for support from the House for it.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Rappaport.

Mr. RAPPAPORT. Will the gentleman, Mr. Godshall, consent to interrogation?

The SPEAKER. The gentleman indicates he will so stand. Mr. Rappaport is in order and may proceed.

Mr. RAPPAPORT. Mr. Speaker, could the gentleman inform us whether there is anything in the bill or in his amendment which in any way cuts back on the bill that we passed recently requiring everybody carrying a weapon in Pennsylvania to qualify under our Security Guard Training Act?

Mr. GODSHALL. Mr. Speaker, I do not believe my bill in any way cuts back on anything in that field, because what this bill says is that the rules and regulations of the commission must be adhered to, and the only thing we are taking out presently from the PUC, the only regulation we are changing, is actually a regulation regarding the protesting by competing carriers. We are not changing any other regulation. So if that regulation is in there today, it will remain in.

Mr. RAPPAPORT. Mr. Speaker, could the gentleman give us assurance that even guards coming in from out of State, pursuant to our earlier legislation, will be required to carry a valid Pennsylvania license to carry a weapon?

Mr. GODSHALL. I will repeat that if that stipulation is in there today, I am positive that that stipulation will be in there after this is passed. That is a correct statement. The answer is yes.

Mr. RAPPAPORT. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I thank the gentleman for his courtesy.

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Centre, Mr. Letterman.

Mr. LETTERMAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The only thing I was going to say is his amendment does not touch that phase of it at all.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

The following roll call was recorded:

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Afflerbach	Fattah	Lucyk	Robbins
Alderette	Fee	McCall	Ryan
Angstadt	Fischer	McClatchy	Rybak
Armstrong	Flick	McHale	Saloom
Arty	Foster, Jr., A.	McIntyre	Salvatore
Baldwin	Freeman	McMonagle	Saurman
Battisto	Freind	Mackowski	Scheetz
Belardi	Fryer	Maiale	Schuler
Belfanti	Gallagher	Manderino	Semmel
Blaum	Gallen	Manmiller	Serafini
Book	Gannon	Markosek	Seventy
Bowser	Geist	Mayernik	Showers

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Spencer

Spitz

Stairs Steighner

Stewart

Stuban

Taylor, E. Z.

Taylor, F. E.

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Boyes	George	Merry
Brandt	Gladeck	Michlovic
Broujos	Godshall	Micozzie
Bunt	Greenwood	Miller
Burd	Grieco	Miscevich
Burns	Gruitza	Moehlmann
Caltagirone	Gruppo	Morris
Cappabianca	Hagarty	Mowery
Cawley	Hałuska	Mrkonic
Cessar	Hasay	Murphy
Cimini	Hayes	Nahill
Civera	Herman	Noye
Clark	Hershey	O'Brien
Colafella	Hoeffel	O'Donnell
Cole	Honaman	Olasz
Cordisco	Hutchinson	Oliver
Corneil	Itkin	Perzel
Coslett	Jackson	Peterson
Cowell	Jarolin	Petrarca
Соу	Johnson	Petrone
Deluca	Kasunic	Phillips
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Dombrowski	Lescovitz	Punt
Donatucci	Letterman	Rappaport
Dorr	Levi	Reber
Duffy	Linton	Reinard
Durham	Livengood	Richardson
Fargo	Lloyd	Rieger
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NOT VOTING-14

Barber Evans Levin Truman Carn Gamble Williams Rudy Cohen Harper Smith, B. Wright, J. L. DeWeese Kosinski EXCUSED-6

Clymer	McVerry	Marmion	Stevens
Foster, W. W.	Madigan		

The question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were agreed to.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration as amended?

AMENDMENTS WITHDRAWN

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Butler, Mr. Steighner.

Mr. STEIGHNER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Amendment A2031 was called up with a reconsideration yesterday. I would like to withdraw that amendment at this time.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration as amended?

Mr. LLOYD offered the following amendment No. A2222:

Amend Sec. 3, page 7, line 19, by inserting after "514(A)," The commission shall promulgate rules and regulations to implement sections 514 and 1308(f) as added by this act.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes the gentleman from Somerset, Mr. Llovd.

Mr. LLOYD. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Several weeks ago when we considered this bill, the House adopted an amendment dealing with construction costs of powerplants. This amendment would require the Public Utility Commission to promulgate rules and regulations to implement that amendment. I would ask for a "yes" vote.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On the question recurring,

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Will the House agree to the amendment?

