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SESSION OF 1985

169TH OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

No. 19

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE (LESTER K. FRYER) IN THE CHAIR

PRAYER

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

O God, as another day has begun, we come before Thee to express our thanks and gratitude for all of life's blessings. We know that we owe Thee our all, and without Thee we cannot reach our highest potential. Therefore, our benevolent Lord, we ask that Thou wilt bless these stewards of Thine that they may not only reach their highest potential in Thy service but that they may pioneer for the well-being of the peoples of this great Commonwealth. Heavenly Father, prick their consciences in this hour of introspection that they may see themselves as they are, and empty their lives of selfish egotism and self-aggrandizement and fill them with purposeful fulfillment in Thy kingdom. Amen.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

(The Pledge of Allegiance was enunciated by members.)

JOURNAL APPROVAL POSTPONED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the approval of the Journal of Monday, March 25, 1985, will be postponed until printed. The Chair hears no objection.

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, March 25, 1985

RESOLVED, (the House of Representatives concurring), That when the Senate adjourns this week it reconvene on Tuesday, April 9, 1985 unless sooner recalled by the President Pro Tempore, and when the House of Representatives adjourns this week it reconvene on Tuesday, April 9, 1985 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.

SENATE MESSAGE

SENATE CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE RESOLUTION

The clerk of the Senate, being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in HR 30, PN 452.

BILLS REMOVED FROM TABLE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, I move that the following bills be removed from the tabled calendar and placed on the active calendar:

- HB 175;
HB 271;
HB 278;
HB 293;
HB 441;
HB 563;
HB 564; and
SB 244.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Motion was agreed to.

WELCOMES

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair is pleased to welcome to the gallery of the House a group of gifted students from Mifflin County, and they are the guests of Representative Rudy and Representative DeVerter.

The Chair also welcomes Walt Gulla and Robert Colalella, who are the guests of the Representatives of Beaver County.

Wendy Werkheiser will be serving as a guest page today, March 26, 1985. Wendy has been selected as "Student of the Semester" for the Nazareth Area School District, which is located in the 137th Legislative District. She is a ninth grade

student at Nazareth Area Junior High School. Wendy is accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Werkheiser. They are here as the guests of Representative Gruppo. I regret that Wendy is not here at the moment. She is on an urgent detail and she will be reintroduced later on in today's session.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Are there any requests for leaves of absence?

The Chair recognizes the majority whip, who indicates that there are no leaves requested.

The Chair recognizes the minority whip.

Mr. HAYES. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I request a leave for the gentleman from Cumberland County, Mr. KENNEDY, for the day.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, leave of absence is granted. The Chair hears no objection.

MASTER ROLL CALL RECORDED

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

The following roll call was recorded:

PRESENT—199

Acosta	Deal	Langtry	Reinard
Afflerbach	Dietz	Laughlin	Richardson
Angstadt	Dininni	Lescovitz	Rieger
Argall	Distler	Letterman	Robbins
Arty	Dombrowski	Levdansky	Rudy
Baldwin	Donatucci	Levin	Ryan
Barber	Dorr	Linton	Rybak
Barley	Duffy	Livengood	Saloom
Battisto	Durham	Lloyd	Saurman
Belardi	Evans	Lucyk	Scheetz
Belfanti	Fargo	McCall	Schuler
Birmelin	Fattah	McClatchy	Semmel
Black	Fee	McHale	Serafini
Blaum	Fischer	McVerry	Seventy
Book	Flick	Mackowski	Showers
Bortner	Foster, Jr., A.	Maiale	Sirianni
Bowley	Fox	Manderino	Smith, B.
Bowser	Freeman	Manmiller	Smith, L. E.
Boyes	Freind	Markosek	Snyder, D. W.
Brandt	Fryer	Mayernik	Snyder, G. M.
Broujos	Gallagher	Merry	Staback
Bunt	Gallen	Michlovic	Stairs
Burd	Gamble	Micozzie	Steighner
Burns	Gannon	Miller	Stevens
Bush	Geist	Moehlmann	Stewart
Caltagirone	George	Morris	Stuban
Cappabianca	Gladeck	Mowery	Sweet
Carlson	Godshall	Mrkoncic	Swift
Carn	Greenwood	Murphy	Taylor, E. Z.
Cawley	Gruitza	Nahill	Taylor, F. E.
Cessar	Gruppo	Noye	Taylor, J. J.
Chadwick	Hagarty	O'Brien	Telek
Cimini	Haluska	O'Donnell	Tigue
Civera	Harper	Olasz	Trello
Clark	Hasay	Oliver	Truman
Clymer	Hayes	Perzel	Van Horne
Cohen	Herman	Petrarca	Veon
Colafella	Hershey	Petrone	Vroon
Cole	Honaman	Phillips	Wambach
Cordisco	Howlett	Piccola	Wass
Cornell	Hutchinson	Pievsky	Weston

Coslett	Itkin	Pistella	Wiggins
Cowell	Jackson	Pitts	Wilson
Coy	Jarolin	Pott	Wogan
Deluca	Johnson	Pratt	Wozniak
DeVerter	Josephs	Pressmann	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kasunic	Preston	Wright, J. L.
Daley	Kenney	Punt	Wright, R. C.
Davies	Kosinski	Raymond	Yandrisevits
Dawida	Kukovich	Reber	

ADDITIONS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy
Lashinger

Irvis,
Speaker

BILL REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE, CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED

SB 83, PN 321

By Rep. RIEGER

An Act amending the act of July 20, 1974 (P. L. 551, No. 190), entitled "Medical Practice Act of 1974," further providing for revocation or suspension of the license to practice medicine; and authorizing temporary suspensions of licenses.

PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE.

HOUSE BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

No. 687 By Representatives PICCOLA, SAURMAN, VROON, NOYE, SHOWERS, FARGO, DIETZ, PHILLIPS, COY, WILSON, RYBAK, MRKONIC, FOX, CHADWICK, TRELLO, DeLUCA, ARTY, E. Z. TAYLOR, HERMAN, BIRMELIN, SEMMEL, CIMINI, MICOZZIE, BARLEY and J. J. TAYLOR

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for the sentencing authority in cases relating to driving under the influence of alcohol or controlled substance.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, March 26, 1985.

No. 688 By Representatives HALUSKA, FARGO, BELFANTI, TRELLO and POTT

An Act providing for a timely and orderly procedure of contract negotiations and settlement between school boards and their employees.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, March 26, 1985.

No. 689 By Representatives CALTAGIRONE, STUBAN, STABACK, ANGSTADT, PRESSMANN, CIVERA, DONATUCCI, JOHNSON, POTT, DURHAM, BUNT, PHILLIPS, YANDRISEVITS, BALDWIN, McCALL, DeWEESE, E. Z. TAYLOR, GEIST, PETRONE, D. R. WRIGHT, PISTELLA and FLICK

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1939 (P. L. 177, No. 175), known as "The Administrative Code of 1929," further providing for salaries of certain members of the Pennsylvania State Police.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 26, 1985.

No. 690 By Representatives TRELLO, MAYERNIK, SEVENTY, PETRONE, FRYER, CESSAR, J. L. WRIGHT, PERZEL, FEE, DALEY, SIRIANNI, COHEN, DAWIDA, BELARDI and COLAFELLA

An Act amending the act of July 28, 1953 (P. L. 723, No. 230), known as the "Second Class County Code," further providing for county commissioners to make contracts.

Referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, March 26, 1985.

No. 691 By Representatives TRELLO, STABACK, DALEY, HERMAN, WOGAN, PISTELLA, KOSINSKI, PRESTON and SEMMEL

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for certain expenses.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, March 26, 1985.

No. 692 By Representatives TRELLO, PETRONE, PERZEL, DALEY, OLASZ, HALUSKA, JOSEPHS, CAWLEY, FOX, PRESTON, RYBAK and STABACK

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for use of a future test year and prohibiting two-step rate increases.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, March 26, 1985.

No. 693 By Representatives TRELLO, DALEY, SEVENTY, VAN HORNE, SWEET, COLAFELLA and COHEN

An Act amending the act of July 6, 1984 (P. L. 642, No. 132), known as the "Cash Consumer Protection Act," further providing for the refusal to provide services.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, March 26, 1985.

No. 694 By Representatives TRELLO, FARGO, SWEET, VAN HORNE, MERRY, BOWSER, SEVENTY, COLAFELLA and COHEN

An Act amending the act of April 27, 1925 (P. L. 319, No. 180), entitled "An act relating to the destruction of cancelled or unused bonds or other evidences of indebtedness of this Commonwealth," further providing for the destruction of canceled bonds or other evidences of indebtedness.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, March 26, 1985.

No. 695 By Representatives TRELLO, COLAFELLA, RYBAK, DALEY, PISTELLA, LAUGHLIN, STABACK,

CAWLEY, CIVERA, JOSEPHS, SEVENTY, DeLUCA, HALUSKA, KOSINSKI, PRESTON and TELEK

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P. L. 6, No. 2), known as the "Tax Reform Code of 1971," reducing commissions for stamping agencies; providing for the disposition of money saved thereby; creating the Youth Fund; and providing for duties of the Department of Community Affairs.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, March 26, 1985.

No. 696 By Representatives TRELLO, PISTELLA, GODSHALL, AFFLERBACH, WOGAN, DALEY, POTT, HALUSKA, GEIST, PETRARCA, WOZNIAK, CAWLEY, ITKIN, SEVENTY, PRESTON, DORR, STABACK, B. SMITH, FARGO, BOWSER, COLAFELLA and TELEK

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P. L. 6., No. 2), known as the "Tax Reform Code of 1971," further providing for an information statement for terminated employees.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, March 26, 1985.

No. 697 By Representatives TRELLO, PETRONE, CIVERA, DeLUCA, PERZEL, ARTY, J. L. WRIGHT, WOGAN, HARPER, POTT, MILLER, OLASZ, GEIST, CESSAR, PETRARCA, DALEY, NAHILL, HALUSKA, CAWLEY, SEVENTY, PRESTON, MAYERNIK, DAWIDA, JOHNSON, RYBAK, STABACK, E. Z. TAYLOR, BOOK, COLAFELLA and TELEK

An Act amending the act of August 26, 1971 (P. L. 351, No. 91), known as the "State Lottery Law," providing for home-steading exemptions for certain persons.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, March 26, 1985.

No. 698 By Representatives TRELLO, PETRONE, CIVERA, DeLUCA, PERZEL, ARTY, J. L. WRIGHT, WOGAN, HARPER, POTT, MILLER, OLASZ, GEIST, PETRARCA, DALEY, NAHILL, HALUSKA, CAWLEY, SEVENTY, PRESTON, MAYERNIK, DAWIDA, JOHNSON, RYBAK, STABACK, E. Z. TAYLOR, BOOK, COLAFELLA and TELEK

An Act amending the act of March 11, 1971 (P. L. 104, No. 3), known as the "Senior Citizens Rebate and Assistance Act," further providing for the allowable percentage of real property tax rebate or rent rebate, and for a homestead exemption.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, March 26, 1985.

No. 699 By Representatives TRELLO, ARTY, MRKONIC, PETRONE, DALEY, GEIST, ACOSTA, BOOK, JOSEPHS, FEE, CAWLEY, STEVENS, BELARDI, KOSINSKI, SEVENTY, STABACK,

DONATUCCI, COLAFELLA,
J. J. TAYLOR and TELEK

An Act amending the act of January 22, 1968 (P. L. 42, No. 8), known as the "Pennsylvania Urban Mass Transportation Law," further providing for grants for transportation.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, March 26, 1985.

No. 700 By Representatives TRELLO, ARTY, MRKONIC, PETRONE, DALEY, GEIST, ACOSTA, BOOK, JOSEPHS, FEE, CAWLEY, STEVENS, BELARDI, KOSINSKI, SEVENTY, STABACK, DONATUCCI, COLAFELLA, J. J. TAYLOR and TELEK

An Act amending the act of August 26, 1971 (P. L. 351, No. 91), known as the "State Lottery Law," further providing for the use of funds.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, March 26, 1985.

No. 701 By Representatives TRELLO, ARTY, MRKONIC, PETRONE, DALEY, GEIST, ACOSTA, BOOK, JOSEPHS, FEE, CAWLEY, STEVENS, BELARDI, KOSINSKI, SEVENTY, STABACK, DONATUCCI, COLAFELLA, J. J. TAYLOR and TELEK

An Act amending the act of February 11, 1976 (P. L. 14, No. 10), known as the "Pennsylvania Rural and Intercity Common Carrier Surface Transportation Assistance Act," further providing for grants for transportation; and making an editorial change.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, March 26, 1985.

No. 702 By Representatives SIRIANNI and CHADWICK

An Act authorizing the Department of Transportation, with the approval of the Governor, to convey to the Wyalusing Municipal Authority approximately one and one-third acres of land located in Wyalusing Borough, Bradford County.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 26, 1985.

No. 703 By Representatives HARPER, CAWLEY, POTT, TIGUE, BATTISTO, HALUSKA, VROON, BLAUM, BELARDI, COHEN, TRELLO, TRUMAN, CARN, OLIVER, DEAL and ACOSTA

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30, No. 14), known as the "Public School Code of 1949," further providing for the attire for students and for a discipline code.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, March 26, 1985.

No. 704 By Representatives HARPER, MARKOSEK, BATTISTO, HALUSKA, DALEY, JAROLIN, HERMAN, JOSEPHS, CARN, ACOSTA and RUDY

An Act establishing a program of limited domestic service for certain elderly, blind or handicapped persons; granting powers and imposing duties on the Department of Aging; providing for payments from the State Lottery Fund; fixing penalties for violations of the program; and making a limited repeal.

Referred to Committee on HEALTH AND WELFARE, March 26, 1985.

No. 705 By Representatives HARPER, TRELLO, KUKOVICH, PETRARCA, COHEN, DeWEESE, RYBAK, TRUMAN, CARN, LINTON, OLIVER, DEAL and ACOSTA

An Act requiring motor vehicle service stations to have full-service lines available for certain persons in cities of the first class; and providing for a penalty.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, March 26, 1985.

No. 706 By Representatives ITKIN, CESSAR, CAWLEY, VROON, DALEY, PISTELLA, TRELLO, MRKONIC, COLAFELLA, BELFANTI, FLICK, DeLUCA, PRESTON, TELEK and FARGO

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for limits on certain costs arising in summary convictions for motor vehicle cases.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, March 26, 1985.

No. 707 By Representatives RUDY, ARTY, IRVIS, WAMBACH, JAROLIN, ITKIN, HERMAN, MARKOSEK, CLARK, AFFLERBACH, COY, DAWIDA, VAN HORNE, STEIGHNER, BELFANTI, McCALL, KUKOVICH, BATTISTO, TIGUE, RYBAK, B. SMITH, COHEN, ANGSTADT, DONATUCCI, HARPER, DURHAM, BUNT, PHILLIPS, CORDISCO, WOZNIAK, MAIALE, BLAUM, LUCYK, BALDWIN, ACOSTA, TRELLO, MICHLOVIC, HERSHEY, COWELL, PETRONE, FARGO, DEAL, McVERRY, E. Z. TAYLOR, LINTON, D. R. WRIGHT, PISTELLA, SALOOM, SWEET, FOX, HAGARTY, CALTAGIRONE, JOSEPHS, CAWLEY, FREEMAN and GALLAGHER

An Act authorizing Commonwealth agencies to establish pilot day care programs for the children of agency employees.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 26, 1985.

