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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

**THE SPEAKER (ROBERT W. O'DONNELL)
PRESIDING**

PRAYER

REV. CLYDE W. ROACH, Chaplain of the House of Representatives, from Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, offered the following prayer:

Let us pray:

Gracious God our Father, we are grateful to You for permitting us to see another St. Patrick's Day. This morning we are especially grateful for the Sons of Ireland, who, by their political skills, have contributed so much to this State and Nation.

O Father, we thank You in a special way for our Speaker and the minority leader of this House - Your servants, Robert and Matthew, men who have been chosen to be our leaders in this House. Bless, preserve, and protect them. Lift the light of Your countenance upon them, and give unto them Your peace, which passes all understanding.

We know that it was not simply the "luck of the Irish" that brought them to this place in their lives but rather their knowledge, their wisdom, their understanding, and their astute sense of destiny. Bless them greatly.

In Your dear name we pray. Amen.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

JOURNAL APPROVAL POSTPONED

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the approval of the Journal of Monday, March 16, 1992, will be postponed until printed. The Chair hears no objection.

JOURNAL APPROVED

The SPEAKER. The Journal of Monday, January 27, 1992, is in print and, without objection, will be accepted.

HOUSE BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

No. 2503 By Representatives KUKOVICH, CAPPABIANCA, LEVDANSKY, BELARDI, LINTON, VAN HORNE, ITKIN, MIHALICH, MELIO, BELFANTI, STETLER, STABACK, BLAUM, BATTISTO, MUNDY, TIGUE, MAIALE, JOSEPHS, McHALE, HARPER, KOSINSKI, KRUSZEWSKI, FAIRCHILD, GEIST, HERMAN, LEE and BUNT

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, providing for reapportionment of districts for the United States House of Representatives.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 17, 1992.

No. 2504 By Representatives M. N. WRIGHT, MARKOSEK, CARONE, D. W. SNYDER, FAJT, FLICK, LEH, HARLEY, TRICH, TRELLO and MELIO

An Act amending Title 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for safety zones.

Referred to Committee on GAME AND FISHERIES, March 17, 1992.

No. 2505 By Representatives M. N. WRIGHT, NOYE, CAWLEY, MAIALE, VROON, SCHEETZ, FARGO, FAIRCHILD, LANGTRY, GERLACH, JOHNSON, ADOLPH, ARMSTRONG, NAHILL, GEIST, RICHARDSON, ITKIN, TULLI, CARLSON, MICOZZIE, MERRY, WOGAN and TRELLO

An Act amending the act of December 5, 1936 (2nd. Sp. Sess., 1937 P. L. 2897, No. 1), known as the "Unemployment Compensation Law," further providing for the penalty imposed against employers who fail to file certain reports.

Referred to Committee on LABOR RELATIONS, March 17, 1992.

No. 2506 By Representatives ADOLPH, MAYERNIK, VROON, KOSINSKI, HERSHEY, CARONE, BATTISTO, NYCE, FARGO, JOHNSON, HARLEY, TRELLO,

HARPER, STABACK, NOYE, NICKOL, KENNEY, RAYMOND, GERLACH, TIGUE, OLASZ, SCHEETZ, PRESTON, MICOZZIE, D. W. SNYDER, CIVERA, KING and THOMAS

An Act amending the act of April 6, 1951 (P. L. 69, No. 20), known as "The Landlord and Tenant Act of 1951," further providing for escrow funds.

Referred to Committee on BUSINESS AND COMMERCE, March 17, 1992.

No. 2507 By Representatives LEE, CAWLEY, VROON, BUNT, GODSHALL, CESSAR, HERMAN, GANNON, TRELLO, S. H. SMITH and RAYMOND

An Act providing for State aid for medical insurance for needy individuals; establishing the Health Care Services Commission and conferring powers and duties upon it; conferring powers and duties upon the Insurance Department and the Department of Public Welfare; establishing the Health Insurance Fund and the Employer Health Incentive Fund and providing for their administration; and making a repeal.

Referred to Committee on INSURANCE, March 17, 1992.

No. 2508 By Representatives PESCI, COLAIZZO, HERMAN, FARGO, COY, VROON, TIGUE, CARLSON, COWELL, KREBS, STABACK, M. N. WRIGHT, D. W. SNYDER, BELFANTI, SCRIMENTI, HALUSKA, FLEAGLE, BILLOW, NOYE, MIHALICH, CAPPABIANCA, LLOYD, STURLA, BUSH, McNALLY, BATTISTO, D. R. WRIGHT, STETLER, TRELLO and F. TAYLOR

An Act amending the act of July 1, 1984 (P. L. 520, No. 105), known as the "Business Infrastructure Development Act," further providing for the expiration of the act.

Referred to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, March 17, 1992.

No. 2509 By Representatives CAPPABIANCA, BOYES, KRUSZEWSKI, SCRIMENTI and MERRY

An Act authorizing the Department of General Services, with the approval of the Governor, to sell and convey a certain lot or tract of land situate in the City of Erie, Erie County, Pennsylvania.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 17, 1992.

No. 2510 By Representatives SAURMAN, FARGO, HAYDEN, GEIST, CORNELL, TIGUE, CAWLEY, FAIRCHILD, LEH, CLARK, E. Z. TAYLOR, HANNA, GLADECK, KENNEY, ADOLPH, VEON, TRELLO, CIVERA and BILLOW

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for restriction of operating privileges.

Referred to Committee on INSURANCE, March 17, 1992.

No. 2511 By Representatives SAURMAN, LANGTRY, LAWLESS, GERLACH, SEMMEL, FARMER, NAHILL, WOGAN, ARGALL, STISH, CESSAR, NAILOR, GODSHALL, E. Z. TAYLOR, M. N. WRIGHT, HARLEY, VEON, TOMLINSON, NOYE, HERSHEY, RUDY, TRELLO, ARNOLD, CIVERA and BROWN

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

Referred to Committee on AGING AND YOUTH, March 17, 1992.

No. 2512 By Representatives SAURMAN, KREBS, NICKOL, CARLSON, LaGROTTA, FARGO, KING, PERZEL, D. W. SNYDER, ARGALL, NAILOR, NYCE, CORRIGAN, PHILLIPS, SERAFINI, LEE, GRUPPO, GERLACH, ADOLPH and MERRY

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, authorizing the use of the indirect initiative and referendum as powers reserved to the people.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 17, 1992.

No. 2513 By Representatives SAURMAN, NICKOL, TULLI, ARMSTRONG, PERZEL, TIGUE, D. W. SNYDER, NAHILL, ARGALL, NAILOR, NYCE, KING, CORRIGAN, PHILLIPS, E. Z. TAYLOR, GRUPPO, ADOLPH, MERRY and GERLACH

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, further providing for the consideration of, differences in, signing of, organization of and approval of b¹

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 17, 1992.