The following roll call was recorded:

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Reber

Reinard

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Ryan

Robbins

Rappaport

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The question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendment was agreed to.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration as amended?

Bill as amended was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. This bill has been considered on three different days and agreed to and is now on final passage.

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On final passage, the Chair recognizes the gentleman from Beaver, Mr. Laughlin.

Mr. LAUGHLIN. Mr. Speaker, very briefly. The committee did extensive work on this bill in preparing it for the House floor, and I believe the amendments that have been added to it have not in any way detracted from the original purpose.

The bill was designed originally to take away all regulation relative to armored car service in the State of Pennsylvania. It has been amended to provide for insurance coverage in other areas, and I think it now adequately does the job for which it was designed. I would ask for an affirmative vote, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The SPEAKER. Agreeable to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays will now be taken.

YEAS—192

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Cimini Harper Murphy Sweet
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Colafella Hershey O'Donnell Telek
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Cornell	Hutchinson	Perzel	Truman
Coslett	Itkin	Peterson	Van Horne
Cowell	Jackson	Petrarca	Vroon
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Deluca	Johnson	Phillips	Wambach
DeVerter	Kasunic	Piccola	Wargo
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Durham	Levin	Robbins	Speaker
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Blaum	Pitts	Wilson EXCUSED—6	Wright, J. L.
Clymer Foster, W. W.	McVerry Madigan	Marmion	Stevens

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the clerk return the same to the Senate with the information that the House has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

REMARKS ON VOTE

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Centre, Mr. Herman. For what purpose does the gentleman rise?

Mr. HERMAN. Mr. Speaker, on HB 588, PN 3023, I was incorrectly recorded in the affirmative. I would like to be recorded in the negative.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman's remarks will be spread upon the record.

LIQUOR CONTROL COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Lawrence, Mr. Fee, who wishes to announce a brief meeting at the rear of the hall of the House.

Mr. FEE. Mr. Speaker, there will be a brief meeting of the Liquor Control Committee immediately.

The SPEAKER. A Liquor Control Committee meeting at the rear of the hall of the House immediately. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

WELCOMES

The SPEAKER. The Chair is delighted to welcome to the hall of the House the family of the Parliamentarian. His

mother and father are here, Clarence and Iva Myer; his sister, Joan, and his sister, Ann. They are guests of the Speaker. Welcome. You may be very proud of your boy. He does an excellent job. Whenever the mistakes are made, they are mine; and whenever we rule correctly, they are his.

Here as the guest of Jim Greenwood and Rick Geist is a young lady from Bristol, England, Pauline Suter. Welcome. We are glad to have you here.

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEES. CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND RECOMMITTED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES

HB 857, PN 3102 (Amended)

By Rep. TRELLO

An Act mandating actuarial funding standards for all municipal pension systems; establishing a recovery program for municipal pension systems determined to be financially distressed; and making a repeal.

FINANCE.

HB 2183, PN 2998

By Rep. FRYER

An Act amending the "Third Class County Assessment Board Law," approved June 26, 1931 (P. L. 1379, No. 348), providing for the right to appeal before the board for persons suffering catastrophic losses to their property.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

HB 2184, PN 3103 (Amended)

By Rep. FRYER

An Act amending the "General County Assessment Law," approved May 22, 1933 (P. L. 853, No. 155), providing for appeal by persons suffering catastrophic losses to their property.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

HB 2194, PN 3104 (Amended)

By Rep. FRYER

An Act amending "The Fourth to Eighth Class County Assessment Law," approved May 21, 1943 (P. L. 571, No. 254), providing for appeal by persons suffering catastrophic losses to their property.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE, CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED

SB 1078, PN 2066 (Amended)

By Rep. GEORGE

An Act amending the act of May 31, 1945 (P. L. 1198, No. 418), entitled, as amended, "Surface Mining Conservation and Reclamation Act," providing for a separation of requirements for license issuance and permit issuance; affecting the license application requirement of liability insurance for water supply restoration or replacement; establishing content requirements of landowner consent forms; providing for public hearings and publication of notice; providing for conservation of reclaimed land; requiring advertisement for bids for reclamation of bond forfeiture areas; creating a Reclamation Advisory Board and establishing its duties; prohibiting certain contracts; requiring contractors to pay workers at a particular rate; and requiring publication of contracts awarded.