No. 708 By Representatives RUDY, ARTY, IRVIS, WAMBACH, JAROLIN, ITKIN, HERMAN, MARKOSEK, CLARK, AFFLERBACH, COY, DAWIDA, VAN HORNE, STEIGHNER, BELFANTI, McCALL, STABACK, KUKOVICH,

BATTISTO, TIGUE, RYBAK, B. SMITH, COHEN, ANGSTADT, DONATUCCI, HARPER, DURHAM, BUNT, PHILLIPS, CORDISCO, WOZNIAK, MAIALE, BLAUM, LUCYK, BALDWIN, ACOSTA, TRELLO, MICHLOVIC, HERSHEY, COWELL, PETRONE, FARGO, DEAL, McVERRY, E. Z. TAYLOR, LINTON, D. R. WRIGHT, PISTELLA, SALOOM, SWEET, FOX, HAGARTY, CALTAGIRONE, JOSEPHS, CAWLEY and FREEMAN

An Act authorizing the Department of Auditor General to utilize Commonwealth property for a pilot day care program for the children of its employees.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 26, 1985.

No. 709 By Representatives TRELLO, KASUNIC, GAMBLE, A. C. FOSTER, JR., COLAFELLA, RYBAK, PRATT, AFFLERBACH, LAUGHLIN, E. Z. TAYLOR, CAWLEY, BELARDI, HERMAN, SEVENTY, BALDWIN, PRESTON and STABACK

An Act amending the act of December 31, 1965 (P. L. 1257, No. 511), known as "The Local Tax Enabling Act," requiring the Secretary of Revenue to furnish local tax officers with State income tax information.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, March 26, 1985.

No. 710 By Representatives BURNS, GALLAGHER, GREENWOOD and CLYMER

An Act amending the act of May 25, 1945 (P. L. 1050, No. 394), known as the "Local Tax Collection Law," further providing for penalties and interest.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, March 26, 1985.

No. 711 By Representatives BURNS, GALLAGHER, GREENWOOD and CLYMER

An Act amending the act of July 7, 1947 (P. L. 1368, No. 542), known as the "Real Estate Tax Sale Law," further providing for interest on unpaid taxes.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, March 26, 1985.

No. 712 By Representatives GALLAGHER, COLAFELLA, BURNS, LESCOVITZ, FOX, FATTAH, J. L. WRIGHT, AFFLERBACH, RAYMOND, BATTISTO, FREIND, CIVERA, MICOZZIE, ARTY, PITTS, R. C. WRIGHT, FLICK, HERMAN, STAIRS, DAVIES, COWELL and KOSINSKI

An Act requiring that corrective action be taken to eliminate the health hazards posed by the presence of asbestos materials in public schools of this Commonwealth.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, March 26, 1985.

No. 713 By Representatives GALLAGHER, COLAFELLA, BURNS, LESCOVITZ, FOX, FATTAH, J. L. WRIGHT, AFFLERBACH, RAYMOND, BATTISTO, FREIND, CIVERA, MICOZZIE, ARTY, PITTS, R. C. WRIGHT, FLICK, HERMAN, STAIRS, DAVIES and KOSINSKI

An Act authorizing the indebtedness, with the approval of the electors, of \$300,000,000 to remove or enclose friable and potentially friable asbestos found in the public schools of this Commonwealth.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, March 26, 1985.

No. 714 By Representatives GALLAGHER, FISCHER, BATTISTO, BURNS, HERMAN, DAVIES, STAIRS, COLAFELLA and KOSINSKI

An Act amending Title 24 (Education) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for automatic cost-of-living increases for annuitants of the Public School Employees' Retirement System.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, March 26, 1985.

No. 715 By Representatives GALLAGHER, BURNS, FOX, FREIND, TELEK, DAVIES, KOSINSKI and BATTISTO

An Act amending Title 24 (Education) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for disability annuities.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, March 26, 1985.

No. 716 By Representatives GALLAGHER, COLAFELLA, KOSINSKI, FATTAH, BATTISTO, TELEK, STAIRS, DAVIES and BURNS

An Act amending Title 24 (Education) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for creditable non-school service.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, March 26, 1985.

No. 717 By Representatives B. SMITH, MAYERNIK, PRATT, J. L. WRIGHT, MOEHLMANN, RYBAK, LETTERMAN, TRELLO, MRKONIC, PETRARCA, LASHINGER, MANMILLER, VROON, SAURMAN, PERZEL, JOHNSON, ARTY, PISTELLA, BOWLEY, NAHILL, BATTISTO, DISTLER, NOYE, COY, AFFLERBACH, BARLEY, TIGUE, SIRIANNI, E. Z. TAYLOR, DORR, BOWSER, JACKSON, MILLER, CESSAR, GEIST, LINTON, COWELL, G. M. SNYDER, CLYMER, COLAFELLA, SEVENTY, BELFANTI, HERMAN, MICHLOVIC, CIVERA, DeLUCA, BELARDI, BURD, FISCHER,

RAYMOND, MERRY, BUNT, HALUSKA, CARN, BOOK, ITKIN, MICOZZIE, GRUPPO, BOYES, TELEK, A. C. FOSTER, JR., BROUJOS, BORTNER, PETRONE, McVERRY, CAWLEY and PICCOLA

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for juvenile appearances before district justices.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, March 26, 1985.

No. 718 By Representatives CIVERA, MICOZZIE, PERZEL, DISTLER, ARTY, BELARDI, ANGSTADT, WOGAN, DeLUCA, DURHAM, GLADECK, FOX, LASHINGER, E. Z. TAYLOR, PETRONE, GANNON and COLAFELLA

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for the installation of traffic-control devices.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, March 26, 1985.

No. 719 By Representatives CIVERA, MICOZZIE, PERZEL, ARTY, MRKONIC, DeLUCA, FOX, LASHINGER, E. Z. TAYLOR, GEIST, PETRONE and GANNON

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for the use of school buses by senior citizens.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, March 26, 1985.

No. 720 By Representatives GALLAGHER, BURNS, GREENWOOD, CLYMER, J. L. WRIGHT, REINARD, CORDISCO, O'BRIEN, WILSON and BURD

An Act declaring and adopting the song "My Pennsylvania," by Ann H. Leyland, as the State song of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 26, 1985.

No. 721 By Representatives AFFLERBACH, MORRIS, STUBAN, ITKIN, BOWSER, MAIALE, HOWLETT, SEMMEL, WOGAN, JOHNSON, FOX, ACOSTA, E. Z. TAYLOR, McHALE and PRESSMANN

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for fingerprinting in bad check offenses.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, March 26, 1985.

No. 722 By Representatives FREEMAN, PRESTON, KUKOVICH, WILSON, JOSEPHS, JACKSON, OLASZ, BELARDI,

E. Z. TAYLOR, DeLUCA, JOHNSON, TRELLO, ARTY, PISTELLA, BELFANTI, BALDWIN, DEAL, RYBAK, WAMBACH, YANDRISEVITS, EVANS, McHALE, AFFLERBACH, BATTISTO, LINTON, RICHARDSON, STEWART and DeWEESE

An Act amending the act of May 23, 1945 (P. L. 926, No. 369), referred to as the "Public Eating and Drinking Place Law," providing for notice to customers in public eating places that foods served contain sulfiting additives; requiring distributors to give certain notice of sulfiting agents; and transferring certain powers and duties to the Department of Environmental Resources.

Referred to Committee on CONSERVATION, March 26, 1985.

No. 723 By Representatives RICHARDSON, ANGSTADT, TRUMAN, KUKOVICH, OLIVER, REBER, DAWIDA, ACOSTA, FOX, J. L. WRIGHT, KASUNIC, PISTELLA, DeWEESE, JOSEPHS, KOSINSKI and DEAL

An Act recognizing the problem of maldistribution of physicians throughout Pennsylvania; setting forth the need to develop over a ten-year period an accelerated premedical and integrated primary care medical school program; creating the Primary Care Medical Education Council; establishing the powers and duties of the council; creating regional advisory committees to the council; providing membership on the council and advisory committees for parties interested in developing and carrying out the programs of the council; providing for recommendations on and administration of appropriations to medical schools, schools of osteopathy, and certain undergraduate colleges and universities; providing for open meetings and free access to the council and advisory committees; and making appropriations.

Referred to Committee on HEALTH AND WELFARE, March 26, 1985.

No. 724 By Representatives BELFANTI, COLE, MANDERINO, CORDISCO, HAYES, McCALL, DeWEESE, MRKONIC, VAN HORNE, GRUITZA, MAYERNIK, WOZNIAK, STEIGHNER, DeLUCA, KASUNIC, PETRONE, LUCYK, BOWLEY, LIVENGOOD, TIGUE, CAPPABIANCA, CAWLEY, BELARDI, LLOYD, PHILLIPS, NOYE, B. SMITH, DORR, G. M. SNYDER, FREIND, CIVERA and MICOZZIE

An Act amending the act of April 29, 1982 (P. L. 355, No. 99), known as the "Vietnam Herbicides Information Act," further providing for the commission.

Referred to Committee on FEDERAL-STATE RELATIONS, March 26, 1985.

No. 725 By Representatives GREENWOOD, FISCHER, DISTLER, ACOSTA, BARLEY and TRELLO

An Act amending the act of July 31, 1968 (P. L. 805, No. 247), known as the "Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code," further providing for regional hearing boards.

Referred to Committee on CONSERVATION, March 26, 1985.

No. 726 By Representatives GREENWOOD, GEORGE, E. Z. TAYLOR, TRELLO, GALLAGHER, WILSON, FOX, JOSEPHS, KUKOVICH, PERZEL, FREEMAN, MORRIS, CAWLEY and DAWIDA

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P. L. 177, No. 175), known as "The Administrative Code of 1929," further providing for the appointment of members of the Environmental Hearing Board.

Referred to Committee on CONSERVATION, March 26, 1985.

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

No. 48 By Representatives HERSHEY, PITTS, LETTERMAN, CESSAR, SAURMAN, MAYERNIK, CIMINI, CLYMER, DeLUCA, GRUPPO, BUSH, E. Z. TAYLOR, CAWLEY, MURPHY, FOX, ROBBINS, DEAL, VROON, FEE, SCHULER, A. C. FOSTER, JR., J. L. WRIGHT, CHADWICK, PERZEL, WOGAN, BARLEY, ARTY, OLASZ, BOOK and HERMAN

Directing the Speaker to appoint a bipartisan select committee to investigate sexually explicit cable television programming.

Referred to Committee on RULES, March 26, 1985.

No. 49 By Representatives DININNI, WAMBACH, PICCOLA and MANMILLER

Providing for the appointment of a select committee to thoroughly investigate the operational aspects of the Emaus Orphan House located in Dauphin County.

Referred to Committee on RULES, March 26, 1985.

No. 51 By Representatives RICHARDSON, ANGSTADT, TRUMAN, KUKOVICH, OLIVER, REBER, DAWIDA, ACOSTA, FOX, J. L. WRIGHT, KASUNIC, TRELLO, DeLUCA, LINTON, PISTELLA, DeWEESE and DEAL

Directing the Judiciary Committee to investigate the distribution and use of certain drugs in State prisons.

Referred to Committee on RULES, March 26, 1985.

No. 52 By Representatives RICHARDSON, EVANS, TRUMAN, PRESTON and MILLER

Providing for a bipartisan special committee to investigate the Mid-Atlantic States Association in relation to academic evaluations of member institutions of the State System of Higher Education.

Referred to Committee on RULES, March 26, 1985.

CALENDAR

BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 242, PN 259**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of May 27, 1937 (P. L. 926, No. 249), referred to as the "Bedding and Upholstery Law," further regulating reports of certain licensees.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

BILL RECOMMENDED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, I move that HB 242, PN 259, be recommitted to the Appropriations Committee 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 118, PN 630**, entitled:

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

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

BILL RECOMMENDED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, I move that HB 118, PN 630, be recommitted to the Appropriations Committee 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 126, PN 631**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of February 1, 1966 (1965 P. L. 1656, No. 581), known as "The Borough Code," further providing for the sale of land to a volunteer fire company, volunteer ambulance service or volunteer rescue squad located within the borough.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

BILL RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, I move that HB 126, PN 631, be recommitted to the Appropriations Committee for a fiscal note.

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

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

HB 147, PN 161.

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 434, PN 488**, entitled:

An Act authorizing the indebtedness, with the approval of the electors, of \$10,000,000 for loans to volunteer fire companies, volunteer ambulance services and volunteer rescue squads for the purpose of establishing or modernizing facilities to house fire-fighting apparatus equipment, ambulances and rescue vehicles, and for purchasing firefighting apparatus equipment, ambulances and rescue vehicles, protective and communications equipment, and any other accessory equipment necessary for the proper performance of such organizations' duties.

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

BILL RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, I move that HB 434, PN 488, be recommitted to the Appropriations Committee 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 542, PN 601**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of August 9, 1955 (P. L. 323, No. 130), known as "The County Code," establishing the County Vacancy Board and providing for the appointment of persons to fill vacancies in the office of county commissioner.

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

BILL RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, I move that HB 542, PN 601, 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 65, PN 69**, entitled:

An Act amending the "Pennsylvania Industrial Development Authority Act," approved May 17, 1956 (1955 P. L. 1609, No. 537), providing preferential Pennsylvania Industrial Development Authority loans for the use of coal produced in Pennsylvania.

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

BILL RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, I move that HB 65, PN 69, be recommitted to the Appropriations Committee 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 66, PN 629**, entitled:

An Act amending "The Administrative Code of 1929," approved April 9, 1929 (P. L. 177, No. 175), converting State heating systems to the use of coal which has been produced in Pennsylvania.

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

BILL RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, I move that HB 66, PN 629, be recommitted to the Appropriations Committee for a fiscal note.

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

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

HB 336, PN 366; and HB 534, PN 632.

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 499, PN 624**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P. L. 177, No. 175), known as "The Administrative Code of 1929," further providing for leases on certain areas of State forests.

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

The **SPEAKER** pro tempore. 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—197

Acosta	Deal	Langtry	Reber
Afflerbach	Dietz	Laughlin	Reinard
Angstadt	Dininni	Lescovitz	Richardson
Argall	Distler	Letterman	Rieger
Arty	Dombrowski	Levdansky	Robbins
Baldwin	Donatucci	Levin	Rudy
Barber	Dorr	Linton	Ryan
Barley	Duffy	Livengood	Saloom
Battisto	Durham	Lloyd	Saurman
Belardi	Evans	Lucyk	Scheetz
Belfanti	Fargo	McCall	Schuler
Birmelin	Fee	McClatchy	Semmel
Black	Fischer	McHale	Serafini
Blaum	Flick	McVerry	Seventy
Book	Foster, Jr., A.	Mackowski	Showers
Bortner	Fox	Maiale	Sirianni
Bowley	Freeman	Manderino	Smith, B.
Bowser	Freind	Manmiller	Smith, L. E.
Boyes	Fryer	Markosek	Snyder, D. W.
Brandt	Gallagher	Mayernik	Snyder, G. M.
Broujos	Gallen	Merry	Staback
Bunt	Gamble	Michlovic	Stairs
Burd	Gannon	Micozzie	Steighner
Burns	Geist	Miller	Stevens
Bush	George	Moehlmann	Stewart
Caltagirone	Gladeck	Morris	Stuban
Cappabianca	Godshall	Mowery	Sweet
Carlson	Greenwood	Mrkonic	Swift
Carn	Gruitza	Murphy	Taylor, E. Z.
Cawley	Gruppo	Nahill	Taylor, F. E.
Cessar	Hagarty	Noye	Taylor, J. J.
Chadwick	Haluska	O'Brien	Telek
Cimini	Harper	O'Donnell	Tigue
Civera	Hasay	Olasz	Trello
Clark	Hayes	Oliver	Truman
Clymer	Herman	Perzel	Van Horne
Cohen	Hershey	Petrarca	Veon
Colafella	Honaman	Petrone	Vroon
Cole	Howlett	Phillips	Wambach
Cordisco	Hutchinson	Piccola	Wass
Cornell	Itkin	Pievsky	Weston
Coslett	Jackson	Pistella	Wiggins
Cowell	Jarolin	Pitts	Wilson
Coy	Johnson	Pott	Wogan
Deluca	Josephs	Pratt	Wozniak
DeVerter	Kasunic	Pressmann	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kenney	Preston	Wright, J. L.
Daley	Kosinski	Punt	Wright, R. C.
Davies	Kukovich	Raymond	Yandrisevits

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NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—2

Fattah Rybak

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy Irvis,
Lashinger Speaker

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** pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Northampton, Mr. Rybak.