No. 2514 By Representatives FAJT, PESCI, CAWLEY, COWELL, JAROLIN, MAIALE, COY, BROUJOS, CAPPABIANCA, MIHALICH, STETLER, LaGROTTA, DeLUCA, DALEY, FAIRCHILD, McHALE, LANGTRY, KENNEY, SURRA, GERLACH, JOHNSON, ADOLPH, F. TAYLOR, MELIO, TANGRETTI, STURLA, GEIST, GAMBLE, TRICH, RICHARDSON, ITKIN, TULLI, HANNA, GIGLIOTTI, RAYMOND, KRUSZEWSKI, FREEMAN, McNALLY, LAUGHLIN, TIGUE and TRELLO

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P. L. 6, No. 2), known as the "Tax Reform Code of 1971," providing for an investment tax credit for corporations.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, March 17, 1992.

No. 2515 By Representative REBER

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated statutes, further providing for retail theft.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, March 17, 1992.

No. 2516 By Representatives DURHAM, DeLUCA, TIGUE, VAN HORNE, REBER, STABACK, GEIST, HARPER, LEVDANSKY, McHALE, GERLACH, HALUSKA, CAWLEY, HASAY, MARKOSEK, BELARDI, HERSHEY, J. TAYLOR, D. W. SNYDER, CIVERA, TRELLO and CARONE

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, requiring automobile insurers to permit installment payment of premiums.

Referred to Committee on INSURANCE, March 17, 1992.

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

No. 278 By Representatives CORRIGAN, CAPPABIANCA, DEMPSEY, ARMSTRONG, NAILOR, GIGLIOTTI, FARGO, SALOOM, NOYE, COWELL, STURLA, COY, SURRA, OLASZ, TRELLO, PESCI, CALTAGIRONE, LESCOVITZ, PRESTON, ULIANA, JOHNSON, ARNOLD, HARPER, BILLOW, HARLEY, MELIO, FAJT, ARGALL, E. Z. TAYLOR, BELFANTI, TIGUE, HASAY, DALEY, KOSINSKI, COLAIZZO, MARSICO, ANGSTADT, VROON, BATTISTO, VEON, KENNEY, STEIGHNER, JOSEPHS, M. N. WRIGHT, HESS, STABACK, CESSAR, PHILLIPS, KREBS, HERSHEY, VAN HORNE, DeLUCA, GEIST, KUKOVICH, HERMAN, COLAFELLA, ITKIN, HALUSKA, GODSHALL, BELARDI, CIVERA, LAUGHLIN, McGEEHAN and TELEK

A Resolution declaring the month of May 1992 as "Arthritis Awareness Month."

Referred to Committee on RULES, March 17, 1992.

No. 279 By Representatives SAURMAN, COLAIZZO, GERLACH, PESCI, VANCE, TIGUE, HAYES, COY, HASAY, BATTISTO, PHILLIPS, ARMSTRONG, CARLSON, HESS, ANGSTADT, FAIRCHILD, VROON, FARGO, KOSINSKI, TELEK, BILLOW, NOYE,

McCALL, FOSTER, LAWLESS, WOZNIAK, S. H. SMITH, CAPPABIANCA, DEMPSEY, GODSHALL, BELARDI, NAILOR, BIRMELIN, BROWN, GAMBLE, GEIST, HERMAN, DeLUCA, D. W. SNYDER, BARLEY, ARGALL, STABACK, GLADECK, JOHNSON, CORRIGAN, NYCE, HALUSKA, COLAFELLA, KING, PETRARCA, CLARK, E. Z. TAYLOR, TRELLO, FAJT, LaGROTTA and LEH

A Resolution declaring the Commonwealth's support of our "National Day of Prayer" on May 7, 1992.

Referred to Committee on RULES, March 17, 1992.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Mr. Steighner.

Mr. STEIGHNER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I would like to ask for leave for today only for the gentleman from Allegheny, Mr. MRKONIC; the gentleman from Allegheny, Mr. LEVDANSKY; and the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. RICHARDSON.

The SPEAKER. Without objection, leaves are granted.

The Chair recognizes Mr. Hayes.

Mr. HAYES. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I request a leave for the gentleman from Delaware County, Mr. FREIND, for the day, and the gentleman from Delaware County, Mr. MICOZZIE, for the day.

The SPEAKER. Without objection, leaves are granted.

MASTER ROLL CALL

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

The following roll call was recorded:

PRESENT—194

Acosta	Dermody	Kukovich	Rudy
Adolph	Donatucci	LaGrotta	Ryan
Allen	Durham	Langtry	Saloom
Anderson	Evans	Laughlin	Saurman
Angstadt	Fairchild	Lawless	Scheetz
Argall	Fajt	Lee	Schuler
Armstrong	Fargo	Leh	Scrimenti
Arnold	Farmer	Lescovitz	Semmel
Barley	Fee	Linton	Serafini
Battisto	Fleagle	Lloyd	Smith, B.
Belardi	Flick	Lucyk	Smith, S. H.
Belfanti	Foster	McCall	Snyder, D. W.
Billow	Freeman	McGeehan	Snyder, G.
Birmelin	Gallen	McHale	Staback
Bishop	Gamble	McHugh	Stairs
Black	Gannon	McNally	Steelman
Blaum	Geist	Maiale	Steighner
Bowley	George	Markosek	Stetler
Boyes	Gerlach	Marsico	Stish
Broujos	Gigliotti	Mayernik	Strittmatter
Brown	Gladeck	Melio	Stuban
Bunt	Godshall	Merry	Sturla
Bush	Gruitza	Michlovic	Surra
Butkovitz	Gruppo	Mihalich	Tangretti
Caltagirone	Hagarty	Mundy	Taylor, E. Z.