CONSERVATION.

By Rep. GEORGE SB 1309, PN 2003

An Act amending the act of May 31, 1945 (P. L. 1198, No. 418), entitled, as amended, "Surface Mining Conservation and Reclamation Act," providing for the remining of areas previously affected by mining.

CONSERVATION.

HB 588 RECONSIDERED

The SPEAKER. We passed earlier in the day HB 588. Mr. Hutchinson has advised the Chair that he has an amendment to HB 588. Therefore, the Chair recognizes Mr. Hutchinson, who files the following motion: He moves for reconsideration of the vote by which the House passed HB 588 on this day, June 5, 1984.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS-186

Afflerbach	Fattah	McCall
Alderette	Fee	McClatchy
Angstadt	Fischer	McHale
Arty	Flick	McIntyre
Baldwin	Foster, Jr., A.	McMonagle
Barber	Freeman	Mackowski
Battisto	Freind	Maiale
Belfanti	Fryer	Manderino
Blaum	Gallagher	Manmiller
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Brandt	Geist	Michlovic
Втоцјоз	George	Micozzie
Bunt	Gladeck	Miller
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Burns	Greenwood	Moehlmann
Caltagirone	Grieco	Morris
Cappabianca	Gruitza	Mowery
Carn	Gruppo	Mrkonie
Cawley	Hagarty	Murphy
Cimini	Haluska	Nahill
Civera	Harper	Noye
Clark	Hasay	O'Brien
Cohen	Hayes	O'Donnell
Colafella	Herman	Olasz
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Donatucci	Lescovitz	Reber
Dorr	Levi	Reinard
Duffy	Linton	Richardson
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Speaker

NAYS—0 NOT VOTING—10

Armstrong Belardi Cessar	Coslett Hutchinson Johnson	Letterman Levin	Schuler Weston
	EX	CUSED—6	
Clymer Foster, W. W.	McVerry Madigan	Marmion	Stevens

The question was determined in the affirmative, and the motion was agreed to.

On the question recurring, Shall the bill pass finally?

BILL PLACED ON FINAL PASSAGE POSTPONED CALENDAR

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader. Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, I move that HB 588 be placed on the final passage postponed calendar.

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

BILL REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE, CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND RECOMMITTED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES

HB 2247, PN 3101 By Rep. FEE An Act amending the "Liquor Code," approved April 12, 1951 (P. L. 90, No. 21), further providing for special occasion permits.

LIQUOR CONTROL.

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION CONTINUED

The House proceeded to third consideration of HB 2035, PN 2958, entitled:

An Act providing for the provisions of poultry and egg contracts.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration?

Mr. BROUJOS offered the following amendments No. A2599:

Amend Title, page 1, line 1, by inserting after "contracts" ; and imposing civil penalties

Amend Sec. 5, page 3, line 13, by inserting after "declaration"

of default

Amend Sec. 6, page 3, line 21, by inserting after "declare" the merchant to be in default under

Amend Sec. 6, page 3, line 22, by striking out "to be void"

Amend Sec. 6, page 3, line 25, by striking out "may take POSSESSION" and inserting shall have a lien upon

Amend Sec. 6, page 3, line 27, by inserting after "possession"

, which lien shall take priority over any previously perfected security interest in the property

Amend Sec. 6, page 3, lines 27 through 30; page 4, lines 1 through 4, by striking out ", for a fair" in line 27, all of lines 28 through 30, page 3; all of lines 1 through 3 and "of the date of the sale." in line 4, page 4, and inserting

and the proceeds of sale shall be applied in the manner provided in 13 Pa.C.S. § 9504 (relating to right of secured party to dispose of collateral after default; effect of disposition). A buyer of the property shall, notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, take the property free of any security interest.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Cumberland, Mr. Broujos.

Mr. BROUJOS. Mr. Speaker, HB 2035 provides for prompt payment in the event of failure of merchants to pay growers for chickens or eggs which have been left with the grower to process.

Now, there are some amendments that have to be made in order to clarify provisions of the bill as it is presently constituted. The changes that occur on page 3 state clearly that there is a declaration of the merchant to be in default. That clarifies the language and is housekeeping. The language "taking possession" clarifies the right of the grower to take possession of chickens that are in possession of the grower. The lien which is provided for clarifies possession so that a specific right to a lien is given, rather than mere possession. That lien takes priority over previously perfected security interests. And finally, the procedure for sale by the grower is corrected to incorporate existing provisions of the Uniform Commercial Code because they have a case history and are an experience factor which helps clarify the specific language.