Mr. RYBAK. Would you please have the record show that had I voted on HB 499, I would have voted in the affirmative.

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

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION CONTINUED

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 263, PN 280**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for residential electric rate application to senior citizen centers.

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

BILL TABLED

The **SPEAKER** pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, I move that HB 263, PN 280, be tabled.

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 150, PN 164**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30, No. 14), known as the "Public School Code of 1949," further providing for the Councils of Trustees of the State universities.

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

The **SPEAKER** pro tempore. 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—196

Acosta	Dawida	Langtry	Reinard
Afflerbach	Deal	Laughlin	Richardson
Angstadt	Dietz	Lescovitz	Rieger
Argall	Dininni	Letterman	Robbins
Arty	Distler	Levdansky	Rudy
Baldwin	Dombrowski	Levin	Ryan
Barber	Donatucci	Linton	Rybak
Barley	Dorr	Livengood	Saloom
Battisto	Durham	Lloyd	Saurman
Belardi	Evans	Lucyk	Scheetz
Belfanti	Fargo	McCall	Schuler
Birmelin	Fattah	McClatchy	Semmel
Black	Fee	McHale	Serafini
Blaum	Fischer	McVerry	Seventy
Book	Flick	Mackowski	Showers
Bortner	Foster, Jr., A.	Maiale	Sirianni
Bowley	Fox	Manderino	Smith, B.
Bowser	Freeman	Manmiller	Smith, L. E.
Boyes	Freind	Markosek	Snyder, D. W.
Brandt	Fryer	Mayernik	Snyder, G. M.
Broujos	Gallagher	Merry	Staback
Bunt	Gallen	Michlovic	Stairs
Burd	Gamble	Micozzie	Steiginer
Burns	Gannon	Miller	Stevens
Bush	Geist	Moehlmann	Stewart
Caltagirone	George	Morris	Stuban
Cappabianca	Gladeck	Mowery	Sweet
Carlson	Godshall	Murphy	Swift
Carn	Greenwood	Nahill	Taylor, E. Z.
Cawley	Gruitza	Noye	Taylor, F. E.
Cessar	Gruppo	O'Brien	Taylor, J. J.
Chadwick	Hagarty	O'Donnell	Telek
Cimini	Haluska	Olasz	Tigue
Civera	Harper	Oliver	Trello
Clark	Hasay	Perzel	Truman
Clymer	Hayes	Petrarca	Van Horne
Cohen	Herman	Petrone	Veon
Colafella	Hershey	Phillips	Vroon
Cote	Honaman	Piccola	Wambach
Cordisco	Howlett	Pievsky	Wass
Cornell	Itkin	Pistella	Weston
Coslett	Jackson	Pitts	Wiggins
Cowell	Jarolin	Pott	Wilson
Coy	Johnson	Pratt	Wogan
Deluca	Josephs	Pressmann	Wozniak
DeVerter	Kasunic	Preston	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kenney	Punt	Wright, J. L.
Daley	Kosinski	Raymond	Wright, R. C.
Davies	Kukovich	Reber	Yandrisevits

NAYS—2

Duffy Mrkonic

NOT VOTING—1

Hutchinson

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy Irvis,
Lashinger Speaker

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 194, PN 210**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30, No. 14), known as the "Public School Code of 1949," further providing for voting on matters before the board.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. 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?

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Delaware, Mr. Gannon.

Mr. GANNON. Mr. Speaker, may I interrogate the sponsor for one brief question?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman, Mr. Sweet, indicates he will stand for a period of interrogation. The gentleman, Mr. Gannon, is in order and may proceed.

Mr. GANNON. I do not have a copy of the bill, Mr. Speaker, so I just wanted to inquire, on the calendar it says "...all votes must be duly recorded...." Would this include any informal polls taken at a caucus or anything like that?

Mr. SWEET. Mr. Speaker, this does not amend the Sunshine Law in any way, if that is what you are driving at.

Mr. GANNON. I was not talking about amending the Sunshine Law, but whether that requirement would extend into that area.

Mr. SWEET. No, Mr. Speaker. Any informal poll of that sort that is permitted under current law would still be permitted.

Mr. GANNON. This would not touch on that?

Mr. SWEET. No.

Mr. GANNON. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

On the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEAS—199

Acosta	Deal	Langtry	Reinard
Afflerbach	Dietz	Laughlin	Richardson
Angstadt	Dininni	Lescovitz	Rieger
Argall	Distler	Letterman	Robbins
Arty	Dombrowski	Levdansky	Rudy
Baldwin	Donatucci	Levin	Ryan
Barber	Dorr	Linton	Rybak
Barley	Duffy	Livengood	Saloom
Battisto	Durham	Lloyd	Saurman
Belardi	Evans	Lucyk	Scheetz
Belfanti	Fargo	McCall	Schuler
Birmelin	Fattah	McClatchy	Semmel
Black	Fee	McHale	Serafini
Blaum	Fischer	McVerry	Seventy
Book	Flick	Mackowski	Showers
Bortner	Foster, Jr., A.	Maiale	Sirianni
Bowley	Fox	Manderino	Smith, B.
Bowser	Freeman	Manmiller	Smith, L. E.
Boyes	Freind	Markosek	Snyder, D. W.
Brandt	Fryer	Mayernik	Snyder, G. M.

Broujos	Gallagher	Merry	Staback
Bunt	Gallen	Michlovic	Stairs
Burd	Gamble	Micozzie	Steighner
Burns	Gannon	Miller	Stevens
Bush	Geist	Moehlmann	Stewart
Caltagirone	George	Morris	Stuban
Cappabianca	Gladeck	Mowery	Sweet
Carlson	Godshall	Mrkonic	Swift
Carn	Greenwood	Murphy	Taylor, E. Z.
Cawley	Gruitza	Nahill	Taylor, F. E.
Cessar	Gruppo	Noye	Taylor, J. J.
Chadwick	Hagarty	O'Brien	Telek
Cimini	Haluska	O'Donnell	Tigue
Civera	Harper	Olasz	Trello
Clark	Hasay	Oliver	Truman
Clymer	Hayes	Perzel	Van Horne
Cohen	Herman	Petrarca	Veon
Colafella	Hershey	Petrone	Vroon
Cole	Honaman	Phillips	Wambach
Cordisco	Howlett	Piccola	Wass
Cornell	Hutchinson	Pievsky	Weston
Coslett	Itkin	Pistella	Wiggins
Cowell	Jackson	Pitts	Wilson
Coy	Jarolin	Pott	Wogan
Deluca	Johnson	Pratt	Wozniak
DeVerter	Josephs	Pressmann	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kasunic	Preston	Wright, J. L.
Daley	Kenney	Punt	Wright, R. C.
Davies	Kosinski	Raymond	Yandrisevits
Dawida	Kukovich	Reber	

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy Irvis,
Lashinger Speaker

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 197, PN 618**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30, No. 14), known as "The Public School Code of 1949," requiring school districts to provide copies of certain tax lists to certain municipalities.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. 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?

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Cambria, Mr. Haluska.

Mr. HALUSKA. Mr. Speaker, may I interrogate the maker of this bill, Mr. Sweet?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman indicates he will stand for a period of interrogation, and the gentleman, Mr. Haluska, is in order and may proceed.

Mr. HALUSKA. Mr. Speaker, I would like to have clarification on page 2, lines 4 and 5, where it states that "The provisions of subsection (a) with regard to claimed corrections shall not apply to municipalities." Would you explain that to me, please?

Mr. SWEET. Yes, Mr. Speaker. Would you hold on for one second?

Sorry, Mr. Speaker. The reason we are conferring is this is an amendment that was added in the Education Committee, and I want to make sure we give you the right answer.

Mr. HALUSKA. All right.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. For what purpose does the gentleman from Centre, Mr. Letterman, rise?

Mr. LETTERMAN. I would like to make a suggestion. If the educated people in this body do not know what they are doing with their own bills, let us go on to something else and vote that.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman's point is well taken.

Can the gentleman give us an estimate of how long this caucus will last?

Mr. SWEET. Mr. Speaker, I apologize for the delay. This was an amendment that was added in the Education Committee, and I am consulting to make sure that the answer we give you is the correct one.

Mr. HALUSKA. Are you going to respond to that, Mr. Speaker?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Sweet.

Mr. SWEET. I am sorry, Mr. Speaker. I thought it had been explained to you. I yield to Mr. Burns.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Bucks, Mr. Burns.

Mr. BURNS. What this amendment that was put in in the Education Committee does is simply try to straighten out the numbers of people for whom a school district is reimbursed. There are many school districts in the State where they cross over into post offices, not necessarily municipalities. For example, in Bucks County we have the Pennsbury School District, which crosses over into the Morrisville Post Office. In addition, there is the Morrisville School District and the Morrisville Borough, which is a municipality. This has nothing to do with the municipalities, and that is basically what the amendment says. It does not affect municipalities. It only affects those people who are legal residents of the Pennsbury School District, for example, but who physically reside in the post office designation of Morrisville, and we have tried to exempt the borough of Morrisville from any part of that, or any other borough, for example, that might come into this. I believe there is a case here in Dauphin County, Camp Hill, and so forth.

Mr. HALUSKA. Mr. Speaker, may I ask another question, please?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. If Mr. Burns has finished, yes. The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Haluska.

Mr. HALUSKA. Mr. Speaker, will the municipality be required to abide by the same disclosures that the school district presently does? Under the current law, as I understand it, only the secretary and the tax collector are permitted to see these lists. Not even a school board member is permitted to see this. Will this apply to municipalities where the council members will not see it, only the secretary and the tax collector?

Mr. BURNS. Mr. Speaker, if I might, I believe that what that amendment tries to do is prevent what you have just described happening to municipalities.

Mr. HALUSKA. Okay. Thank you.

On the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEAS—193

Acosta	Deal	Langtry	Reinard
Afflerbach	Dietz	Laughlin	Richardson
Angstadt	Dininni	Lescovitz	Rieger
Argall	Distler	Levdansky	Robbins
Arty	Dombrowski	Levin	Rudy
Baldwin	Donatucci	Linton	Ryan
Barber	Dorr	Livengood	Rybak
Barley	Duffy	Lloyd	Saurman
Battisto	Durham	Lucyk	Scheetz
Belardi	Evans	McCall	Schuler
Belfanti	Fargo	McClatchy	Semmel
Black	Fattah	McHale	Serafini
Blaum	Fee	McVerry	Seventy
Book	Fischer	Mackowski	Showers
Bortner	Flick	Maiale	Sirianni
Bowley	Foster, Jr., A.	Manderino	Smith, B.
Bowser	Fox	Manmiller	Smith, L. E.
Boyes	Freeman	Markosek	Snyder, D. W.
Brandt	Freind	Mayernik	Snyder, G. M.
Broujos	Gallagher	Merry	Staback
Bunt	Gallen	Michlovic	Stairs
Burd	Gamble	Micozzie	Steighner
Burns	Gannon	Miller	Stevens
Bush	Geist	Moehlmann	Stewart
Caltagirone	George	Morris	Stuban
Cappabianca	Gladeck	Mowery	Sweet
Carlson	Godshall	Mrkonic	Swift
Carn	Greenwood	Murphy	Taylor, E. Z.
Cawley	Gruitza	Nahill	Taylor, F. E.
Cessar	Gruppo	Noye	Taylor, J. J.
Chadwick	Hagarty	O'Brien	Telek
Cimini	Haluska	O'Donnell	Tigue
Civera	Harper	Olasz	Trello
Clark	Hasay	Oliver	Truman
Clymer	Hayes	Perzel	Van Horne
Cohen	Herman	Petrarca	Veon
Colafella	Hershey	Petrone	Vroon
Cole	Howlett	Phillips	Wambach
Cordisco	Hutchinson	Piccola	Wass
Cornell	Itkin	Pievsky	Weston
Coslett	Jackson	Pistella	Wiggins
Cowell	Jarolin	Pott	Wilson
Coy	Johnson	Pratt	Wogan
DeLuca	Josephs	Pressmann	Wozniak
DeVerter	Kasunic	Preston	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kenney	Punt	Wright, J. L.
Daley	Kosinski	Raymond	Wright, R. C.
Davies	Kukovich	Reber	Yandrisevits
Dawida			

NAYS—6

Birmelin Fryer	Honaman Letterman	Pitts	Saloom
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NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy Lashinger	Irvis, Speaker
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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.

WELCOME

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair is pleased to announce the presence of Thomas J. Lane, president of the Southeast Chapter of Associated Builders and Contractors, and Cathy Place, the secretary of the same organization.

BILLS ON THIRD
CONSIDERATION CONTINUED

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 171, PN 625**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 11, 1971 (P. L. 104, No. 3), known as the "Senior Citizens Rebate and Assistance Act," increasing eligibility under the property tax or rent rebate and inflation dividend; and further providing for the allowable percentage of real property tax or rent rebate.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. 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?

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Allegheny, Mr. DeLuca.

Mr. DeLUCA. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, HB 171 would increase the income eligibility limits and the amount of inflation dividends paid to senior citizens under the property tax and rent rebate program. The bill increases the maximum annual income level for senior citizens taking advantage of the program from \$11,999 per household to \$15,000 and increases the inflation dividends to \$10 for each of the three lowest income categories and \$5 for the remaining income categories. In addition, the bill establishes a \$20 inflation dividend for any new income eligibility group in the \$12,000 to \$15,000 category.

It is estimated, Mr. Speaker, that the bill will provide rebates for an additional 100,000 households across the State. Of the eligible households under the new increased income limits, it is expected that 47 percent, or 47,000 households, will apply for the rebates. The increase for this program will begin in 1986 for applications on taxes paid in 1985.

Mr. Speaker, I believe every member in this room would agree that the seniors in Pennsylvania deserve as much financial help as we can possibly give them. We have the resources to do this through the successful State lottery program which we generate in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and which was created for the sole purpose of helping our seniors in Pennsylvania.

Mr. Speaker, this is a nonpartisan measure, and the Governor himself advocated an increase in eligibility to the program in his 1985 budget address.

I also, Mr. Speaker, would like to read into the record a statement from the Secretary of the Treasury that states: "The Lottery is sound and will be able to support all existing programs, plus the expansion of the PACE program recently passed by the General Assembly and the Governor's proposed expansion of the Property Tax/Rent Rebate and Inflation Needs programs, so that income eligibility for these programs will extend to \$15,000."