Cappabianca	Haluska	Murphy	Taylor, F.
Carlson	Hanna	Nahill	Taylor, J.
Carn	Harley	Nailor	Telek
Carone	Harper	Nickol	Thomas
Cawley	Hasay	Nyce	Tigue
Cessar	Hayden	O'Brien	Tomlinson
Chadwick	Hayes	Olasz	Trello
Civera	Heckler	Oliver	Trich
Clark	Herman	Perzel	Tulli
Clymer	Hershey	Pesci	Uliana
Cohen	Hess	Petrarca	Van Horne
Colaifella	Hughes	Petrone	Vance
Colaizzo	Itkin	Phillips	Veon
Cole	Jadlowiec	Piccola	Vroon
Cornell	James	Pistella	Wambach
Corrigan	Jarolin	Pitts	Williams
Cowell	Josephs	Preston	Wilson
Coy	Kaiser	Raymond	Wogan
DeLuca	Kasunic	Reber	Wozniak
DeWeese	Kenney	Reinard	Wright, D. R.
Daley	King	Rieger	Wright, M. N.
Davies	Kosinski	Ritter	
Dempsey	Krebs	Robinson	O'Donnell,
Dent	Kruszewski	Roebuck	Speaker

ADDITIONS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—7

Freind	Levdansky	Mrkonic	Richardson
Johnson	Micozzie	Noye	

RULES SUSPENDED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.
Mr. DeWEESE. Mr. Speaker, I move that rule 30 be suspended to permit HB 41, PN 3189, to go immediately to the calendar without referral to the Rules Committee.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—192

Acosta	Donatucci	Langtry	Ryan
Adolph	Durham	Laughlin	Saloom
Allen	Evans	Lawless	Saurman
Anderson	Fairchild	Lee	Scheetz
Angstadt	Fajt	Leh	Schuler
Argall	Fargo	Lescovitz	Scrimenti
Armstrong	Farmer	Linton	Semmel
Arnold	Fee	Lloyd	Serafini
Barley	Fleagle	Lucyk	Smith, B.
Battisto	Flick	McCall	Smith, S. H.
Belardi	Foster	McGeehan	Snyder, D. W.
Belfanti	Freeman	McHale	Snyder, G.
Billow	Gallen	McHugh	Staback
Birmelin	Gamble	McNally	Stairs
Bishop	Gannon	Maiale	Steelman
Black	Geist	Markosek	Steighner
Blaum	George	Marsico	Stetler
Bowley	Gerlach	Mayernik	Stish
Boyes	Gigliotti	Melio	Strittmatter
Broujos	Gladeck	Merry	Stuban
Brown	Godshall	Michlovic	Sturla
Bunt	Gruitza	Mihalich	Surra
Bush	Gruppo	Mundy	Tangretti
Butkovitz	Hagarty	Murphy	Taylor, E. Z.
Caltagirone	Haluska	Nahill	Taylor, F.
Cappabianca	Hanna	Nailor	Taylor, J.
Carlson	Harley	Nickol	Telek

Carn	Harper	Nyce	Thomas
Carone	Hasay	O'Brien	Tigue
Cawley	Hayden	Olasz	Tomlinson
Cessar	Hayes	Oliver	Trello
Chadwick	Heckler	Perzel	Trich
Clark	Herman	Pesci	Tulli
Clymer	Hershey	Petrarca	Uliana
Cohen	Hess	Petrone	Van Horne
Colaifella	Hughes	Phillips	Vance
Colaizzo	Itkin	Piccola	Veon
Cole	Jadlowiec	Pistella	Vroon
Cornell	Jarolin	Pitts	Wambach
Corrigan	Josephs	Preston	Williams
Cowell	Kaiser	Raymond	Wilson
Coy	Kasunic	Reber	Wogan
DeLuca	Kenney	Reinard	Wozniak
DeWeese	King	Rieger	Wright, D. R.
Daley	Kosinski	Ritter	Wright, M. N.
Davies	Krebs	Robinson	
Dempsey	Kruszewski	Roebuck	O'Donnell,
Dent	Kukovich	Rudy	Speaker
Dermodity	LaGrotta		

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—2

Civera	James
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EXCUSED—7

Freind	Levdansky	Mrkonic	Richardson
Johnson	Micozzie	Noye	

A majority of the members elected to the House having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the motion was agreed to.

SENATE MESSAGE

AMENDED HOUSE BILL
RETURNED FOR CONCURRENCE

The clerk of the Senate, being introduced, returned **HB 41, PN 3189**, with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

CALENDAR

BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

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

HB 1669, PN 3224; and HB 1670, PN 3225.

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 266, PN 3102**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 7, 1982 (P. L. 784, No. 225), known as the "Dog Law," further providing for the destruction of certain dogs; imposing civil liability; and making a repeal.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration?

Mr. LLOYD offered the following amendments No. A0667:

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 501), page 2, lines 7 through 10, by striking out all of said lines and inserting

(e) Civil liability.—The owner of any dangerous dog as previously determined pursuant to Article V-A, that inflicts severe injury, as defined in section 501-A, or death to any human being due to an attack, as defined in section 501-A, shall be civilly liable for all damages arising out of such attack.

Amend Sec. 2, page 2, line 19, by striking out "AND (C)"

Amend Sec. 2 (Sec. 505-A), page 3, lines 24 through 30; page 4, lines 1 through 4, by striking out all of said lines on said pages

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes Mr. Lloyd.

Mr. LLOYD. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, this amendment is intended to try to correct some problems in the bill which were brought to our attention by dog owners, specifically in the section of the bill now dealing with civil liability. A concern had been expressed that there was no definition of various terms used. My amendment would insert the definitions by referencing back to the section of the Dog Law where those terms are defined.

Secondly, under a committee amendment to the bill, it would be possible to criminally prosecute a dog owner for an attack by the dog without proof of any misconduct on the part of the owner. That, I think, is unconstitutional, and my amendment would strike that part of the bill and take the criminal penalties back to current law.

The prime sponsor of the bill has indicated that he agrees with the amendment.

The SPEAKER. Is the gentleman, Mr. Kasunic, seeking recognition?

Mr. KASUNIC. Mr. Speaker, I rise to support the Lloyd amendment, and I ask for an affirmative vote.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—192

Acosta	Dermody	Langtry	Ryan
Adolph	Donatucci	Laughlin	Saloom
Allen	Durham	Lawless	Saurman
Anderson	Evans	Lee	Scheetz
Angstadt	Fairchild	Leh	Schuler
Argall	Fajt	Lescovitz	Scrimenti
Armstrong	Fargo	Linton	Semmel
Arnold	Farmer	Lloyd	Serafini
Barley	Fee	Lucyk	Smith, B.
Battisto	Fleagle	McCall	Smith, S. H.
Belardi	Flick	McGeehan	Snyder, D. W.
Belfanti	Foster	McHale	Snyder, G.
Billow	Freeman	McHugh	Staback
Birmelin	Gallen	McNally	Stairs
Bishop	Gamble	Maiale	Steelman
Black	Gannon	Markosek	Steighner
Blaum	Geist	Marsico	Stetler
Bowley	George	Mayernik	Stish
Boyes	Gerlach	Melio	Strittmatter
Broujos	Gigliotti	Merry	Stuban