We would ask that the House agree to those amendments and vote affirmatively on them.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Berks, Mr. Davies, on the amendment.

Mr. DAVIES. Mr. Speaker, in going to that code, would the gentleman stand for one question of interrogation?

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Broujos, indicates he will so stand. The gentleman, Mr. Davies, is in order and may proceed.

Mr. DAVIES. Can there be any existing contracts in the industry now?

Mr. BROUJOS. Mr. Speaker, there are amendments prepared which specifically address the question of existing contracts and do not affect existing contracts for a period of 2 years.

Mr. DAVIES. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks both gentlemen.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS-192

Miller

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Oliver

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NAYS-0

NOT VOTING-4

Kosinski	Linton	Truman EXCUSED6	Williams
Clymer Foster, W. W.	McVerry Madigan	Marmion	Stevens

The question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration as amended?

Mr. BROUJOS offered the following amendments No. A2621:

Amend Sec. 3, page 2, lines 23 and 24, by striking out all of line 23 and "contrary" in line 24, and inserting

Unless otherwise agreed to by the parties involved

Amend Sec. 9, page 5, line 3, by striking out "secretary" and inserting

Secretary of Agriculture

Amend Bill, page 5, by inserting between lines 4 and 5 Section 10. Application.

For a period of two years from the effective date of this act, this act shall not apply to poultry contracts which are in effect prior to the effective date of this act.

Amend Sec. 10, page 5, line 5, by striking out "10" and inserting 11

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes the gentleman from Cumberland, Mr. Broujos.

Mr. BROUJOS. Mr. Speaker, there is a requirement for prompt payment within 14 days. These 14 days are based on the experience in the industry and after consultation with not only poultrymen but also processors and the producers who are within the ladder of activity in poultry. That requirement in the bill now is mandatory.

The amendment first provides that unless otherwise agreed to by the parties involved. This language is essential to insure that the parties can in fact contract for a longer period of time, which is desirable, and I discussed this with a number of Representatives who had some objection and they accept that amendment.

The second portion of the amendment clarifies that the Secretary referred to is the Secretary of Agriculture, and the third amendment is the one addressed by Mr. Davies that for a period of 2 years any contract which has provisions which presently bind the parties will not be affected. I ask for an affirmative vote on the amendments.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On the question recurring, Will the House agree to the amendments?

The following roll call was recorded:

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Cowell	Jackson	Petrone	Wachob
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Daley	Klingaman	Pitts	Williams
Davies	Kosinski	Pott	Wilson
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The question was determined in the affirmative, and the amendments were agreed to.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration as amended?

The SPEAKER. Does Mr. Saloom have an amendment?

Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, there is an amendment that had to be redrafted for the gentleman, Mr. Saloom. It is my understanding that that is where the gentleman is. Can we put that over temporarily, at least until we can get information as to the whereabouts?

The SPEAKER. Certainly.

BILL PASSED OVER TEMPORARILY

The SPEAKER. HB 2035 will go over temporarily.

STATEMENT BY MR. KOSINSKI

The SPEAKER. For what purpose does the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Kosinski, rise?

Mr. KOSINSK1. Mr. Speaker, to introduce a resolution.

The SPEAKER. A resolution?

Mr. KOSINSKI. Yes, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman may proceed.

Mr. KOSINSKI. Before I formally introduce it, I would like to have the opportunity to gather cosponsors.

Basically, it is the same resolution I introduced last week for a special investigative task force to investigate Lottery Fund investments. There is one major difference. This particular task force would be made up only of members of the House - three from the majority party and two from the minority party - as designated by the Speaker of the House. Everything else would remain the same.

We do anticipate some trouble within the Senate possibly getting the resolution we passed last week through the Senate. So what we are doing, in case that task force is not approved, is to have our own House task force. If anybody would like to cosponsor it before I submit the resolution, the copy is available and will be at my desk for your signature. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY MR. DeWEESE

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Greene, Mr. DeWeese, who wishes to make an announcement.