I ask for an affirmative vote on this, Mr. Speaker. Thank you.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

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

Mr. BROUJOS. Would the speaker rise for interrogation?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman indicates he will stand for a period of interrogation. The gentleman, Mr. Broujos, is in order and may proceed.

Mr. BROUJOS. Mr. Speaker, I understand that the Secretary of Revenue at one point indicated that there were some problems with the Lottery Fund financially, and I think that Pennsylvanians are entitled to know whether there is any problem and whether now at this time we are in fact presenting a program that will create financial difficulties in the future.

Mr. DeLUCA. Mr. Speaker, the Secretary at that time was misquoted before the budget hearings. The statement I just read was a reply from a February 20 letter that was sent to Representative Trello which states the fact that we do have sufficient revenue to take care of this in the lottery program.

Mr. BROUJOS. The next question is, that is based on representations you have received from the administration?

Mr. DeLUCA. Pardon me?

Mr. BROUJOS. You make that statement based on information you have received from this administration?

Mr. DeLUCA. Yes; I do, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. BROUJOS. Thank you. I have no further questions, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEAS—199

Acosta	Deal	Langtry	Reinard
Afflerbach	Dietz	Laughlin	Richardson
Angstadt	Dininni	Lescovitz	Rieger
Argall	Distler	Letterman	Robbins
Arty	Dombrowski	Levdansky	Rudy
Baldwin	Donatucci	Levin	Ryan
Barber	Dorr	Linton	Rybak
Barley	Duffy	Livengood	Saloom
Battisto	Durham	Lloyd	Saurman
Belardi	Evans	Lucyk	Scheetz
Belfanti	Fargo	McCall	Schuler
Birmelin	Fattah	McClatchy	Semmel
Black	Fee	McHale	Serafini
Blaum	Fischer	McVerry	Seventy
Book	Flick	Mackowski	Showers
Bortner	Foster, Jr., A.	Maiale	Sirianni
Bowley	Fox	Manderino	Smith, B.
Bowser	Freeman	Manmiller	Smith, L. E.
Boyes	Freind	Markosek	Snyder, D. W.
Brandt	Fryer	Mayernik	Snyder, G. M.
Broujos	Gallagher	Merry	Staback
Bunt	Gallen	Michlovic	Stairs
Burd	Gamble	Micozzie	Steighner
Burns	Gannon	Miller	Stevens
Bush	Geist	Moehlmann	Stewart
Caltagirone	George	Morris	Stuban
Cappabianca	Gladeck	Mowery	Sweet
Carlson	Godshall	Mrkonic	Swift
Carn	Greenwood	Murphy	Taylor, E. Z.
Cawley	Gruitza	Nahill	Taylor, F. E.
Cessar	Gruppo	Noye	Taylor, J. J.
Chadwick	Hagarty	O'Brien	Telek
Cimini	Haluska	O'Donnell	Tigue
Civera	Harper	Olasz	Trello
Clark	Hasay	Oliver	Truman
Clymer	Hayes	Perzel	Van Horne
Cohen	Herman	Petrarca	Veon
Colafella	Hershey	Petrone	Vroon
Cole	Honaman	Phillips	Wambach
Cordisco	Howlett	Piccola	Wass
Cornell	Hutchinson	Pievsky	Weston
Coslett	Itkin	Pistella	Wiggins
Cowell	Jackson	Pitts	Wilson
Coy	Jarolin	Pott	Wogan
Deluca	Johnson	Pratt	Wozniak
DeVerter	Josephs	Pressmann	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kasunic	Preston	Wright, J. L.
Daley	Kenney	Punt	Wright, R. C.
Davies	Kosinski	Raymond	Yandrisevits
Dawida	Kukovich	Reber	

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy
Lashingier

Irvis,
Speaker

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 85, PN 89**, entitled:

An Act amending the "Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs Fee Act," approved July 1, 1978 (P. L. 700, No.

124), further providing for the Professional Licensure Augmentation Account and for budget preparation.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration?

Bill was agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. 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—196

Acosta	Deal	Kukovich	Reber
Afflerbach	Dietz	Langtry	Reinard
Angstadt	Dininni	Laughlin	Richardson
Argall	Distler	Lescovitz	Rieger
Arty	Dombrowski	Letterman	Robbins
Baldwin	Donatucci	Levdansky	Rudy
Barber	Dorr	Levin	Ryan
Barley	Duffy	Linton	Rybak
Battisto	Durham	Livengood	Saurman
Belardi	Evans	Lloyd	Scheetz
Belfanti	Fargo	Lucyk	Schuler
Black	Fattah	McCall	Semmel
Blaum	Fee	McClatchy	Serafini
Book	Fischer	McHale	Seventy
Bortner	Flick	McVerry	Showers
Bowley	Foster, Jr., A.	Mackowski	Sirianni
Bowser	Fox	Maiale	Smith, B.
Boyes	Freeman	Manderino	Smith, L. E.
Brandt	Freind	Manmiller	Snyder, D. W.
Broujos	Fryer	Markosek	Snyder, G. M.
Bunt	Gallagher	Mayernik	Staback
Burd	Gallen	Merry	Stairs
Burns	Gamble	Michlovic	Steighner
Bush	Gannon	Micozzie	Stevens
Caltagirone	Geist	Miller	Stewart
Cappabianca	George	Moehlmann	Suban
Carlson	Gladeck	Morris	Sweet
Carn	Godshall	Mowery	Swift
Cawley	Greenwood	Mrkonic	Taylor, E. Z.
Cessar	Gruitza	Murphy	Taylor, F. E.
Chadwick	Gruppo	Nahill	Taylor, J. J.
Cimini	Hagarty	Noye	Telek
Civera	Haluska	O'Brien	Tigue
Clark	Harper	O'Donnell	Trello
Clymer	Hasay	Olasz	Truman
Cohen	Hayes	Oliver	Van Horne
Colafella	Herman	Perzel	Veon
Cole	Hershey	Petrarca	Vroon
Cordisco	Honaman	Petrone	Wambach
Cornell	Howlett	Phillips	Wass
Coslett	Hutchinson	Piccola	Weston
Cowell	Itkin	Pievsky	Wiggins
Coy	Jackson	Pistella	Wilson
Deluca	Jarolin	Pitts	Wogan
DeVerter	Johnson	Pott	Wozniak
DeWeese	Josephs	Pressmann	Wright, D. R.
Daley	Kasunic	Preston	Wright, J. L.
Davies	Kenney	Punt	Wright, R. C.
Dawida	Kosinski	Raymond	Yandrisevits

NAYS—3

Birmelin	Pratt	Saloom
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NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy
Lashinger

Irvis,
Speaker

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 141, PN 155**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of October 27, 1955 (P. L. 744, No. 222), known as the "Pennsylvania Human Relations Act," providing for the use of support dogs because of a physical handicap of the user.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration?

Bill was agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. 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—197

Acosta	Dietz	Laughlin	Reinard
Afflerbach	Dininni	Lescovitz	Richardson
Angstadt	Distler	Letterman	Rieger
Argall	Dombrowski	Levdansky	Robbins
Arty	Donatucci	Levin	Rudy
Baldwin	Dorr	Linton	Ryan
Barber	Duffy	Livengood	Rybak
Barley	Durham	Lloyd	Saloom
Battisto	Evans	Lucyk	Saurman
Belardi	Fargo	McCall	Scheetz
Belfanti	Fattah	McClatchy	Schuler
Birmelin	Fee	McHale	Semmel
Black	Fischer	McVerry	Serafini
Blaum	Flick	Mackowski	Seventy
Book	Foster, Jr., A.	Maiale	Showers
Bortner	Fox	Manderino	Sirianni
Bowley	Freeman	Manmiller	Smith, B.
Bowser	Freind	Markosek	Smith, L. E.
Boyes	Fryer	Mayernik	Snyder, D. W.
Brandt	Gallagher	Merry	Snyder, G. M.
Broujos	Gallen	Michlovic	Staback
Bunt	Gamble	Micozzie	Stairs
Burd	Gannon	Miller	Steighner
Burns	Geist	Moehlmann	Stevens
Bush	George	Morris	Stewart
Caltagirone	Gladeck	Mowery	Suban
Cappabianca	Godshall	Mrkonic	Sweet
Carlson	Greenwood	Murphy	Swift
Cawley	Gruitza	Nahill	Taylor, E. Z.
Cessar	Gruppo	Noye	Taylor, F. E.
Chadwick	Hagarty	O'Brien	Taylor, J. J.
Cimini	Haluska	O'Donnell	Telek
Civera	Harper	Olasz	Tigue
Clark	Hasay	Oliver	Trello
Clymer	Hayes	Perzel	Truman
Cohen	Herman	Petrarca	Van Horne
Colafella	Hershey	Petrone	Veon
Cole	Honaman	Phillips	Vroon
Cordisco	Hutchinson	Piccola	Wambach
Cornell	Itkin	Pievsky	Wass

Coslett	Jackson	Pistella	Weston
Cowell	Jarolin	Pitts	Wiggins
Coy	Johnson	Pott	Wilson
Deluca	Josephs	Pratt	Wogan
DeVerter	Kasunic	Pressmann	Wozniak
DeWeese	Kenney	Preston	Wright, D. R.
Daley	Kosinski	Punt	Wright, J. L.
Davies	Kukovich	Raymond	Wright, R. C.
Dawida	Langtry	Reber	Yandrisevits
Deal			

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—2

Carn Howlett

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy Irvis,
Lashing Speaker

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 144, PN 158**, entitled:

An Act amending "The Administrative Code of 1929," approved April 9, 1929 (P. L. 177, No. 175), requiring the filing of additional materials on contracts with corporations.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. 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—199

Acosta	Deal	Langtry	Reinard
Afflerbach	Dietz	Laughlin	Richardson
Angstadt	Dininni	Lescovitz	Rieger
Argall	Distler	Letterman	Robbins
Arty	Dombrowski	Levdansky	Rudy
Baldwin	Donatucci	Levin	Ryan
Barber	Dorr	Linton	Rybak
Barley	Duffy	Livengood	Saloom
Battisto	Durham	Lloyd	Saurman
Belardi	Evans	Lucyk	Scheetz
Belfanti	Fargo	McCall	Schuler
Birmelin	Fattah	McClatchy	Semmel
Black	Fee	McHale	Serafini
Blaum	Fischer	McVerry	Seventy
Book	Flick	Mackowski	Showers
Bortner	Foster, Jr., A.	Maiale	Sirianni
Bowley	Fox	Manderino	Smith, B.
Bowser	Freeman	Manmiller	Smith, L. E.
Boyes	Freind	Markosek	Snyder, D. W.
Brandt	Fryer	Mayernik	Snyder, G. M.
Broujos	Gallagher	Merry	Staback
Bunt	Gallen	Michlovic	Stairs
Burd	Gamble	Micozzie	Steighner
Burns	Gannon	Miller	Stevens
Bush	Geist	Moehlmann	Stewart

Caltagirone	George	Morris	Stuban
Cappabianca	Gladeck	Mowery	Sweet
Carlson	Godshall	Mrkonc	Swift
Carn	Greenwood	Murphy	Taylor, E. Z.
Cawley	Gruitza	Nahill	Taylor, F. E.
Cessar	Gruppo	Noye	Taylor, J. J.
Chadwick	Hagarty	O'Brien	Telek
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Clark	Hasay	Oliver	Truman
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Cohen	Herman	Petrarca	Veon
Colafella	Hershey	Petrone	Vroon
Cole	Honaman	Phillips	Wambach
Cordisco	Howlett	Piccola	Wass
Cornell	Hutchinson	Pievsky	Weston
Coslett	Itkin	Pistella	Wiggins
Cowell	Jackson	Pitts	Wilson
Coy	Jarolin	Pott	Wogan
Deluca	Johnson	Pratt	Wozniak
DeVerter	Josephs	Pressmann	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kasunic	Preston	Wright, J. L.
Daley	Kenney	Punt	Wright, R. C.
Davies	Kosinski	Raymond	Yandrisevits
Dawida	Kukovich	Reber	

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy Irvis,
Lashing Speaker

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 107, PN 115**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, requiring the issuance of a receipt upon surrender of a driver's license to the Department of Transportation.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. 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—198

Acosta	Deal	Langtry	Reber
Afflerbach	Dietz	Laughlin	Reinard
Angstadt	Dininni	Lescovitz	Richardson
Argall	Distler	Letterman	Rieger
Arty	Dombrowski	Levdansky	Robbins
Baldwin	Donatucci	Levin	Rudy
Barber	Dorr	Linton	Ryan
Barley	Duffy	Livengood	Rybak
Battisto	Durham	Lloyd	Saloom
Belardi	Evans	Lucyk	Saurman
Belfanti	Fargo	McCall	Scheetz
Birmelin	Fattah	McClatchy	Semmel

Black	Fee	McHale	Serafini
Blaum	Fischer	McVerry	Seventy
Book	Flick	Mackowski	Showers
Bortner	Foster, Jr., A.	Maiale	Sirianni
Bowley	Fox	Manderino	Smith, B.
Bowser	Freeman	Manmiller	Smith, L. E.
Boyes	Freind	Markosek	Snyder, D. W.
Brandt	Fryer	Mayernik	Snyder, G. M.
Broujos	Gallagher	Merry	Staback
Bunt	Gallen	Michlovic	Stairs
Burd	Gamble	Micozzie	Steighner
Burns	Gannon	Miller	Stevens
Bush	Geist	Moehlmann	Stewart
Caltagirone	George	Morris	Stuban
Cappabianca	Gladeck	Mowery	Sweet
Carlson	Godshall	Mrkoncic	Swift
Carn	Greenwood	Murphy	Taylor, E. Z.
Cawley	Gruitza	Nahill	Taylor, F. E.
Cessar	Gruppo	Noye	Taylor, J. J.
Chadwick	Hagarty	O'Brien	Telek
Cimini	Haluska	O'Donnell	Tigue
Civera	Harper	Olasz	Trello
Clark	Hasay	Oliver	Truman
Clymer	Hayes	Perzel	Van Horne
Cohen	Herman	Petrarca	Veon
Colafella	Hershey	Petrone	Vroon
Cole	Honaman	Phillips	Wambach
Cordisco	Howlett	Piccola	Wass
Cornell	Hutchinson	Pievsky	Weston
Coslett	Itkin	Pistella	Wiggins
Cowell	Jackson	Pitts	Wilson
Coy	Jarolin	Pott	Wogan
Deluca	Johnson	Pratt	Wozniak
DeVerter	Josephs	Pressmann	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kasunic	Preston	Wright, J. L.
Daley	Kenney	Punt	Wright, R. C.
Davies	Kosinski	Raymond	Yandrisevits
Dawida	Kukovich		

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—1

Schuler

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy Irvis,
Lashing Speaker

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 SPEAKER pro tempore. For what purpose does the gentleman from Dauphin, Mr. Wambach, rise?

Mr. WAMBACH. Just a personal inquiry of the Chair, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman will state his point of personal inquiry.

Mr. WAMBACH. Mr. Speaker, as Speaker pro tem of this chamber, I am curious to understand the replacement of HB 554 by our permanent Speaker with HB 107 by our Speaker pro tem. I would dearly love, Mr. Speaker Pro Tem, to be named Speaker pro tem one of these days so I can replace a bill by the Speaker of the House with one of mine, sir. Thank you very much.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. There are so few fringe benefits that the Chair receives, would the gentleman deny him that?