Brown	Gladeck	Michlovic	Sturla
Bunt	Godshall	Mihalich	Surra
Bush	Gruitza	Mundy	Tangretti
Butkovitz	Gruppo	Murphy	Taylor, E. Z.
Caltagirone	Hagarty	Nahill	Taylor, F.
Cappabianca	Haluska	Nailor	Taylor, J.
Carlson	Hanna	Nickol	Telek
Carn	Harley	Nyce	Thomas
Carone	Harper	O'Brien	Tigue
Cawley	Hasay	Olasz	Tomlinson
Cessar	Hayden	Oliver	Trello
Chadwick	Hayes	Perzel	Trich
Civera	Heckler	Pesci	Tulli
Clark	Herman	Petrarca	Uliana
Clymer	Hershey	Petrone	Van Horne
Cohen	Hess	Phillips	Vance
Colaella	Hughes	Piccola	Veon
Colaizzo	Itkin	Pistella	Vroon
Cole	Jadlowiec	Pitts	Wambach
Cornell	James	Preston	Williams
Corrigan	Jarolin	Raymond	Wilson
Cowell	Josephs	Reber	Wogan
Coy	Kaiser	Reinard	Wozniak
DeLuca	Kasunic	Rieger	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kenney	Ritter	Wright, M. N.
Daley	King	Robinson	
Davies	Krebs	Roebuck	O'Donnell,
Dempsey	Kruszewski	Rudy	Speaker
Dent	LaGrotta		

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—2

Kosinski Kukovich

EXCUSED—7

Freind Levdansky Mrkonic Richardson
Johnson Micozzie Noye

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. 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 Mr. Kasunic.

Mr. KASUNIC. Mr. Speaker, I rise to ask your support for HB 266.

In 1990 we passed the dangerous dog law in Pennsylvania to protect our citizens, particularly children, from dogs that demonstrate a propensity to attack. Under that law, district justices can determine that a dog is dangerous, thereby placing the dog under certain restrictions. Certain attacks have occurred that are so vicious that they warrant more than a simple restraint. Unfortunately, the hands of the district justices have been tied. This bill changes that. It will allow the district justice, after a full and fair hearing, to order a dog put down if that attack warrants such action.

There have been several attacks in recent years, and I have felt that the measure had to be taken to control these outbursts. Last September there were two maulings in the State where a dog attacked children. These children were hospital-

ized as others who have been attacked since then. Some of these children received serious wounds, ones that may be with them for life.

The law allows vicious dogs to be destroyed if they maul or attack other animals such as livestock and wildlife. I think it is only fair that animals be protected from other dangerous animals, but I think it is also more important that human beings are protected from these dangerous animals also.

I ask for your full support for this bill today. Thank you very much.

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Mr. Steighner.

Mr. STEIGHNER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, under current law in Pennsylvania, livestock is better protected under the Pennsylvania Dog Law than human beings. This piece of legislation simply makes it easier for district justices to declare dangerous dogs as dangerous. It would allow the district justice to have those dogs either, one, confiscated and/or quarantined and/or destroyed after an investigation and after the evidence is presented to the district justice.

This bill, this legislation, is long overdue in this State. I would ask for the total support of the House for it. Thank you.

On the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEAS—194

Acosta	Dermody	Kukovich	Rudy
Adolph	Donatucci	LaGrotta	Ryan
Allen	Durham	Langtry	Saloom
Anderson	Evans	Laughlin	Saurman
Angstadt	Fairchild	Lawless	Scheetz
Argall	Fajt	Lee	Schuler
Armstrong	Fargo	Leh	Scrimenti
Arnold	Farmer	Lescovitz	Semmel
Barley	Fee	Linton	Serafini
Battisto	Fleagle	Lloyd	Smith, B.
Belardi	Flick	Lucyk	Smith, S. H.
Belfanti	Foster	McCall	Snyder, D. W.
Billow	Freeman	McGeehan	Snyder, G.
Birmelin	Gallen	McHale	Staback
Bishop	Gamble	McHugh	Stairs
Black	Gannon	McNally	Steelman
Blaum	Geist	Maiale	Steighner
Bowley	George	Markosek	Stetler
Boyes	Gerlach	Marsico	Stish
Broujos	Gigliotti	Mayernik	Strittmatter
Brown	Gladeck	Melio	Stuban
Bunt	Godshall	Merry	Sturla
Bush	Gruitza	Michlovic	Surra
Butkovitz	Gruppo	Mihalich	Tangretti
Caltagirone	Hagarty	Mundy	Taylor, E. Z.
Cappabianca	Haluska	Murphy	Taylor, F.
Carlson	Hanna	Nahill	Taylor, J.
Carn	Harley	Nailor	Telek
Carone	Harper	Nickol	Thomas
Cawley	Hasay	Nyce	Tigue
Cessar	Hayden	O'Brien	Tomlinson
Chadwick	Hayes	Olasz	Trello
Civera	Heckler	Oliver	Trich
Clark	Herman	Perzel	Tulli
Clymer	Hershey	Pesci	Uliana
Cohen	Hess	Petrarca	Van Horne
Colafella	Hughes	Petrone	Vance
Colaizzo	Itkin	Phillips	Veon

Cole	Jadlowiec	Piccola	Vroon
Cornell	James	Pistella	Wambach
Corrigan	Jarolin	Pitts	Williams
Cowell	Josephs	Preston	Wilson
Coy	Kaiser	Raymond	Wogan
DeLuca	Kasunic	Reber	Wozniak
DeWeese	Kenney	Reinard	Wright, D. R.
Daley	King	Rieger	Wright, M. N.
Davies	Kosinski	Ritter	
Dempsey	Krebs	Robinson	O'Donnell,
Dent	Kruszewski	Roebuck	Speaker

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—7

Freind	Levdansky	Mrkonic	Richardson
Johnson	Micozzie	Noye	

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 1781, PN 2723**, entitled:

An Act providing for the protection of agriculture and horticulture from plant pests, including all field crops, vegetables, trees, shrubs, vines, florist and nursery stock and all other plants and parts, or their products; revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto; defining the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture relating thereto; establishing and funding special testing and certification procedures and programs; providing penalties; and making a repeal.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration?

Bill was agreed to.