Mr. DeWEESE. Mr. Speaker, tomorrow marks the 40th anniversary of the Allied invasion of Normandy, and the House of Representatives, together with some veterans' groups and the administration, will have a very brief 20minute ceremony at the corner of Third and North Streets. When one leaves the Senate side of the building and proceeds straight ahead about 50 yards, we are going to plant an oak tree and dedicate a plaque to the men and women of the Commonwealth who participated in the Normandy invasion.

We just wanted to announce this and say to all the members that since the session tomorrow will commence at 11:30, we would very much appreciate anybody who wanted to to come down and visit with us. At 11 o'clock tomorrow morning, a very brief ceremony dedicating a plaque and an oak tree in memory of those who served and fought on D-day. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

REMARKS ON VOTE

The SPEAKER. For what purpose does the gentleman from Luzerne, Mr. Blaum, rise?

Mr. BLAUM. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

My switch did not function on final passage of SB 58, and I would like to be recorded in the affirmative.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman's remarks will be spread upon the record.

WELCOME

The SPEAKER. The Chair is delighted to welcome to the hall of the House the Democratic nominee for the Third Senatorial District in Philadelphia, Ms. Roxanne Jones, who is here as the guest of Andrew Carn, the Philadelphia delegation, and of her good friend, the Speaker of the House of Representatives. Welcome, Roxanne.

Roxanne, my wife told me that if I did not introduce you, not to come home.

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On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration as amended?

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, the amendment that the gentleman, Mr. Saloom, had prepared for introduction we believe now is better withdrawn, considering that the Broujos amendments have passed. Mr. Speaker, so Mr. Saloom will be withdrawing the amendments, and we can go on with final passage.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

Mr. Saloom has withdrawn his amendment.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration as amended?

Bill as amended was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. This bill has been considered on three different days and agreed to and is now on final passage.

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, the Chair recognizes the gentleman from Cumberland, Mr. Broujos.

Mr. BROUJOS. Mr. Speaker, l ask for an affirmative vote. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

The Chair, on final passage, recognizes the gentleman from Chester, Mr. Vroon.

Mr. VROON. Mr. Speaker, I rise to reluctantly oppose this bill, and the reason why I oppose this bill is that I think we are giving preferential treatment needlessly to a special class of business people in our State. These are the only people whom we are going to give such special privileges to, and it sets a bad precedent. Who will be next? But in addition to this, this is going to interfere, according to information which I have received from the Meridian Bank in Reading, which has had a lot of experience in this area, this is going to interfere with financing arrangements between that bank and other banks and these chicken growers.

I think it is utterly ridiculous for us to say these people need our protection when everybody else in our community sells a product of some kind to somebody else and they have no protection. If I sell a product to customers, I am going to have to collect my own debts. The next fellow sells products to his customers; he is going to have to collect his debts. Our economic society is full of debtors and creditors who operate together at arm's length. Now all of a sudden we are going to say, well, doggone it, we are going to have to take care of these farmers because they do not know how to take care of their own business.

I do not think the State should intrude in the chicken business. I think the State ought to let the farmer collect his own debts. If that farmer cannot collect his debts and on his own terms, he can turn around the next time that grower comes around, that merchant comes around to buy his flock, and he can say, I will be glad to sell you this flock on c.o.d. (cash on delivery) terms. That is his privilege. He can do that. If he wants to give him 10 days or 14 days, whatever, he can also stipulate on his invoice, interest will accrue from the due date of the payment. Everybody else does it that way. Everybody else has to collect their own debts. Why must we baby these farmers? I hate to say this, because I have a lot of good friends among the farmers, but why in the wide world are we going to keep on putting them in a special class? When are we going to start pitying the poor businessman, the little guy, who also has problems collecting his debts and who will also go broke if he does not? Who helps these small business people? I see thousands of them throughout the State and throughout the country who have similar collection problems.

Now, I am told by the bank that the lien which Mr. Broujos has now provided for will take precedence over whatever other liens the banks have among those people. Now, suppose bank financing is arranged in connection with a flock. Just as soon as that flock enters the inventory of the customer of the bank, there is a loan put on that flock, and then the bank takes as security a lien on that flock. This comes along and this says, sorry, but the grower's lien takes priority over your lien, Mr. Banker. Now, that is what is wrong with the whole procedure, and I, for one, and I know this is probably not a very popular stance to take, but I, for one, feel this is a matter of fairness and equity. If we do it for the farmers, we have to do it for a lot of other deserving small business people. I heartily oppose this bill, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Mr. Wass.