I might add that the calendar was made up not by the Speaker pro tem but by the majority leader, and he was accruing to the wishes of the permanent Speaker. The Chair does thank the gentleman, however, for his inquiry.

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 334, PN 364**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, requiring school buses to stop at all railroad crossings.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. 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

Acosta	Deal	Lescovitz	Richardson
Afflerbach	Dietz	Letterman	Rieger
Angstadt	Dininni	Levdansky	Robbins
Argall	Distler	Levin	Rudy
Arty	Dombrowski	Linton	Ryan
Baldwin	Donatucci	Livengood	Rybak
Barber	Dorr	Lloyd	Saloom
Barley	Duffy	Lucyk	Saurman
Battisto	Durham	McCall	Schuler
Belardi	Evans	McClatchy	Semmel
Belfanti	Fargo	McHale	Serafini
Birmelin	Fattah	McVerry	Seventy
Black	Fee	Mackowski	Showers
Blaum	Fischer	Maiale	Sirianni
Book	Flick	Manderino	Smith, B.
Bortner	Foster, Jr., A.	Manmiller	Smith, L. E.
Bowley	Fox	Markosek	Snyder, D. W.
Bowser	Freeman	Mayernik	Snyder, G. M.
Boyes	Freind	Merry	Staback
Broujos	Fryer	Michlovic	Stairs
Bunt	Gallagher	Micozzie	Steighner
Burd	Gamble	Miller	Stevens
Burns	Gannon	Morris	Stewart
Bush	Geist	Mowery	Stuban
Caltagirone	George	Mrkoncic	Sweet
Cappabianca	Gladeck	Murphy	Swift
Carlson	Godshall	Nahill	Taylor, E. Z.
Carn	Gruitza	Noye	Taylor, F. E.
Cawley	Gruppo	O'Brien	Taylor, J. J.
Chadwick	Hagarty	O'Donnell	Telek
Cimini	Haluska	Olasz	Tigue
Civera	Harper	Oliver	Trello
Clark	Hasay	Perzel	Truman
Clymer	Hayes	Petrarca	Van Horne
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Cole	Honaman	Piccola	Wambach
Cordisco	Howlett	Pievsky	Wass
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Coslett	Itkin	Pitts	Wiggins
Cowell	Jarolin	Pott	Wilson
Coy	Johnson	Pratt	Wogan
Deluca	Josephs	Pressmann	Wozniak
DeVerter	Kenney	Preston	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kosinski	Punt	Wright, J. L.
Daley	Kukovich	Raymond	Wright, R. C.
Davies	Langtry	Reber	Yandrisevits

Dawida	Laughlin	Reinard	
		NAYS—7	
Brandt	Gallen	Kasunic	Scheetz
Cessar	Jackson	Moehlmann	
		NOT VOTING—1	
Greenwood		EXCUSED—3	
Kennedy	Irvis,		
Lashingier	Speaker		

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 SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the minority leader.

Mr. RYAN. I wonder if the House might be at ease for a few moments. It is my understanding that we have not caucused on all of the resolutions. It may be that if I have an opportunity to meet with Mr. Manderino, we can do without caucus if some of these resolutions be held over. Otherwise, I believe we should go to caucus at this time. If the Chair would pause for a few moments.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The House will be at ease.

WELCOME

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair is pleased to introduce the Rell family - Phyllis, Allan, Justine, and Carrie. They are the guests of Ed Burns, Roy Reinard, and Jim Wright.

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE MEETING

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

Mr. HUTCHINSON. I would like to call a meeting immediately after the recess at the rear of the hall.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. And what committee is that, sir?

Mr. HUTCHINSON. That is Transportation, you ought to know. It is the first bill you got passed this year.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. A Transportation Committee meeting notice by the chairman, Mr. Hutchinson.

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Lawrence, Mr. Pratt.

Mr. PRATT. Mr. Speaker, I rise for an announcement. The House Judiciary Committee will reconvene at the call of the recess for a luncheon break in room 401. The committee will not have a luncheon break, but the House will. The committee will reconvene in room 401 at the call of the recess.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. True dedication. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

REMARKS ON VOTES

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Lancaster, Mr. Schuler. For what purpose does the gentleman rise?

Mr. SCHULER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like my vote on HB 107 to be in the affirmative, please.

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

Mr. SCHULER. Thank you.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Fayette, Mr. Kasunic.

Mr. KASUNIC. Mr. Speaker, on HB 334 my switch malfunctioned and I was recorded as voting negative. I would like my vote to be recorded in the affirmative, please.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman's remarks will be spread upon the record. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Bucks, Mr. Greenwood.

Mr. GREENWOOD. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

On HB 334 I failed to be recorded and would like to be recorded in the affirmative.

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

WELCOME

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair is pleased to introduce our guest page today, Miss Wendy Werkheiser.

RESOLUTIONS

Mr. LAUGHLIN called up **HR 8, PN 121**, entitled:

Establishing a select committee to investigate the bidding requirements for certain contracts awarded by the Department of Transportation.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the minority leader.

Mr. RYAN. Mr. Speaker, I just had a conversation with the gentleman, Mr. Laughlin. If you read this particular resolution, it simply calls on the Speaker to appoint a select committee. There is no mention made of the size of the committee or the makeup of the committee. It is my understanding that Mr. Laughlin has agreed that it will be recommended to the Speaker of the House that this resolution be treated as though it had a provision in it for the appointment of seven members of that committee - four from the majority and three from the minority. On that basis I have agreed that the resolution can be called up at this time.

On the question recurring,
Will the House adopt the resolution?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—195

Acosta	Deal	Langtry	Reinard
Afflerbach	Dietz	Laughlin	Richardson
Angstadt	Distler	Lescovitz	Rieger
Argall	Dombrowski	Letterman	Robbins
Arty	Donatucci	Levdansky	Rudy
Baldwin	Dorr	Levin	Ryan
Barber	Duffy	Linton	Rybak
Barley	Durham	Livengood	Saloom
Battisto	Evans	Lloyd	Saurman
Belardi	Fargo	Lucyk	Scheetz
Belfanti	Fattah	McCall	Schuler
Black	Fee	McClatchy	Semmel
Blaum	Fischer	McHale	Serafini
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Bortner	Foster, Jr., A.	Maiale	Showers
Bowley	Fox	Manderino	Smith, B.
Bowser	Freeman	Manmiller	Smith, L. E.
Boyes	Freind	Markosek	Snyder, D. W.
Brandt	Fryer	Mayernik	Snyder, G. M.
Broujos	Gallagher	Merry	Staback
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Burd	Gamble	Micozzie	Steighner
Burns	Gannon	Miller	Stevens
Bush	Geist	Moehlmann	Stewart
Caltagirone	George	Morris	Stuban
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Carlson	Godshall	Mrkonic	Swift
Carn	Greenwood	Murphy	Taylor, E. Z.
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Colafella	Hershey	Petrone	Vroon
Cole	Honaman	Phillips	Wambach
Cordisico	Howlett	Piccola	Wass
Cornell	Hutchinson	Pievsky	Weston
Coslett	Itkin	Pistella	Wiggins
Cowell	Jackson	Pitts	Wilson
Coy	Jarolin	Pott	Wogan
Deluca	Johnson	Pratt	Wozniak
DeVerter	Josephs	Pressmann	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kasunic	Preston	Wright, J. L.
Daley	Kenney	Punt	Wright, R. C.
Davies	Kosinski	Raymond	Yandrisevits
Dawida	Kukovich	Reber	

NAYS—4

Birmelin	Dininni	McVerry	Sirianni
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NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy	Irvis,
Lashinger	Speaker

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

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Mr. SALOOM called up **HR 15, PN 305**, entitled:

Memorializing the President and Congress of the United States to maintain the current Federal revenue sharing program.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolution?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—186

Acosta	Deal	Letterman	Reinard
Afflerbach	Dietz	Levdansky	Richardson
Angstadt	Dininni	Levin	Rieger
Argall	Distler	Linton	Robbins
Arty	Dombrowski	Livengood	Rudy
Baldwin	Donatucci	Lloyd	Ryan
Barber	Duffy	Lucyk	Rybak
Battisto	Durham	McCall	Saloom
Belardi	Evans	McClatchy	Saurman
Belfanti	Fargo	McHale	Semmel
Black	Fattah	McVerry	Serafini
Blaum	Fee	Mackowski	Seventy
Book	Fischer	Maiale	Showers
Bortner	Flick	Manderino	Sirianni
Bowley	Fox	Manmiller	Smith, B.
Bowser	Freeman	Markosek	Smith, L. E.
Boyes	Freind	Mayernik	Snyder, D. W.
Broujos	Fryer	Merry	Snyder, G. M.
Bunt	Gallagher	Michlovic	Staback
Burd	Gamble	Micozzie	Stairs
Burns	Gannon	Miller	Steighner
Bush	Geist	Moehlmann	Stevens
Caltagirone	George	Morris	Stewart
Cappabianca	Gladeck	Mowery	Stuban
Carlson	Godshall	Mrkonic	Sweet
Carn	Gruitza	Murphy	Swift
Cawley	Gruppo	Nahill	Taylor, E. Z.
Cessar	Hagarty	Noye	Taylor, F. E.
Chadwick	Haluska	O'Brien	Taylor, J. J.
Cimini	Harper	O'Donnell	Telek
Civera	Hasay	Olasz	Tigue
Clark	Hayes	Oliver	Trello
Clymer	Herman	Perzel	Truman
Cohen	Hershey	Petrarca	Van Horne
Colafella	Howlett	Petrone	Veon
Cole	Itkin	Phillips	Wambach
Cordisico	Jackson	Pievsky	Wass
Cornell	Jarolin	Pistella	Weston
Coslett	Johnson	Pitts	Wiggins
Cowell	Josephs	Pott	Wilson
Coy	Kasunic	Pratt	Wogan
Deluca	Kenney	Pressmann	Wozniak
DeVerter	Kosinski	Preston	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kukovich	Punt	Wright, J. L.
Daley	Langtry	Raymond	Wright, R. C.
Davies	Laughlin	Reber	Yandrisevits
Dawida	Lescovitz		

NAYS—12

Barley	Dorr	Greenwood	Scheetz
Birmelin	Foster, Jr., A.	Honaman	Schuler
Brandt	Gallen	Piccola	Vroon

NOT VOTING—1

Hutchinson

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy	Irvis,
Lashinger	Speaker

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

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Ms. JOSEPHS called up **HR 42, PN 709**, entitled:

Requesting the Governor to proclaim "Holocaust Memorial Week."

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolution?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—196

Acosta	Deal	Langtry	Reinard
Afflerbach	Dietz	Laughlin	Richardson
Angstadt	Dininni	Lescovitz	Rieger
Argall	Distler	Letterman	Robbins
Arty	Dombrowski	Levdansky	Rudy
Baldwin	Donatucci	Levin	Ryan
Barber	Dorr	Livengood	Rybak
Barley	Duffy	Lloyd	Saloom
Battisto	Durham	Lucyk	Saurman
Belardi	Evans	McCall	Scheetz
Belfanti	Fargo	McClatchy	Schuler
Birmelin	Fattah	McHale	Semmel
Black	Fee	McVerry	Serafini
Blaum	Fischer	Mackowski	Seventy
Book	Flick	Maiale	Showers
Bortner	Foster, Jr., A.	Manderino	Sirianni
Bowley	Fox	Manmiller	Smith, B.
Bowser	Freeman	Markosek	Smith, L. E.
Boyes	Freind	Mayernik	Snyder, D. W.
Brandt	Fryer	Merry	Snyder, G. M.
Broujos	Gallen	Michlovic	Staback
Bunt	Gamble	Micozzie	Stairs
Burd	Gannon	Miller	Steighner
Burns	Geist	Moehlmann	Stevens
Bush	George	Morris	Stewart
Caltagirone	Gladeck	Mowery	Stuban
Cappabianca	Godshall	Mrkonic	Sweet
Carlson	Greenwood	Murphy	Swift
Carn	Gruitza	Nahill	Taylor, E. Z.
Cawley	Gruppo	Noye	Taylor, F. E.
Cessar	Hagarty	O'Brien	Taylor, J. J.
Chadwick	Haluska	O'Donnell	Telek
Cimini	Harper	Olasz	Tighe
Civera	Hasay	Oliver	Trello
Clark	Hayes	Perzel	Truman
Clymer	Herman	Petrarca	Van Horne
Cohen	Hershey	Petrone	Veon
Colafella	Honaman	Phillips	Vroon
Cordisco	Howlett	Piccola	Wambach
Cornell	Hutchinson	Pievsy	Wass
Coslett	Itkin	Pistella	Weston
Cowell	Jackson	Pitts	Wiggins
Coy	Jarolin	Pott	Wilson
Deluca	Johnson	Pratt	Wogan
DeVertter	Josephs	Pressmann	Wozniak
DeWeese	Kasunic	Preston	Wright, D. R.
Daley	Kenney	Punt	Wright, J. L.
Davies	Kosinski	Raymond	Wright, R. C.
Dawida	Kukovich	Reber	Yandrisevits

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—3

Cole Gallagher Linton

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy Irvis,
Lashinger Speaker

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

REMARKS ON VOTES

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Linton.

Mr. LINTON. Mr. Speaker, my button malfunctioned and I was not recorded on the last vote, on HR 42. I would like to be recorded in the affirmative.

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

Mr. LINTON. Thank you.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Adams, Mr. Cole.

Mr. COLE. Mr. Speaker, I would like to be recorded "yes" on the last vote, on HR 42.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman. The remarks will be spread upon the record.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Bucks, Mr. Gallagher.

Mr. GALLAGHER. Mr. Speaker, I would like the record to indicate that I voted in the affirmative on HR 42 which we just adopted.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman's remarks will be spread upon the record. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

RESOLUTIONS CONTINUED

Mr. COLE called up HR 41, PN 708, entitled:

Recognizing the month of April as "Cancer Control Month" and urging the citizens to support the American Cancer Society.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolution?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—198

Acosta	Deal	Langtry	Reber
Afflerbach	Dietz	Laughlin	Reinard
Angstadt	Dininni	Lescovitz	Richardson
Argall	Distler	Letterman	Rieger
Arty	Dombrowski	Levdansky	Robbins
Baldwin	Donatucci	Levin	Rudy
Barber	Dorr	Linton	Ryan
Barley	Duffy	Livengood	Rybak
Battisto	Durham	Lloyd	Saloom
Belardi	Evans	Lucyk	Saurman
Belfanti	Fargo	McCall	Scheetz
Birmelin	Fattah	McClatchy	Schuler
Black	Fee	McHale	Semmel
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Bowser	Freeman	Manmiller	Smith, B.
Boyes	Freind	Markosek	Smith, L. E.
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Broujos	Gallagher	Merry	Snyder, G. M.
Bunt	Gallen	Michlovic	Staback
Burd	Gamble	Micozzie	Stairs
Burns	Gannon	Miller	Steighner
Bush	Geist	Moehlmann	Stevens
Caltagirone	George	Morris	Stewart
Cappabianca	Gladeck	Mowery	Stuban
Carlson	Godshall	Mrkonic	Swift
Carn	Greenwood	Murphy	Taylor, E. Z.
Cawley	Gruitza	Nahill	Taylor, F. E.
Cessar	Gruppo	Noye	Taylor, J. J.