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEAS—192

Acosta	Dermody	Kukovich	Ryan
Adolph	Donatucci	LaGrotta	Saloom
Allen	Durham	Langtry	Saurman
Anderson	Evans	Laughlin	Scheetz
Angstadt	Fairchild	Lawless	Schuler
Argall	Fajt	Lee	Scrimenti
Armstrong	Fargo	Lescovitz	Semmel
Arnold	Farmer	Linton	Serafini
Barley	Fee	Lloyd	Smith, B.
Battisto	Fleagle	Lucyk	Smith, S. H.
Belardi	Flick	McCall	Snyder, D. W.
Belfanti	Foster	McGeehan	Snyder, G.
Billow	Freeman	McHale	Staback
Birmelin	Gallen	McHugh	Stairs
Bishop	Gamble	Maiale	Steelman
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Bowley	George	Mayernik	Stish
Boyes	Gerlach	Melio	Strittmatter
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Bush	Gruitza	Mundy	Tangretti
Butkovitz	Gruppo	Murphy	Taylor, E. Z.
Caltagirone	Hagarty	Nahill	Taylor, F.
Cappabianca	Haluska	Nailor	Taylor, J.
Carlson	Hanna	Nickol	Telek
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Chadwick	Hayes	Perzel	Trich
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Clark	Herman	Petrarca	Uliana
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Cohen	Hess	Phillips	Vance
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Colaizzo	Itkin	Pistella	Vroon
Cole	Jadlowiec	Pitts	Wambach
Cornell	James	Preston	Williams
Corrigan	Jarolin	Raymond	Wilson
Cowell	Josephs	Reber	Wogan
Coy	Kaiser	Reinard	Wozniak
DeLuca	Kasunic	Rieger	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kenney	Ritter	Wright, M. N.
Daley	King	Robinson	
Davies	Kosinski	Roebuck	O'Donnell,
Dempsey	Krebs	Rudy	Speaker
Dent	Kruszewski		

NAYS—1

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NOT VOTING—1

McNally

EXCUSED—7

Freind	Levdansky	Mrkonic	Richardson
Johnson	Micozzie	Noye	

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

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

VOTE CORRECTION

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Mr. Leh.

Mr. LEH. Mr. Speaker, I would like to correct the record, please.

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

Mr. LEH. On HB 1781 my finger malfunctioned. I wish to be recorded in the affirmative.

The SPEAKER. The remarks of the gentleman will be spread upon the record.

For the information of the members, the delay is caused by the need to make some administrative arrangements for the rest of the calendar.

REMARKS SUBMITTED FOR THE RECORD

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Mr. Reinard.

Mr. REINARD. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I would like to submit some comments for a matter of record.

Mr. REINARD submitted the following remarks for the Legislative Journal:

Mr. Speaker, it is my privilege to bring to the attention of the Speaker and the Members of the Pennsylvania House of Representatives the name of Daniel W. Storaska, who has recently been awarded Scouting's highest honor—Eagle Scout.

Mr. Speaker, I would like to read to the Members of the House of Representatives the following Citation of Merit honoring Daniel W. Storaska.

Whereas, Daniel W. Storaska has earned the Eagle Award in Scouting. This is the highest award that Boy Scouts can bestow and as such represents great sacrifice and tremendous effort on the part of this young man. He is a member of Troop 204.

Now therefore, Mr. Speaker and the Members of the House of Representatives, it is my privilege to congratulate and place in the Legislative Journal the name of Daniel W. Storaska.

VOTE CORRECTION

The SPEAKER. For what purpose does the gentleman, Mr. McNally, rise?

Mr. McNALLY. Mr. Speaker, to make a statement on HB 1781; to correct my vote.

Mr. Speaker, on HB 1781 I was not recorded as having voted. I wish to be recorded as having voted in the affirmative. Thank you.

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION CONTINUED

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 2293, PN 2911**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 3, 1985 (P. L. 164, No. 45), known as the "Emergency Medical Services Act," further providing for the validity of certificates of accreditation.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration?

Bill was agreed to.

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEAS—194

Acosta	Dermody	Kukovich	Rudy
Adolph	Donatucci	LaGrotta	Ryan
Allen	Durham	Langtry	Saloom
Anderson	Evans	Laughlin	Saurman
Angstadt	Fairchild	Lawless	Scheetz
Argall	Fajt	Lee	Schuler
Armstrong	Fargo	Leh	Scrimenti
Arnold	Farmer	Lescovitz	Semmel
Barley	Fee	Linton	Serafini
Battisto	Fleagle	Lloyd	Smith, B.
Belardi	Flick	Lucyk	Smith, S. H.
Belfanti	Foster	McCall	Snyder, D. W.
Billow	Freeman	McGeehan	Snyder, G.
Birmelin	Gallen	McHale	Staback
Bishop	Gamble	McHugh	Stairs
Black	Gannon	McNally	Steelman
Blaum	Geist	Maiale	Steighner

Bowley	George	Markosek	Stetler
Boyes	Gerlach	Marsico	Stish
Broujos	Gigliotti	Mayernik	Strittmatter
Brown	Gladeck	Melio	Stuban
Bunt	Godshall	Merry	Sturla
Bush	Gruitza	Michlovic	Surra
Butkovitz	Gruppo	Mihalich	Tangretti
Caltagirone	Hagarty	Mundy	Taylor, E. Z.
Cappabianca	Haluska	Murphy	Taylor, F.
Carlson	Hanna	Nahill	Taylor, J.
Carn	Harley	Nailor	Telek
Carone	Harper	Nickol	Thomas
Cawley	Hasay	Nyce	Tigue
Cessar	Hayden	O'Brien	Tomlinson
Chadwick	Hayes	Olasz	Trello
Civera	Heckler	Oliver	Trich
Clark	Herman	Perzel	Tulli
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Cohen	Hess	Petrarca	Van Horne
Colaizzo	Hughes	Petrone	Vance
Cole	Itkin	Phillips	Veon
Cornell	Jadlowiec	Piccola	Vroon
Corrigan	James	Pistella	Wambach
Cowell	Jarolin	Pitts	Williams
Coy	Josephs	Preston	Wilson
DeLuca	Kaiser	Raymond	Wogan
DeWeese	Kasunic	Reber	Wozniak
Daley	Kenney	Reinard	Wright, D. R.
Davies	King	Rieger	Wright, M. N.
Dempsey	Kosinski	Ritter	
Dent	Krebs	Robinson	O'Donnell,
	Kruszewski	Roebuck	Speaker

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—7

Freind	Levdansky	Mrkonic	Richardson
Johnson	Micozzie	Noye	

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 1930, PN 2325**, entitled:

An Act providing for a cause of action for damages resulting from violations of unemployment compensation and workmen's compensation laws by bidders on construction contracts.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration?
Mr. LEE offered the following amendment No. A0784:

Amend Sec. 1, page 2, lines 4 and 5, by striking out "(Public Law 99-514, 26 U.S.C.)" and inserting of 1986 (Public Law 99-514, 26 U.S.C. § 1

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

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes Mr. Lee.