Mr. WASS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, may I interrogate Mr. Baldwin?

The SPEAKER. Mr. Baldwin indicates he will stand for interrogation. Mr. Wass is in order and may proceed.

Mr. WASS. Mr. Speaker, you had intentions of presenting an amendment to make the 14 days 28 days. Can you tell me what prompted you to produce this amendment and then what prompted you to withdraw it?

Mr. BALDWIN. Yes, Mr. Speaker. The initial bill that was presented in the Agriculture Committee mandated the statutory provision of 14 days and provided that it would supersede any contractual relationship that may exist between the producer and the middleman. With the Broujos amendment that was introduced and accepted by the House today, that provides that contractual relationships will remain intact and that the producers and the middlemen are free to enter into any type of contractual arrangement, no matter what the statute says about 14 days. That is why I withdrew the amendment.

Mr. WASS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

May l interrogate Mr. Broujos, please?

The SPEAKER. Mr. Broujos indicates he will stand for interrogation. The gentleman, Mr. Wass, may proceed.

Mr. WASS. Mr. Speaker, I know that your bill has a concern for the farmer, and I totally agree with you, but how did you arrive at the 14 days?

Mr. BROUJOS. The 14 days is based on experience and custom in the business. There is, upon delivery of eggs to the processor or to the distributor, a period of approximately 7 days when they supply food markets. I checked with food markets, and the food markets indicated they pay promptly within 7 days. So since eggs must move quickly, and they are moved quickly from the grower to the processor-distributor to the market, within 7 days the distributor is paid. He is given an additional 7 days to pay the grower. If any business is not operating on that basis, then they are not doing so well, and they have a lot of their personal money tied up.

Mr. WASS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

If I may, we are told that many of the eggs-

Mr. BROUJOS. Did you have any other questions that I can answer?

The SPEAKER. Have you finished questioning, Mr. Wass? Mr. WASS. Thank you. That concludes my interrogation. I would like to make a statement.

The SPEAKER. You may speak on final passage.

Mr. WASS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Although I am going to support the legislation, I do have a concern that many of the eggs and poultry that are purchased by the merchant have yet to be sold in 14 days. I just question the movement of the eggs and poultry that fast, and I think it is just a little unfair, possibly, to make the merchant come up with these funds before he has sold his products. So although I have reservations, I do encourage a "yes" vote on the bill.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Cumberland, Mr. Broujos, on final passage.

Mr. BROUJOS. Mr. Speaker, I would like to address the remarks made by the speaker, Mr. Vroon.

Mr. Vroon indicated that the farmer should be at an arm's length transaction. Well, I would like to see what is going to come out of an arm's length transaction between a farmer and a banker. The bankers are going out now and reappraising property, and they are decreasing the amount of appraisal on that property so they can cut off the lines of credit of some of the farmers. I would like to see where you are going to have fair play when you have farmers who are relatively disorganized and are willing to work within the scope of normal practices and yet are victimized on a number of occasions or simply do not protect their interests. I have a contract here which provides for the producer, who puts the chickens into the grower's farm, to have a right to take back his goods; he has possession, but no right is given in these agreements to the grower himself.

When you talk about a special class, I consider the farmers to be a very special class, Mr. Speaker. They are a special class because of the conditions that exist today. Farmers, and particularly the chicken farmers, have faced a drought; they have faced avian flu; they have faced high interest costs; they are a unique industry.

When we talk about special classes, Mr. Speaker, it is this legislature that created a special class when they gave a lien to attorneys. Attorneys have a retaining lien. Why do they have

it? Because they had their ox gored at one time, or somebody did, and they asked for that help from the legislature. And so mechanic's liens are granted, mechanic's liens because a builder came in and said, I want protection. There is a lien for repairmen in auto shops. So it depends on whose ox is getting gored, and it depends on the influence they have with the legislature at the time they need assistance. The farmers need assistance now and they need it from us.

When you talk about the interference with financing, again, I read the Meridian letter and I see their objection, and I would like to know again when a bank is not going to get the most security they can get out of any situation and have you put into hock and collateral practically everything you own to guarantee an amount of security that they have, which is less than that collateral. So I am not concerned about the interference with financing transactions with bankers.