Chadwick	Hagarty	O'Brien	Telek
Cimini	Haluska	O'Donnell	Tigue
Civera	Harper	Olasz	Trello
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Colafella	Hershey	Petrone	Vroon
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Cordisco	Howlett	Piccola	Wass
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Cowell	Jackson	Pitts	Wilson
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DeWeese	Kasunic	Preston	Wright, J. L.
Daley	Kenney	Punt	Wright, R. C.
Davies	Kosinski	Raymond	Yandrisevits
Dawida	Kukovich		

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—1

Sweet

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy Irviss,
Lashinger Speaker

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

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

**ANNOUNCEMENT BY
SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair would suggest to the members who have amendments for bills which will be voted this afternoon to check with the Reference Bureau to determine that the amendments will be available for consideration at our afternoon session.

RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair declares a recess until 1:15. This House is now in recess.

AFTER RECESS

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

ADDITIONS AND DELETION OF SPONSORS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair announces receipt of a report of additions and deletions for sponsorships of bills from the majority leader, which the clerk will file.

The following list was submitted:

ADDITIONS:

HB 171, O'Donnell; HB 205, Truman; HB 210, Dietz; HB 220, Cimini; HB 221, Cimini; HB 222, Cimini; HB 223, Cimini; HB 224, Cimini; HB 225, Cimini; HB 226, Cimini; HB 227, Cimini; HB 316, Barley; HB 318, Bortner; HB 347, Mrkonic; HB 378,

Fischer, Petrone, Trello, Deal, Cimini, Morris; HB 441, Trello, Saloom; HB 465, Dietz; HB 486, Dietz; HB 503, Saloom; HB 534, Gruppo; HB 543, Petrone; HB 550, Dietz; HB 558, Fox; HB 562, Semmel; HB 563, Trello; HB 564, Saloom, Trello; HB 595, McVerry; HB 599, Lashinger, Cimini; HB 600, Cimini, Lashinger; HB 602, Durham; HB 607, Irviss, Book, Oliver, Gruitza, Donatucci, Pott, Jarolin, Dawida; HB 638, Cimini; HB 639, Trello; HB 649, McVerry, Semmel, Dawida; HB 675, McVerry; HB 676, Cessar; HB 682, Harper, Gannon, Haluska, Freind, Barley, Baldwin; HB 684, Belfanti; HR 21, Fox; HR 25, Letterman.

DELETION:
HB 165, Perzel.

**CALENDAR CONTINUED
BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION**

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 214, PN 231**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of November 26, 1978 (P. L. 1375, No. 325), known as the "Dam Safety and Encroachments Act," imposing posting duties on certain owners.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. 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—199

Acosta	Deal	Langtry	Reinard
Afflerbach	Dietz	Laughlin	Richardson
Angstadt	Dininni	Lescovitz	Rieger
Argall	Distler	Letterman	Robbins
Arty	Dombrowski	Levdansky	Rudy
Baldwin	Donatucci	Levin	Ryan
Barber	Dorr	Linton	Rybak
Barley	Duffy	Livengood	Saloom
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Broujos	Gallagher	Merry	Staback
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Burns	Gannon	Miller	Stevens
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Cowell	Jackson	Pitts	Wilson
Coy	Jarolin	Pott	Wogan
Deluca	Johnson	Pratt	Wozniak
DeVerter	Josephs	Pressmann	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kasunic	Preston	Wright, J. L.
Daley	Kenney	Punt	Wright, R. C.
Davies	Kosinski	Raymond	Yandrisevits
Dawida	Kukovich	Reber	

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy Irvis,
Lashinger Speaker

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 181, PN 197**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, prohibiting the use of coal mined in foreign countries by certain utilities.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. 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—197

Acosta	Deal	Langtry	Reinard
Afflerbach	Dietz	Laughlin	Richardson
Angstadt	Dininni	Lescovitz	Rieger
Argall	Distler	Letterman	Robbins
Arty	Dombrowski	Levdansky	Rudy
Baldwin	Donatucci	Levin	Ryan
Barber	Dorr	Linton	Rybak
Barley	Duffy	Livengood	Saloom
Battisto	Durham	Lloyd	Saurman
Belardi	Evans	Lucyk	Scheetz
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Blaum	Fischer	McVerry	Seventy
Book	Flick	Mackowski	Showers
Bortner	Foster, Jr., A.	Maiale	Sirianni
Bowley	Fox	Manderino	Smith, B.
Bowser	Freeman	Manmiller	Smith, L. E.
Boyes	Freind	Markosek	Snyder, D. W.
Brandt	Fryer	Mayernik	Snyder, G. M.
Broujos	Gallagher	Merry	Staback

Bunt	Gallen	Michlovic	Stairs
Burd	Gamble	Micozzie	Steighner
Burns	Geist	Miller	Stevens
Bush	George	Moehlmann	Stewart
Caltagirone	Gladeck	Morris	Stuban
Cappabianca	Godshall	Mowery	Sweet
Carlson	Greenwood	Mrkonic	Swift
Carn	Gruitza	Murphy	Taylor, E. Z.
Cawley	Gruppo	Nahill	Taylor, F. E.
Cessar	Hagarty	Noye	Taylor, J. J.
Chadwick	Haluska	O'Brien	Telek
Cimini	Harper	O'Donnell	Tigue
Civera	Hasay	Olasz	Trello
Clark	Hayes	Oliver	Truman
Clymer	Herman	Perzel	Van Horne
Cohen	Hershey	Petrarca	Veon
Colafrella	Honaman	Petrone	Vroon
Cole	Howlett	Phillips	Wambach
Cordisco	Hutchinson	Piccola	Wass
Cornell	Itkin	Pievsky	Weston
Coslett	Jackson	Pistella	Wiggins
Cowell	Jarolin	Pott	Wilson
Coy	Johnson	Pratt	Wogan
Deluca	Josephs	Pressmann	Wozniak
DeVerter	Kasunic	Preston	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kenney	Punt	Wright, J. L.
Daley	Kosinski	Raymond	Wright, R. C.
Davies	Kukovich	Reber	Yandrisevits
Dawida			

NAYS—1

Pitts

NOT VOTING—1

Gannon

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy Irvis,
Lashinger Speaker

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 pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Chester, Mr. Pitts, who states that his machine malfunctioned, and had it been working properly, he would have voted in the affirmative on HB 181.

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

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION CONTINUED

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 258, PN 619**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for retirement of electric generating units.

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

Mr. GEORGE offered the following amendments No. A0511:

Amend Title, page 1, line 3, by removing the period after "units" and inserting ; and providing for fuel purchase audits by ratepayer petition.

Amend Bill, page 3, by inserting between lines 1 and 2

Section 2. Title 66 is amended by adding a section to read:

§ 1320. Fuel purchase audits by petition.

(1) Whenever 500 or more ratepayers of a public utility request the commission to audit the utility's purchases of fuel for generating purposes, the commission shall conduct an audit covering the two years prior to the date of the presentation of the ratepayers' petition, provided that:

(i) The utility does its own testing or procures its own analysis of its fuel.

(ii) The net energy cost of the utility for the most recently completed fiscal year exceeds that of the prior fiscal year by more than 5%.

(iii) The commission has not completed a fuel purchase audit of the utility in the past two years.

(2) This audit, which shall be completed within one year of the presentation of the petition, shall include, but not be limited to, a comparison of unit price paid for fuel for generating purposes, considering such factors as ash, sulfur content and British thermal units.

(3) The audit shall seek to determine whether the public utility's fuel purchasing procedures are conducted in such a manner as to result in the greatest benefit to the environment and the ratepayers.

(4) The commission's audit report shall contain recommendations as to methods by which the utility's fuel purchasing procedures can be adjusted so as to result in the greatest benefit to the ratepayers and the environment.

(5) The commission shall take the audit report into consideration at the utility's next request for a rate adjustment.

(6) Copies of the audit report shall be mailed to each of the petitioners who request the audit.

Amend Sec. 2, page 3, line 2, by striking out "2" and inserting

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On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. On that question, the Chair recognizes the gentleman from Clearfield, Mr. George.

Mr. GEORGE. Mr. Speaker, this amendment simply insures that the fuel purchases conducted by the utilities in Pennsylvania will be done in such a manner that if there is any doubt whatsoever of the legitimacy, there is within this amendment an action that can be approved that will see to it that these purchases are legitimate by audit. The audit will be performed by the public utility.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Franklin, Mr. Coy.

Mr. COY. Will the gentleman, Mr. George, consent to interrogation?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman, Mr. George, indicates he will stand for a period of interrogation, and the gentleman, Mr. Coy, is in order and may proceed.

Mr. COY. Mr. Speaker, is the part of the amendment which the gentleman purports to put into law already a requirement of the Public Utility Commission?

Mr. GEORGE. Mr. Speaker, I cannot hear the gentleman.

Mr. COY. Is the action, Mr. Speaker, already required on the part of the Public Utility Commission?

Mr. GEORGE. Not to the same instance, Mr. Speaker, does this amendment allude. The bill or the law as suggested, that you believe now is in format, alluded to fuel adjustment with the utility not involved, a claim in fuel adjustment per se. This amendment is needed to go back 2 years prior to any rate increase and to find out whether or not these utilities are in actuality procuring these fuels at the most competitive, best price.

Mr. COY. Mr. Speaker, is the heart of the amendment not rather the availability of a petition by 500 or more ratepayers? Is this not the part of the process which is changing and not the actual substance on the part of the Public Utility Commission?

Mr. GEORGE. Mr. Speaker, I do not know whether I heard your question properly. The reason for the number of petitioners was just to guarantee that there would not be any frivolous action and that there would be several other instances by the petitioners that would have to be considered.

Mr. COY. Mr. Speaker, my question is, is the requirement of the petition being filed by ratepayers a new requirement?

Mr. GEORGE. Yes; it is, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. COY. So that is the heart of the amendment then, the fact that this action can be called for by a number of ratepayers requesting it rather than simply on the part of the Public Utility Commission doing it?

Mr. GEORGE. You are absolutely accurate, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. COY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—196

Acosta	Dawida	Langtry	Reinard
Afflerbach	Deal	Laughlin	Richardson
Angstadt	Dietz	Lescovitz	Rieger
Argall	Dininni	Letterman	Robbins
Arty	Distler	Levdansky	Rudy
Baldwin	Dombrowski	Levin	Ryan
Barber	Donatucci	Linton	Rybak
Barley	Dorr	Livengood	Saloom
Battisto	Duffy	Lloyd	Saurman
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Birmelin	Fargo	McClatchy	Semmel
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Bowley	Fox	Manderino	Smith, B.
Bowser	Freeman	Manmiller	Smith, L. E.
Boyes	Freind	Markosek	Snyder, D. W.
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DeVerter	Josephs	Preston	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kasunic	Punt	Wright, J. L.
Daley	Kenney	Raymond	Wright, R. C.
Davies	Kosinski	Reber	Yandrisevits

NAYS—1

Fischer

NOT VOTING—2

Kukovich

Pitts

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy
Lashingner

Irvis,
Speaker

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?

Bill as amended was agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. 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—198

Acosta	Deal	Langtry	Reber
Afflerbach	Dietz	Laughlin	Reinard
Angstadt	Dininni	Lescovitz	Richardson
Argall	Distler	Letterman	Rieger
Arty	Dombrowski	Levdansky	Robbins
Baldwin	Donatucci	Levin	Rudy
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Boyes	Freind	Markosek	Smith, L. E.
Brandt	Fryer	Mayernik	Snyder, D. W.
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Dawida	Kosinski	Punt	Wright, R. C.
	Kukovich	Raymond	Yandrisevits

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—1

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EXCUSED—3

Kennedy
Lashingner

Irvis,
Speaker

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 SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair has received a memo here from one of the members. It reads as follows: "Don't look so confused." The Chair thanks the gentleman.

WELCOMES

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair is pleased to welcome Beverly Metzger, Connie Rebert, and Peggy Jones of the White Rose Chapter of Professional Secretaries International. They are the guests of the York delegation.

The Chair is pleased to recognize Melanie Chiaverini of B. C. Tourist Promotion, and Ann T. Nickerson of Harmonie Associates at Old Economy.

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION CONTINUED

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 316, PN 346**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 1, 1945 (P. L. 1242, No. 428), known as the "State Highway Law," authorizing municipalities to perform certain work on State highways within municipal boundaries; and authorizing certain reimbursements.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration?

Mr. REINARD offered the following amendments No. A0503:

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 561), page 1, line 20, by striking out "every municipality" and inserting the municipality and the department

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 561), page 2, line 1, by striking out "with the department to perform temporary" and inserting for the municipality to perform maintenance

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 561), page 2, line 6, by striking out "from" and inserting after completion of

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. On that question, the Chair recognizes the gentleman from Bucks, Mr. Reinard.

Mr. REINARD. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This amendment is technical and makes three technical changes to the wording in the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Would the gentleman please explain the three changes briefly?

Mr. REINARD. Yes, Mr. Speaker.

The first change is it clarifies exactly what the agreement enters into, with the municipality and also the department. It also makes mention to the word that instead of "temporary maintenance" it would just be "perform maintenance." Then finally it would be "after completion," and that was simply clearing up some of the concerns PennDOT (Pennsylvania Department of Transportation) expressed earlier.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—197

Acosta	Deal	Langtry	Reber
Afflerbach	Dietz	Laughlin	Reinard
Angstadt	Dininni	Lescovitz	Richardson
Argall	Distler	Letterman	Rieger
Arty	Dombrowski	Levdansky	Robbins
Baldwin	Donatucci	Levin	Rudy
Barber	Dorr	Linton	Ryan
Barley	Duffy	Livengood	Rybak
Battisto	Durham	Lloyd	Saloom
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Belfanti	Fargo	McCall	Scheetz
Birmelin	Fattah	McClatchy	Schuler
Black	Fee	McHale	Semmel
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Book	Flick	Mackowski	Seventy
Bortner	Foster, Jr., A.	Maiale	Showers
Bowley	Fox	Manderino	Sirianni
Bowser	Freeman	Manmiller	Smith, B.
Boyes	Freind	Markosek	Smith, L. E.
Brandt	Fryer	Mayernik	Snyder, D. W.
Broujos	Gallagher	Merry	Snyder, G. M.
Bunt	Gallen	Michlovic	Staback
Burd	Gamble	Micozzie	Stairs
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Colafrilla	Hershey	Petrone	Veon
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Daley	Kosinski	Punt	Wright, R. C.
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NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—2

Hutchinson Vroon

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy Irvis,
Lashinger Speaker

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?

Bill as amended was agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. 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—198

Acosta	Dietz	Laughlin	Reinard
Afflerbach	Dininni	Lescovitz	Richardson
Angstadt	Distler	Letterman	Rieger
Argall	Dombrowski	Levdansky	Robbins
Arty	Donatucci	Levin	Rudy
Baldwin	Dorr	Linton	Ryan
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Davies	Kosinski	Raymond	Wright, R. C.
Dawida	Kukovich	Reber	Yandrisevits
Deal	Langtry		

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—1

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EXCUSED—3

Kennedy	Irvis,
Lashinger	Speaker

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 318, PN 621**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for physicians' verification of applicants for handicapped plate.