Mr. LEE. Mr. Speaker, this is just a technical amendment correcting a citation in the bill. Thank you.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—194

Acosta	Dermody	Kukovich	Rudy
Adolph	Donatucci	LaGrotta	Ryan
Allen	Durham	Langtry	Saloom
Anderson	Evans	Laughlin	Saurman
Angstadt	Fairchild	Lawless	Scheetz
Argall	Fajt	Lee	Schuler
Armstrong	Fargo	Leh	Scrimenti
Arnold	Farmer	Lescovitz	Semmel
Barley	Fee	Linton	Serafini
Battisto	Fleagle	Lloyd	Smith, B.
Belardi	Flick	Lucyk	Smith, S. H.
Belfanti	Foster	McCall	Snyder, D. W.
Billow	Freeman	McGeehan	Snyder, G.
Birmelin	Gallen	McHale	Staback
Bishop	Gamble	McHugh	Stairs
Black	Gannon	McNally	Steelman
Blaum	Geist	Maiale	Steighner
Bowley	George	Markosek	Stetler
Boyes	Gerlach	Marsico	Stish
Broujos	Gigliotti	Mayernik	Strittmatter
Brown	Gladeck	Melio	Stuban
Bunt	Godshall	Merry	Sturla
Bush	Gruitza	Michlovic	Surra
Butkovitz	Gruppo	Mihalich	Tangretti
Caltagirone	Hagarty	Mundy	Taylor, E. Z.
Cappabianca	Haluska	Murphy	Taylor, F.
Carlson	Hanna	Nahill	Taylor, J.
Carn	Harley	Nailor	Telek
Carone	Harper	Nickol	Thomas
Cawley	Hasay	Nyce	Tigue
Cessar	Hayden	O'Brien	Tomlinson
Chadwick	Hayes	Olasz	Trello
Civera	Heckler	Oliver	Trich
Clark	Herman	Perzel	Tulli
Clymer	Hershey	Pesci	Uliana
Cohen	Hess	Petrarca	Van Horne
Colaizzo	Hughes	Petrone	Vance
Cole	Itkin	Phillips	Veon
Cornell	Jadlowiec	Piccola	Vroon
Corrigan	James	Pistella	Wambach
Cowell	Jarolin	Pitts	Williams
Coy	Josephs	Preston	Wilson
DeLuca	Kaiser	Raymond	Wogan
DeWeese	Kasunic	Reber	Wozniak
Daley	Kenney	Reinard	Wright, D. R.
Davies	King	Rieger	Wright, M. N.
Dempsey	Kosinski	Ritter	
Dent	Krebs	Robinson	O'Donnell,
	Kruszewski	Roebuck	Speaker

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—7

Freind	Levdansky	Mrkonic	Richardson
Johnson	Micozzie	Noye	

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

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

Mr. LEE offered the following amendment No. A0782:

Amend Sec. 1, page 2, line 1, by inserting after "action" against the successful bidder

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

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Lee.

Mr. LEE. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This amendment simply clarifies the bill to make it clear that the action which arises under the bill is only against the contractor involved and not against the person or municipality letting out the bid.

I think it is an agreed-to amendment. I would appreciate the members' support. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—194

Acosta	Dermody	Kukovich	Rudy
Adolph	Donatucci	LaGrotta	Ryan
Allen	Durham	Langtry	Saloom
Anderson	Evans	Laughlin	Saurman
Angstadt	Fairchild	Lawless	Scheetz
Argall	Fajt	Lee	Schuler
Armstrong	Fargo	Leh	Scrimenti
Arnold	Farmer	Lescovitz	Semmel
Barley	Fee	Linton	Serafini
Battisto	Fleagle	Lloyd	Smith, B.
Belardi	Flick	Lucyk	Smith, S. H.
Belfanti	Foster	McCall	Snyder, D. W.
Billow	Freeman	McGeehan	Snyder, G.
Birmelin	Gallen	McHale	Staback
Bishop	Gamble	McHugh	Stairs
Black	Gannon	McNally	Steelman
Blaum	Geist	Maiale	Steighner
Bowley	George	Markosek	Stetler
Boyes	Gerlach	Marsico	Stish
Broujos	Gigliotti	Mayernik	Strittmatter
Brown	Gladeck	Melio	Stuban
Bunt	Godshall	Merry	Sturla
Bush	Gruitza	Michlovic	Surra
Butkovitz	Gruppo	Mihalich	Tangretti
Caltagirone	Hagarty	Mundy	Taylor, E. Z.
Cappabianca	Haluska	Murphy	Taylor, F.
Carlson	Hanna	Nahill	Taylor, J.
Carn	Harley	Nailor	Telek
Carone	Harper	Nickol	Thomas
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Civera	Heckler	Oliver	Trich
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Cohen	Hess	Petrarca	Van Horne
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Corrigan	Jarolin	Pitts	Williams
Cowell	Josephs	Preston	Wilson
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DeLuca	Kasunic	Reber	Wozniak
DeWeese	Kenney	Reinard	Wright, D. R.
Daley	King	Rieger	Wright, M. N.
Davies	Kosinski	Ritter	
Dempsey	Krebs	Robinson	O'Donnell,
Dent	Kruszewski	Roebuck	Speaker

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—7

Freind	Levdansky	Mrkonic	Richardson
Johnson	Micozzie	Noye	

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

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

Bill as amended was agreed to.

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEAS—193

Acosta	Dermody	Kukovich	Rudy
Adolph	Donatucci	LaGrotta	Ryan
Allen	Durham	Langtry	Saloom
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Arnold	Farmer	Lescovitz	Semmel
Barley	Fee	Linton	Serafini
Battisto	Fleagle	Lloyd	Smith, B.
Belardi	Flick	Lucyk	Smith, S. H.
Belfanti	Foster	McCall	Snyder, D. W.
Billow	Freeman	McGeehan	Snyder, G.
Birmelin	Gallen	McHale	Staback
Bishop	Gamble	McHugh	Stairs
Black	Gannon	McNally	Steelman
Blaum	Geist	Maiale	Steighner
Bowley	George	Markosek	Stetler
Boyes	Gerlach	Marsico	Stish
Broujos	Gigliotti	Mayernik	Strittmatter
Brown	Gladeck	Melio	Stuban
Bunt	Godshall	Merry	Sturla
Bush	Gruitza	Michlovic	Surra
Butkovitz	Gruppo	Mihalich	Tangretti
Caltagirone	Hagarty	Mundy	Taylor, E. Z.
Cappabianca	Haluska	Murphy	Taylor, F.
Carlson	Hanna	Nahill	Taylor, J.
Carn	Harley	Nailor	Telek
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Civera	Heckler	Oliver	Trich
Clark	Herman	Perzel	Tulli
Clymer	Hershey	Pesci	Uliana
Cohen	Hess	Petrarca	Van Horne
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Colaizzo	Itkin	Phillips	Veon
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Corrigan	Jarolin	Pitts	Wilson
Cowell	Josephs	Preston	Wogan
Coy	Kaiser	Raymond	Wozniak
DeLuca	Kasunic	Reber	Wright, D. R.
DeWeese	Kenney	Reinard	Wright, M. N.
Daley	King	Rieger	
Davies	Kosinski	Ritter	O'Donnell,
Dempsey	Krebs	Robinson	Speaker
Dent	Kruszewski	Roebuck	

NAYS—1

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NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—7

Freind	Levdansky	Mrkonic	Richardson
Johnson	Micozzie	Noye	

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 8, PN 1248**, entitled:

An Act providing authority for urban homesteading and the procedure for establishing an urban homesteading program; expanding local government's authority in dealing with urban blight and decay; and providing exclusions from certain statutes.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration?