Let us look at the realities of the situation. When you have the chickens in a farm, 20,000 for instance, they may be worth \$60,000. The product of 1 week's eggs may be worth \$2,000. So if you are going to put a lien on for \$2,000, you are not going to, by any stretch of the imagination, sell 60,000 dollars' worth of assets. The bank will be protected; there is nobody going to sell \$60,000 for \$2,000 of debts. This bill is effective to accomplish its purpose for people who need help from us, and I ask for an affirmative vote. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On final passage, the Chair recognizes the gentleman from Chester, Mr. Morris.

Mr. MORRIS. Mr. Speaker, 1 cannot add very much to what Mr. Broujos said. The farmers, particularly the so-called growers, really need this legislation. They have gotten a right dirty deal out of a number of the people with whom they deal. I am not sure whether Mr. Vroon understands this industry, but by far, the greatest number of these farmers who are called growers do not own the chickens. They are supplied with the chickens and the feed, and they take care of them. They are like an employee. Many of these people in the last year or so have gone for as much as 6 months without payment, and that is just plain wrong. They have almost no recourse under the contracts that some of these guys sign. Now, you can say it is their own stupidity to sign a contract like that, but you also have to remember that they got talked into going into this business; they got talked into putting up a quarter of a million dollars to build a broiler house, and now they are stuck with it. They need our help. Please vote for this bill.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Vroon, for the second time on final passage.

Mr. VROON. I just want a brief interrogation with Mr. Broujos.

The SPEAKER. Mr. Broujos indicates he will stand for interrogation. Mr. Vroon is in order and may proceed.

Mr. VROON. Mr. Speaker, when it comes to placing liens, is there anything at all that would prevent the chicken grower from placing a lien by the terms of his contract with the buyer?

Mr. BROUJOS. No; there is not.

Mr. VROON. Then do we need this bill or do we not?

Mr. BROUJOS. You need the bill because of the circumstances, Mr. Speaker, that I related previously, and that is that the farmer is at a disadvantage. He is a single, small producer in a large number of producers who are relatively controlled by the processors-distributors and food markets. They need assistance. If they have not contracted privately, and they can contract privately, then they should have the protection of this bill.

It is not uncommon that the legislature provides protection for groups that need protection that may not necessarily protect themselves. If you want to leave a laissez-faire situation exist, then you are going to have occur exactly what has in fact happened, and that is that the control of markets dictated to small, individual farmers, not organized and not having sufficient dollar clout or power clout, will result in the distributors picking and choosing where they want to go, with the result that the individual farmer does not have adequate protection. This act is there to give them protection in the event that they do not contract otherwise.

Mr. VROON. Okay. Mr. Speaker, I began my interrogation by asking you whether or not it was possible for the grower to name his own terms on the sale of that flock, and I think you said, yes, he can, but he needs our help. Okay. Why does he need our help? You went all through this to explain why he needs our help, but if he has the prerogative of stating his own terms and he has the law behind him in case those terms are not complied with, I do not see how we are going to add very much to it by passing this bill. Neither do I think that we ought to encourage the farmer not to be that conscientious about his own business, but he should protect himself when he sells his goods. I still think this is a poor bill, and I ask for its defeat, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The SPEAKER. Agreeable to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays will now be taken.

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Battisto	Freind	McIntyre	Scheetz
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The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

WELCOMES

The SPEAKER. The Chair is delighted to welcome to the hall of the House a young lady from Steelton, Pennsylvania. She is in her third year as a student at the School of Communications and Theater at Temple University. Her name is Ms. Gina White, and she is here as the guest of Representative Deal and Representative Wambach. Welcome to the hall of the House.

We also have the wife of Representative Jarolin here, Mrs. Theresa Jarolin, and Raymond and Josephine Kizalowicz. They are here as the guests of Representative Jarolin. Welcome to the hall of the House.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS PASSED OVER

The SPEAKER. Without objection, all remaining bills and resolutions on today's calendar will be passed over. The Chair hears none.

Please pay attention to the motion for adjournment. It will be until 11:30 tomorrow morning instead of 11. It will be until 11:30 tomorrow morning.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. O'Brien.

Mr. O'BRIEN. Mr. Speaker, I move that this House do now adjourn until Wednesday, June 6, 1984, at 11:30 a.m., e.d.t.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Motion was agreed to, and at 2:31 p.m., e.d.t., the House adjourned.