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

Mr. GREENWOOD offered the following amendments No. A0498:

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 1338), page 1, lines 11 and 12, by inserting brackets before and after "or an arm or both arms;" and inserting immediately thereafter

, as evidenced by use of a wheelchair, walker, crutches, quadripod cane, artificial leg or legs, braces or other such device; or

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 1338), page 1, line 13, by inserting a bracket before "is"

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 1338), page 1, line 16, by inserting a bracket after "(4)"

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 1338), page 1, line 16, by inserting after "a"

severe

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 1338), page 1, line 16, by inserting after "condition"

, including chronic emphysema or bronchitis and excluding minor respiratory ailments,

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. On that question, the Chair recognizes the gentleman from Bucks, Mr. Greenwood.

Mr. GREENWOOD. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The bill that we are considering now is a bill that modifies the law that provides a system of handicapped license plates and handicapped placards. The reason that there has been some legislative activity on this act is because those who are handicapped and the advocates for the handicapped have discovered that it is far too easy to get a license plate or a placard that enables you to use the parking spots which are reserved for the handicapped. As a result of that, the truly handicapped people who need those spaces are not able to find them when they need them.

The first amendment that I am going to be offering specifies a means by which a determination can be made as to whether or not someone truly needs the use of a handicapped license plate or placard, and we are requiring that the disability, as it refers to the loss of the use of a leg or legs, is evidenced by the use of a wheelchair, a walker, crutches, a quadripod cane, an artificial leg or legs, braces, or other such device. Also, under the area involving respiratory ailments, we specifically say that we include chronic emphysema or bronchitis and we exclude minor respiratory ailments.

This amendment is agreed to by the prime sponsor of the bill, as I understand it, and I would appreciate the support of the House.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Linton.

Mr. LINTON. Mr. Speaker, as indicated by the previous speaker, this is an agreed-to amendment.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Allegheny, Mr. Markosek.

Mr. MARKOSEK. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to ask a question of the maker of the amendment, please.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman indicates he will stand for a period of interrogation. The gentleman is in order and may proceed.

Mr. MARKOSEK. Mr. Speaker, in dealing with the respiratory diseases that we are alluding to in this amendment, are these diseases a cause for ambulatory problems?

Mr. GREENWOOD. Yes.

The reason for including this category is that there are those who suffer from severe emphysema, for instance, and for them just to walk across the parking lot of a shopping center or a mall is more than they can do. The Department of Transportation, by the way, has been consulted on this amendment. They support it, and the various advocacy groups for the handicapped have supported this amendment.

Mr. MARKOSEK. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—181

Acosta	Dietz	Kukovich	Reber
Afflerbach	Dininni	Langtry	Reinard
Angstadt	Distler	Laughlin	Richardson
Argall	Dombrowski	Lescovitz	Rieger
Arty	Donatucci	Letterman	Robbins

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Cowell	Jackson	Pitts	Wilson
Coy	Jarolin	Pott	Wogan
Deluca	Johnson	Pratt	Wozniak
DeWeese	Josephs	Pressmann	Wright, D. R.
Daley	Kasunic	Preston	Wright, J. L.
Davies	Kenney	Punt	Wright, R. C.
Dawida	Kosinski	Raymond	Yandrisevits
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NAYS—14

Belardi	DeVerter	Lucyk	Staback
Belfanti	Gruitza	McCall	Stuban
Blaum	Hasay	Phillips	Tigue
Cawley	Lloyd		

NOT VOTING—4

Hutchinson	Petrarca	Showers	Sweet
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EXCUSED—3

Kennedy	Irvis,
Lashingier	Speaker

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. GREENWOOD offered the following amendments No. A0497:

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 1338), page 2, line 12, by inserting after "(A)"

or who is blind, or who is a parent or a person in loco parentis of a person specified in subsection (a) or of a blind person, and whose application has been verified by a licensed physician or rehabilitation therapist

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 1338), page 2, line 18, by inserting after "PERSON."

Placards may also be issued for use in vehicles operated exclusively for the use and benefit of handicapped persons.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. On that question, the Chair recognizes the gentleman from Bucks, Mr. Greenwood.

Mr. GREENWOOD. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This amendment is also agreed to by the prime sponsor of the bill, and it refers to the handicapped placard. There are two devices used in this legislation. One of them is the license plate, which is permanently attached to the car, and the other is the placard, and the placard is used for a number of reasons.

Number one, when you have a temporary disability, the placard can be posted within the car and then removed when the disability is no longer there. It can also be used by the parents of a handicapped person when the handicapped individual is transported in different cars from time to time.

This amendment allows the placard to be used for someone who is blind or who is the parent or a person in loco parentis of a person specified in the previous section, under the handicapped section, and whose application has been verified by a physician. This amendment also allows placards to be issued for use in vehicles operated exclusively for the use and the benefit of handicapped persons.

I would ask for support of this amendment.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Linton.

Mr. LINTON. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This, too, is an agreed-to amendment, and I ask for support of the amendment. Thank you.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—196

Acosta	Deal	Kukovich	Reinard
Afflerbach	Dietz	Langtry	Richardson
Angstadt	Diminni	Laughlin	Rieger
Argall	Distler	Lescovitz	Robbins
Arty	Dombrowski	Letterman	Rudy
Baldwin	Donatucci	Levin	Ryan
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Broujos	Gallagher	Merry	Staback
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Daley	Kasunic	Punt	Wright, J. L.
Davies	Kenney	Raymond	Wright, R. C.
Dawida	Kosinski	Reber	Yandrisevits

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—3

Clark Levdansky Petrarca

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy Irvis,
Lashingner Speaker

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?

Mr. GREENWOOD offered the following amendments No. A0499:

- Amend Title, page 1, line 2, by striking out "physicians"
- Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 1338), page 1, line 9, by inserting after "application"
, verified by a police officer,
- Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 1338), page 2, line 5, by inserting a bracket before "Special"
- Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 1338), page 2, line 7, by inserting a bracket after "persons."
- Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 1338), page 2, line 20, by striking out "THE APPLICANT'S PHYSICIAN" and inserting a police officer

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. On that question, the Chair recognizes the gentleman from Bucks, Mr. Greenwood.

Mr. GREENWOOD. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

About this amendment we will have some debate.

I introduced legislation earlier in this session to comprehensively modify the handicapped parking law, and I started out where Mr. Linton is now in his bill, simply requiring that a physician approve of the application and verify that there is a handicap. That has been the subject itself of some controversy for the following reasons: There are those who are advocates for the handicapped and who are handicapped themselves who have argued that, number one, if we require the handi-

capped individuals to go to their physician for verification, we are first off requiring an expense on their part. They are going to have to pay their physician to go and verify the form that they need in order to get the license plate. The other argument that has been repeatedly brought to my attention is that a physician is inclined to support the application of his client, not necessarily because the client is in need of the specialized treatment but because he or she is a client, and that it is too easy to have your doctor approve the application.

This amendment would transfer the verification procedure from the physician to a police officer. Now, the police officers are accessible in every community, and it would require that the handicapped person simply stop at the police station and have their application verified, indicating that they do indeed meet the requirements of the act and are, therefore, eligible for a license plate.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Linton.

Mr. LINTON. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This, as indicated also, is not an agreed-to amendment. My efforts on the part of the legislation, I think, my intent in introducing this bill is similar to that of the Representative. However, I question whether in fact we should have police officers whom we see as those who are designated to deal with crime to now be designated to be burdened with verifying whether one is in fact handicapped. It seems to me that in many of the instances in this Commonwealth we believe in and trust in the professional capabilities of physicians, trust in fact that they are indeed honest, and expect that they would in fact verify whether one is or is not competent or one should not be classified as a handicapped individual for the purpose of these license plates. I do not think that we should be involved in, as I said earlier, burdening the police department with verifying whether one is or is not handicapped.

In addition, if I understand the bill correctly as it was amended, under what circumstances or what ability is a police officer able to clearly indicate whether one has a problem that would require respiratory difficulties and be able to verify that to indicate that this individual is in fact eligible to receive a placard or handicapped plate?

So I am asking the members to vote in opposition to this amendment.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Chester, Mr. Morris.

Mr. MORRIS. Mr. Speaker, I would just like to suggest to the members of the House that probably in their districts, and quite a few of them, there are people who live closer to a doctor than they do to a police officer. That happens to be the case with myself. I think this amendment is not well thought out.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Northampton, Mr. Rybak.

Mr. RYBAK. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I rise to oppose the Linton amendment, and I wholeheartedly support the Greenwood amendment. I do so based on experience, as I am a member of the club, and I brought my club along to prove it.

We know that just about any individual who goes to a friendly doctor will be able to get a permit. He will overlook whether or not there is a certificate of need. That is human nature. We also know that this is a much-needed piece of legislation for handicapped people who really need a parking place, who need a plate. But we also know from our experience that there has been quite a bit of abuse, that they are handed out too readily. I believe that a police officer would be a disinterested party who could determine on visibility whether or not there is need, and if it is not visible, then the person could bring a doctor's certificate and establish that need. I think we would have an objective decision there to give these permits only to those who actually need them; otherwise, we are going to erode the very purpose and intent of this law. Therefore, I would ask for the Assembly to support the Greenwood amendment. Thank you very much.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

The issue before the House is the amendment offered by Mr. Greenwood.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Northampton, Mr. Gruppo.

Mr. GRUPPO. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to interrogate the sponsor of the amendment.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman indicates he will stand for a period of interrogation, and the gentleman, Mr. Gruppo, is in order and may proceed.

Mr. GRUPPO. Mr. Speaker, in looking at your amendment here, it is my understanding that you simply want a police officer to verify the disability that an individual may have to qualify for a parking permit. Is that correct?

Mr. GREENWOOD. That is correct.

Mr. GRUPPO. Although I agree somewhat with the previous speaker, I have some difficulty in just permitting a police officer to do this verification. I personally had thought along the lines of either having two physicians or a physician and a police officer. That way we can have the medical verification and the physical verification by the police officer.

I was wondering if you would be agreeable to amending your amendment to permit the physician and the police officer to make the verification.

Mr. GREENWOOD. I am not sure about the procedures of that, Mr. Speaker, but what I do think is this, and this may satisfy your concern: This bill, as amended, if we adopt this amendment, does not preclude the police officer, if the police officer feels that in a particular instance he or she cannot make that judgment, to ask the applicant to get a note from their doctor. This simply says that the application must be verified by a police officer. So if a police officer is on duty and someone comes in on crutches or in a wheelchair, obviously handicapped, the police officer simply verifies that application and it goes to PennDOT and they get their plate. If, however, an applicant comes in with no obvious physical disability but perhaps says, I have severe bronchitis, or, I have emphysema, there is nothing in this legislation as amended that would preclude that police officer from saying, go get a note from your doctor and come back.

So I think that amended this way we make it less costly for the handicapped person; we make the services accessible, because remember, police officers still make house calls and physicians rarely do; and thirdly, we put an element of control in there where the police officer is less likely to be talked into something than the doctor would be, but we still have the opportunity for a police officer to ask for a note from the doctor. So I think it is the best of both worlds.

To answer your question, I would have to know more about what the procedures are to amend this amendment. But I probably would not go along with that idea because I think it is duplicative.

Mr. GRUPPO. In other words, Mr. Speaker, you feel fairly certain that we will not have police officers simply rejecting applications of those who truly need them or have individuals walking into the police station who may be temporarily incapacitated obtaining a parking permit and utilizing it for a long period of time? Is there any way the law currently restricts that so that we can establish the length of time that this permit would be in existence?

Mr. GREENWOOD. Mr. Speaker, I had an amendment that was going to clarify the fine issue, and I have withdrawn my amendment in favor of one to be offered by Representative Ryan. Representative Ryan in his amendment will beef up the fine provisions a little bit. So therefore, if someone were to use a placard, for instance, based on a temporary injury beyond the time when they were still injured, they would be subject to a fine which will be significantly stiff, I think, after the Ryan amendment.

Mr. GRUPPO. May I ask another question, Mr. Speaker?

Do you know if currently there are time restrictions placed on these permits for an individual who may be temporarily incapacitated?

Mr. GREENWOOD. There are not specific time restrictions, because that would not work. Someone may have a broken leg and they may need a special provision for 3 months; another might have the broken leg persist for 2 years. But what the law does say is that it can only be used while the disability is in effect.

Mr. GRUPPO. Well, I would just like to make a comment, Mr. Speaker.

Although I understand what Representative Greenwood is attempting to do, I would still feel more comfortable if we would have the physician approve the request by the individual for a permit and then have that individual bring it to the police officer or police station for approval. I understand what you are saying is the absolute reverse, but nonetheless, I would feel more comfortable having the police officer do it. Well, I will let you have your way, Mr. Speaker, and we will go along with it and see what the House decides to do. Thank you.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Somerset, Mr. Lloyd.

Mr. LLOYD. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to interrogate Mr. Greenwood.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman, Mr. Greenwood, indicates he will stand for a period of interrogation. The gentleman, Mr. Lloyd, is in order and may proceed.

Mr. LLOYD. Mr. Speaker, most of the discussion on this amendment has dealt with the question of whether the verification ought to be by a doctor or by a police officer, but there is another change in the law which this amendment is proposing to make that I do not understand. On page 2 of the bill, lines 5 through 7, current law says that special plates for handicapped persons may also be issued for vehicles operated exclusively for the use and benefit of handicapped persons. Now, presumably, Mr. Speaker, that means a van which somebody has in which the person who is driving it is not handicapped but the people being transported are. Mr. Speaker, you are proposing to take from the existing law the sentence which I just read. Could you explain to the House why?

Mr. GREENWOOD. Mr. Speaker, on an amendment that was previously adopted, amendment A0497, we added language that enables a placard to be used for a vehicle that is operated exclusively for the use and the benefit of handicapped persons. The Department of Transportation and many of the advocates that we consulted on this legislation felt that those vehicles should have a placard but not a license plate. Their reasons were varied, but in some cases those vans are used by people apparently at other times than when they are transporting the handicapped, and they should not be parked in handicapped locations at that time.

Mr. LLOYD. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Could I be recognized to comment on the amendment?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman is in order and may proceed.

Mr. LLOYD. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I rise to oppose this amendment. I think if the members want to tighten up the law on the handicapped and who can get handicapped license plates, that is fine, but I have a feeling that a lot of members who voted earlier today do not really realize what the consequences of those votes are. What happens here is, yes, some advocacy group somewhere down in Philadelphia or Bucks County or Harrisburg may say this is a great idea, but when that person in your county who is transporting the handicapped in a van and who now gets a handicapped plate for that no longer is able to get it, and he comes into your office to ask you why you voted to do that, I hope you have a good reason.

Secondly, the notion of having the police departments do the verification, in my opinion, simply is disaster in a rural area. In the southwest corner of my county there are no police departments. There are no police departments in the only small boroughs or in the townships. That means, if this amendment passes, that those people who are handicapped, in order to get a handicapped plate or a handicapped placard, are going to have to go all the way to the county seat 35 miles away to the State Police barracks. I think that is not in the best interests of the handicapped. I understand what the gentleman is trying to do, but I think that in the name of trying to

tighten up the law he is going to really impose severe restrictions on people who should not have those restrictions imposed upon them.

Finally, Mr. Speaker, under this amendment it simply says that a policeman has to verify the application. It does not say whether that has to be a State policeman or a local policeman. It does not tell a municipality whether it is allowed to verify an application for somebody who does not live in that municipality, and if we are going to go in the direction that the amendment proposes to go, then those kinds of questions ought to be answered.

And finally, Mr. Speaker, if in rural areas we are going to have this additional burden placed on the State Police, then I would like to see something done to increase the State Police budget so that they are able to handle all these things in a timely fashion and that I do not start getting all the complaints from people who say, well, I went to the police barracks and they would not do it, or they cannot do it today, or they cannot do it for 2 or 3 weeks.