Bill was agreed to.

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEAS—194

Acosta	Dermody	Kukovich	Rudy
Adolph	Donatucci	LaGrotta	Ryan
Allen	Durham	Langtry	Saloom
Anderson	Evans	Laughlin	Saurman
Angstadt	Fairchild	Lawless	Scheetz
Argall	Fajt	Lee	Schuler
Armstrong	Fargo	Leh	Scrimenti
Arnold	Farmer	Lescovitz	Semmel
Barley	Fee	Linton	Serafini
Battisto	Fleagle	Lloyd	Smith, B.
Belardi	Flick	Lucyk	Smith, S. H.
Belfanti	Foster	McCall	Snyder, D. W.
Billow	Freeman	McGeehan	Snyder, G.
Birmelin	Gallen	McHale	Staback
Bishop	Gamble	McHugh	Stairs
Black	Gannon	McNally	Steelman
Blaum	Geist	Maiale	Steighner
Bowley	George	Markosek	Stetler
Boyes	Gerlach	Marsico	Stish
Broujos	Gigliotti	Mayermik	Strittmatter
Brown	Gladeck	Melio	Stuban
Bunt	Godshall	Merry	Sturla
Bush	Gruitza	Michlovic	Surra
Butkovitz	Gruppo	Mihalich	Tangretti
Caltagirone	Hagarty	Mundy	Taylor, E. Z.
Cappabianca	Haluska	Murphy	Taylor, F.
Carlson	Hanna	Nahill	Taylor, J.
Carn	Harley	Nailor	Telek
Carone	Harper	Nickol	Thomas
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Clark	Herman	Perzel	Tulli
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Corrigan	Jarolin	Pitts	Williams
Cowell	Josephs	Preston	Wilson
Coy	Kaiser	Raymond	Wogan
DeLuca	Kasunic	Reber	Wozniak
DeWeese	Kenney	Reinard	Wright, D. R.
Daley	King	Rieger	Wright, M. N.
Davies	Kosinski	Ritter	
Dempsey	Krebs	Robinson	O'Donnell,
Deut	Kruszewski	Roebuck	Speaker

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—7

Freind	Levdansky	Mrkonic	Richardson
Johnson	Micozzie	Noye	

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 1148, PN 1306**, entitled:

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

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration?

Bill was agreed to.

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEAS—194

Acosta	Dermody	Kukovich	Rudy
Adolph	Donatucci	LaGrotta	Ryan
Allen	Durham	Langtry	Saloom
Anderson	Evans	Laughlin	Saurman
Angstadt	Fairchild	Lawless	Scheetz
Argall	Fajt	Lee	Schuler
Armstrong	Fargo	Leh	Scrimenti
Arnold	Farmer	Lescovitz	Semmel
Barley	Fee	Linton	Serafini
Battisto	Fleagle	Lloyd	Smith, B.
Belardi	Flick	Lucyk	Smith, S. H.
Belfanti	Foster	McCall	Snyder, D. W.
Billow	Freeman	McGeehan	Snyder, G.
Birmelin	Gallen	McHale	Staback
Bishop	Gamble	McHugh	Stairs
Black	Gannon	McNally	Steelman
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Bunt	Godshall	Merry	Sturla
Bush	Gruitza	Michlovic	Surra
Butkovitz	Gruppo	Mihalich	Tangretti
Caltagirone	Hagarty	Mundy	Taylor, E. Z.

Cappabianca	Haluska	Murphy	Taylor, F.
Carlson	Hanna	Nahill	Taylor, J.
Carn	Harley	Nailor	Telek
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Corrigan	Jarolin	Pitts	Williams
Cowell	Josephs	Preston	Wilson
Coy	Kaiser	Raymond	Wogan
DeLuca	Kasunic	Reber	Wozniak
DeWeese	Kenney	Reinard	Wright, D. R.
Daley	King	Rieger	Wright, M. N.
Davies	Kosinski	Ritter	
Dempsey	Krebs	Robinson	O'Donnell,
Dent	Kruszewski	Roebuck	Speaker

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—7

Freind	Levdansky	Mrkonic	Richardson
Johnson	Micozzie	Noye	

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

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

**BILLS ON CONCURRENCE
IN SENATE AMENDMENTS**

The House proceeded to consideration of concurrence in Senate amendments to **HB 719, PN 2879**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 21, 1939 (P. L. 626, No. 294), referred to as the "Second Class County Assessment Law," providing that the county pay a portion of appraisal costs along with the municipality and school district in certain appeals.

On the question,
Will the House concur in Senate amendments?

The **SPEAKER**. It is moved by the gentleman, Mr. Olasz, that the House do concur in the amendments inserted by the Senate.

On that question, the Chair recognizes Mr. Olasz.

Mr. **OLASZ**. They are agreed-to amendments. I would ask for a concurrence vote. Thank you.

The **SPEAKER**. Those voting to concur will vote "aye"; those voting to nonconcur will vote "no."

On the question recurring,
Will the House concur in Senate amendments?

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

YEAS—194

Acosta	Dermody	Kukovich	Rudy
Adolph	Donatucci	LaGrotta	Ryan
Allen	Durham	Langtry	Saloom
Anderson	Evans	Laughlin	Saurman
Angstadt	Fairchild	Lawless	Scheetz
Argall	Fajt	Lee	Schuler
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Barley	Fee	Linton	Serafini
Battisto	Fleagle	Lloyd	Smith, B.
Belardi	Flick	Lucyk	Smith, S. H.
Belfanti	Foster	McCall	Snyder, D. W.
Billow	Freeman	McGeehan	Snyder, G.
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NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—7

Freind	Levdansky	Mrkonic	Richardson
Johnson	Micozzie	Noye	

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

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The House proceeded to consideration of concurrence in Senate amendments to **HB 795, PN 2977**, entitled:

An Act providing for enhanced penalty authority for publicly owned treatment works which are authorized to enforce industrial pretreatment standards for industrial waste discharges.