For all of those reasons, Mr. Speaker, I urge that we defeat this amendment.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes, for the second time, the gentleman from Northampton, Mr. Rybak.

Mr. RYBAK. Mr. Speaker, I believe, in my opinion or judgment, that the prior speaker talked about a remote situation of traveling 35 or more miles to find a policeman. I do not think that is realistic. But be that as it may, when this legislation was first proposed that a physician's certificate would be required, I took it personally upon myself, and so did Representative Greenwood, to check out what the people involved think, what the handicapped people who need a plate or a placard intended in the matter, and the response was unanimous that there is too much abuse as is, that practically speaking it is easy to get a doctor to be a nice guy and say okay, even though there might not be a need, and that the only way you can really get an objective position is to go to the police authority in the jurisdiction where you live and get them to approve it.

As far as expertise, if the situation is not apparent whether or not there is need— And certainly it is apparent in such situations where a man is in a wheelchair or where he has two legs off, et cetera and so forth. He can grant that certificate of need. If it is not apparent, very simply he can go to see a doctor. And, of course, the other reason was to save the money it will cost to get a doctor to prepare a certificate of need.

So I think it is in the best interests of the handicapped person that this amendment pass. I believe this is what they want. I think it will do the job, and I ask that this amendment be approved. Thank you.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes, for the second time on this issue, the gentleman from Somerset, Mr. Lloyd.

Mr. LLOYD. Mr. Speaker, the comment that it is unrealistic that somebody is going to have to travel half an hour simply does not reflect the understanding of geography in the

western part of this State. I do not know what it is like in Mr. Rybak's district and how many police departments there are per municipality, but in the western rural areas of this Commonwealth we generally do not have police departments in townships, and many of the boroughs have one policeman if any at all. It is absolutely correct that in many corners of my county there is no police department, and if somebody wanted to get it authorized, he is going to have to travel to the county seat, and that is going to take him at least half an hour, whereas he can get to a doctor much more readily than that.

So members can choose how they want, but if they come from rural areas such as mine where we do not have a lot of police protection, they had better give very serious thought to this amendment and vote "no."

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes, for the second time on this issue, the gentleman from Northampton, Mr. Gruppo.

Mr. GRUPPO. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to interrogate Representative Greenwood, please.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman indicates he will stand for a period of interrogation, and the gentleman, Mr. Gruppo, is in order and may proceed.

Mr. GRUPPO. Mr. Speaker, if an applicant were to be rejected by a police officer, can he voluntarily go to his physician, obtain approval from the physician, go back to the police officer, and obtain the placard?

Mr. GREENWOOD. If it were my constituent and I were counseling him, I would tell him to go to his doctor and get a letter and find himself another police officer.

Mr. GRUPPO. Well, you know, I think your amendment has a great deal of merit, and I feel personally that something has to be done to address this problem. I just do not think you are going about it the right way with your amendment. I have other people around me who feel the same way. I really hate to ask the House not to vote for your amendment, and I would like to know if you could hold this bill over for a while until some work can be done to clean it up a little bit.

Mr. GREENWOOD. Mr. Speaker, I would certainly have no objection to holding the bill over. It is not my bill; it is Representative Linton's bill, so perhaps he would want to be consulted.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Linton.

Mr. LINTON. Mr. Speaker, I have had comments from various members who feel very strongly that verification by a physician is appropriate and also adequate. In addition, I also would like to make the members aware that disabled vets currently under the law are required to go to the Veterans' Administration and come up with documentation to verify the fact that they are disabled, using the same application.

I am opposed to tabling the bill or recommitting the bill. As its prime sponsor, I would hope that we would vote and move the bill today.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Northampton, Mr. Gruppo.

Mr. GRUPPO. Just a point of clarification to Mr. Linton.

I was not asking that we recommit the bill. I was simply asking that we hold it over and perhaps the sponsor and Representative Greenwood, and maybe even myself or any other interested Representative, try to do something to improve this amendment, because I would like to see an amendment like this go in, but I am not totally satisfied with this. I was wondering if you would be willing to do that?

Mr. LINTON. Mr. Speaker, as I indicated, I would like to vote the bill as it currently is. I am opposed to the amendment. I am opposed to using police officers to verify handicapped individuals, and I would like us to move forward and vote on the amendment.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman, Mr. Greenwood, has already spoken twice on this issue.

Mr. GREENWOOD. Mr. Speaker, I just wanted to make a simple procedural motion.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from York, Mr. Bortner.

Mr. BORTNER. Mr. Speaker, I also rise to oppose the Greenwood amendment, and I do so for several reasons. I understand the purpose, but I do not think it is practical, and I think it is ill conceived. If a person presents himself to a police officer in a wheelchair or on crutches or with a cane, a police officer will have no way of verifying whether that person is truly needy. I think a doctor is in a position to better make that determination, and although there may be some abuses, I do not think they would be wholesale. I have some confidence in the medical profession.

I also think that a friendly police officer would be subject to this same kind of abuse, and it does not seem to me that this would correct that situation. I do not think that turning this over to police officers who have their hands full dealing with law enforcement is the right way to approach this problem. Thank you.

BILL RECOMMITTED

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

Mr. HUTCHINSON. How about the parish priest or a preacher?

Mr. Speaker, when I took this bill out of committee, I did not know the veracity of a doctor and a policeman was going to be apropos. I make a motion that we put it back in the Transportation Committee and we will take another look at it.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. There is a motion by the gentleman, Mr. Hutchinson, to recommit HB 318, PN 621, to the Committee on Transportation.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Linton.

Mr. LINTON. Mr. Speaker, I rise to support the chairman and ask for the bill to be recommitted.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The motion by the gentleman, Mr. Hutchinson, is to recommit HB 318, PN 621, to the Committee on Transportation. Those in favor of the motion will vote "aye"; those opposed will vote "nay."

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—198

Acosta	Deal	Langtry	Reinard
Afflerbach	Dietz	Laughlin	Richardson
Angstadt	Dininni	Lescovitz	Rieger
Argall	Distler	Letterman	Robbins
Arty	Dombrowski	Levdansky	Rudy
Baldwin	Donatucci	Levin	Ryan
Barber	Dorr	Linton	Rybak
Barley	Duffy	Livengood	Saloom
Battisto	Durham	Lloyd	Saurman
Belardi	Evans	Lucyk	Scheetz
Belfanti	Fargo	McCall	Schuler
Birmelin	Fattah	McClatchy	Semmel
Black	Fee	McHale	Serafini
Blaum	Fischer	McVerry	Seventy
Book	Flick	Mackowski	Showers
Bortner	Foster, Jr., A.	Maiale	Sirianni
Bowley	Fox	Manderino	Smith, B.
Bowser	Freeman	Manmiller	Smith, L. E.
Boyes	Freind	Markosek	Snyder, D. W.
Brandt	Fryer	Mayernik	Snyder, G. M.
Broujos	Gallagher	Merry	Staback
Bunt	Gallen	Michlovic	Stairs
Burd	Gamble	Micozzie	Steighner
Burns	Gannon	Miller	Stevens
Bush	Geist	Moehlmann	Stewart
Caltagirone	George	Morris	Stuban
Cappabianca	Gladeck	Mowery	Sweet
Carlson	Godshall	Mrkonic	Swift
Carn	Greenwood	Murphy	Taylor, E. Z.
Cawley	Gruitza	Nahill	Taylor, F. E.
Cessar	Gruppo	Noye	Taylor, J. J.
Chadwick	Hagarty	O'Brien	Telek
Cimini	Haluska	O'Donnell	Tigue
Civera	Harper	Olasz	Trello
Clark	Hasay	Oliver	Truman
Clymer	Hayes	Perzel	Van Horne
Cohen	Herman	Petrarca	Veon
Colafella	Hershey	Petrone	Vroon
Cole	Honaman	Phillips	Wambach
Cordisco	Howlett	Piccola	Wass
Cornell	Hutchinson	Pievsky	Weston
Coslett	Itkin	Pistella	Wiggins
Cowell	Jackson	Pitts	Wilson
Coy	Jarolin	Pratt	Wogan
Deluca	Johnson	Pressmann	Wozniak
DeVerter	Josephs	Preston	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kasunic	Punt	Wright, J. L.
Daley	Kenney	Raymond	Wright, R. C.
Davies	Kosinski	Reber	Yandrisevits
Dawida	Kukovich		

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—1

Pott

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy Irvis,
Lashinger Speaker

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

**BILL AND VETO MESSAGE
REMOVED FROM TABLE**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, I move that the line-item veto and message on SB 267, PN 415, be taken from the table.

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

VETO OVERRIDE RECONSIDERED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair has before it a reconsideration motion that the vote by which the veto override of SB 267, PN 415, was defeated on the 26th day of February be reconsidered. It is signed by James J. Manderino and Mr. Dombrowski.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the minority leader.

Mr. RYAN. Mr. Speaker, I am asking the members to vote "no" on the reconsideration, and I am insisting that only those members who are in their seats be permitted to vote.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, this is the veto of the Governor for the fuel assistance, and I am asking all 130 members who voted for the override to vote for the reconsideration so that at the proper time we can attempt an override again.

PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Does the gentleman from Delaware, Mr. Gannon, care to be recognized?

Mr. GANNON. Yes, Mr. Speaker. I guess a parliamentary inquiry.

We just had a motion to remove the bill from the table?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Yes.

Mr. GANNON. What happened to that motion?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. That motion passed.

Mr. GANNON. Was that done by a roll call? I do not recall hearing a roll call on that.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. It was done by a verbal vote, and the majority voted "yes."

Mr. GANNON. Okay, Mr. Speaker. Thank you.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—111

Acosta	Deal	Levin	Rudy
Afflerbach	Dombrowski	Linton	Rybak
Angstadt	Donatucci	Livengood	Saloom
Baldwin	Duffy	Lloyd	Seventy

Barber	Evans	Lucyk	Showers
Battisto	Fattah	McCall	Staback
Belardi	Fee	McHale	Stairs
Belfanti	Fischer	Maiale	Steighner
Blaum	Freeman	Manderino	Stewart
Bortner	Fryer	Markosek	Stuban
Bowley	Gallagher	Mayernik	Sweet
Broujos	Gamble	Michlovic	Taylor, F. E.
Burns	George	Morris	Taylor, J. J.
Caltagirone	Gruitz	Mrkonic	Telek
Cappabianca	Haluska	Murphy	Tigue
Carn	Harper	Nahill	Trello
Cawley	Howlett	O'Donnell	Truman
Clark	Hutchinson	Olasz	Van Horne
Cohen	Itkin	Oliver	Veon
Colafella	Jarolin	Petrarca	Wambach
Cole	Josephs	Petrone	Wiggins
Cordisco	Kasunic	Pievsky	Wilson
Cowell	Kosinski	Pistella	Wozniak
Coy	Kukovich	Pratt	Wright, D. R.
Deluca	Laughlin	Pressmann	Wright, J. L.
DeWeese	Lescovitz	Preston	Wright, R. C.
Daley	Letterman	Richardson	Yandrisevits
Dawida	Levdansky	Rieger	

NAYS—81

Argall	Distler	Honaman	Reinard
Arty	Dorr	Jackson	Robbins
Barley	Durham	Johnson	Ryan
Birmelin	Fargo	Langtry	Saurman
Black	Flick	McClatchy	Scheetz
Book	Foster, Jr., A.	Mackowski	Schuler
Bowser	Fox	Manmiller	Semmel
Boyes	Freind	Merry	Serafini
Bunt	Gallen	Micozzie	Sirianni
Bush	Gannon	Miller	Smith, B.
Carlson	Geist	Moehlmann	Smith, L. E.
Cessar	Gladeck	Mowery	Snyder, D. W.
Chadwick	Godshall	Noye	Snyder, G. M.
Cimini	Greenwood	O'Brien	Stevens
Civera	Gruppo	Perzel	Swift
Clymer	Hagarty	Phillips	Taylor, E. Z.
Cornell	Hasay	Piccola	Vroon
Coslett	Hayes	Pitts	Wass
DeVerter	Herman	Punt	Weston
Davies	Hershey	Raymond	Wogan
Dietz			

NOT VOTING—7

Brandt	Dininni	McVerry	Reber
Burd	Kenney	Pott	

EXCUSED—3

Kennedy	Irvis,
Lashing	Speaker

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

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill become law, the objections of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding?

BILL AND VETO MESSAGE TABLED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. MANDERINO. Mr. Speaker, I would move that the veto message of the Governor be placed upon the table.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. It has been moved by the majority leader that the line-item veto and message on SB 267 be placed upon the table.

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

WELCOME

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair is pleased to announce the following guests of the Mercer County delegation: Pat Mulligan and Mr. Reid Bennett, a former, valued member of this House of Representatives.

COMMITTEE HEARINGS CANCELED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes at this time the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Oliver.

Mr. OLIVER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, the public hearings that were scheduled to be held by the State Government Committee in Pittsburgh on Thursday and Friday have been canceled.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Bucks, Mr. Gallagher.

Mr. GALLAGHER. Mr. Speaker, I would like to announce that there will be an Education Committee meeting tomorrow morning in room 637 at 10 o'clock.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

BILL REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE, CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED

HB 626, PN 704 By Rep. HUTCHINSON

An Act amending the act of June 22, 1931 (P. L. 594, No. 203), referred to as the "Township State Highway Law," returning State Highway Route 02003 in Allegheny County to the State highway system; and repealing authority for its conveyance.

TRANSPORTATION.

HOUSE SCHEDULE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair has a special announcement.

This House will not be in session tomorrow. This House will not be in session tomorrow and will return on Tuesday, April 9.

REMARKS ON VOTES

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Luzerne, Mr. Tigue.

Mr. TIGUE. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, on the final passage of HB 258, I was out of my seat. I would like the record to show that if I had been in my seat, I would have voted in the affirmative.

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

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Delaware, Mr. Gannon.

Mr. GANNON. Mr. Speaker, on final passage of HB 181 I was not recorded. I would like to have been recorded in the affirmative.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman. The remarks will be spread upon the record.

Does the majority leader have any further business to come before the House?

Does the minority leader have any further business to come before the House? The Chair recognizes the minority leader.

Mr. RYAN. Mr. Speaker, it is my understanding that the House will be in token session tomorrow, or will it not be in session?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. It will not be token. We will not be in session. No token session.

Mr. RYAN. Thank you.

CONSERVATION COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Clearfield, Mr. George.

Mr. GEORGE. Would you yield one moment before declaring the adjournment, please? I have an important matter that I have to find out - whether we can call a meeting for tomorrow.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. That is the chairman's discretion. Home rule at its best.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. George.

Mr. GEORGE. Mr. Speaker, I would hope that all those on the Conservation Committee hear this request. It is our intention to call a meeting of the Committee on Conservation for matters of discussing very important issues that will be heard by this committee.

We will have a meeting tomorrow at 10 a.m., quite possibly in the majority caucus room. Should we not be able to get that facility, with your permission, Mr. Speaker, we would ask for another facility.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Mr. George reports a meeting of the Conservation Committee tomorrow at 10 a.m. in the majority caucus room.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS PASSED OVER

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, all remaining bills and resolutions on today's calendar will be passed over. The Chair hears no objection.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Montgomery, Mr. Fox.

Mr. FOX. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I move that this House do now adjourn until Tuesday, April 9, 1985, 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 2:29 p.m., e.s.t., the House adjourned.