On the question,
Will the House concur in Senate amendments?

The SPEAKER. It is moved by the gentleman, Mr. Hayden, that the House do concur.

The question is, will the House concur in amendments inserted by the Senate?

On that question, the Chair recognizes Mr. Hayden.

Mr. HAYDEN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Since this bill passed the House near unanimously, it has been the subject of continuing negotiations with Senate and House staff, DER (Department of Environmental Resources) program people, industry representatives, and members from government associations. As a result of those discussions, the Senate amended the bill to include the following changes: (1) expand the definition of "Board" to cover every possible local governmental entity that has jurisdiction for sewage treatment under our Municipal Code; (2) require public notice of the criteria for assessment of penalties; (3) the Senate has introduced the concept of operational upsets, which is included in the Federal Clean Water Act; (4) they have restricted the use of fines to limit their application to repairs or damages to the system, administration of the enforcement program, and capital projects; (5) they have also modified our injunctive relief language to incorporate traditional concepts of equitable practice in environmental law and limit injunctions to actual violations of pretreatment standards rather than violations of administrative, recordkeeping requirements of the program.

In many instances the Senate amendments have improved this bill. It is also important to note that this legislation does not supersede or repeal any other environmental statutes, such as the Pennsylvania Clean Streams Law. However, it enhances the ability of our sewage treatment operators to enforce pretreatment standards by providing expanded fines and injunctive powers. It also will make Pennsylvania eligible for continuing grants under the Federal Clean Water Act. I recommend that the House concur in the Senate amendments to HB 795.

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Mr. Reber.

Mr. REBER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I agree with the explanation of Representative Hayden and also ask for the House to concur in the amendments entered by the Senate. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Those voting to concur will vote "aye"; those voting to nonconcur will vote "no."

On the question recurring,
Will the House concur in Senate amendments?

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

YEAS—194

Acosta	Dermody	Kukovich	Rudy
Adolph	Donatucci	LaGrotta	Ryan
Allen	Durham	Langtry	Saloom
Anderson	Evans	Laughlin	Saurman
Angstadt	Fairchild	Lawless	Scheetz
Argall	Fajt	Lee	Schuler
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Arnold	Farmer	Lescovitz	Semmel

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Belardi	Flick	Lucyk	Smith, S. H.
Belfanti	Foster	McCall	Snyder, D. W.
Billow	Freeman	McGeehan	Snyder, G.
Birmelin	Gallen	McHale	Staback
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NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—7

Freind	Levdansky	Mrkonic	Richardson
Johnson	Micozzie	Noye	

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

HB 8 RECONSIDERED

The SPEAKER. The Chair is in possession of a motion to reconsider the vote by which HB 8 passed today. The motion is offered by the gentleman, Mr. Sturla.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—192

Acosta	Dermody	Kukovich	Rudy
Adolph	Donatucci	LaGrotta	Ryan
Allen	Durham	Langtry	Saloom
Anderson	Evans	Laughlin	Saurman
Angstadt	Fairchild	Lawless	Scheetz
Argall	Fajt	Lee	Schuler

Armstrong	Fargo	Leh	Scrimenti
Arnold	Farmer	Lescovitz	Semmel
Barley	Fee	Linton	Serafini
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Belardi	Flick	Lucyk	Smith, S. H.
Belfanti	Foster	McCall	Snyder, D. W.
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Daley	King	Ritter	
Davies	Kosinski	Robinson	O'Donnell,
Dempsey	Krebs	Roebuck	Speaker
Dent	Kruszewski		

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—2

Petrarca Wogan

EXCUSED—7

Freind Levdansky Mrkonic Richardson
Johnson Micozzie Noye

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

On the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

DECISION OF CHAIR RESCINDED

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the Chair rescinds the announcement that the bill has been considered and agreed to on 3 different days.

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

Mr. STURLA offered the following amendment No. A0470:

Amend Sec. 4, page 4, line 30, by inserting after "programs" and at least one member of the board shall have specific experience with a historic preservation program

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

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes Mr. Sturla.

Mr. STURLA. Mr. Speaker, in the legislative intent of HB 8, it quotes that "...urban homesteading offers the unique potential of preserving our architectural heritage...." All this amendment does is specify that "at least one member of the board shall have specific experience with a historic preservation program."

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Mr. Vroon.

Mr. VROON. Mr. Speaker, it does not seem like we have a copy of that amendment, unless I lost it.

The SPEAKER. The Chair has been advised that the amendment has been circulated. It might have escaped the gentleman's notice because there is a fiscal note that has been laid on top of it.

Mr. VROON. I found it. Thank you.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

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Battisto	Fleagle	Lloyd	Smith, B.
Belardi	Flick	Lucyk	Smith, S. H.
Belfanti	Foster	McCall	Snyder, D. W.
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NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—7

Freind	Levdansky	Mrkonic	Richardson
Johnson	Micozzie	Noye	

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

On the question,

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

Bill as amended was agreed to.

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEAS—193

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Daley	King	Rieger	

Davies	Kosinski	Ritter	O'Donnell,
Dempsey	Krebs	Robinson	Speaker
Dent	Kruszewski	Roebuck	

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—1

Tangretti

EXCUSED—7

Freind	Levdansky	Mrkonic	Richardson
Johnson	Micozzie	Noye	

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

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

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 16, 1992

RESOLVED, (the House of Representatives concurring), That when the Senate adjourns this week it reconvene on Monday, March 23, 1992, unless sooner recalled by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate; and be it further

RESOLVED, That when the House of Representatives adjourns this week it reconvene on Monday, March 23, 1992, unless sooner recalled by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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.

VOTE CORRECTIONS

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Mr. Tangretti. Mr. TANGRETTI. Mr. Speaker, to correct the record.

On HB 8, final passage, inadvertently my switch malfunctioned. I would like to be recorded in the affirmative. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Mr. Lucyk.

Mr. LUCYK. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to correct the record.

On February 11, 1992, I was called away from my desk when amendment 639 to HR 258 was being voted on. I would like to be recorded in the affirmative, please. Thank you.

STATEMENT BY MINORITY LEADER

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Mr. Ryan.

Mr. RYAN. Mr. Speaker, permission to make a brief statement.

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

Mr. RYAN. Mr. Speaker, last night many of us had the opportunity to go over to Hershey, where we attended the annual outing provided by the Hershey tourist promotion group, and at that time we were all given or at least given the opportunity to pick up a copy of this new magazine published by the Governor's Office. It is titled "Pennsylvania, America Starts Here." There were hundreds of these in the back of the hall, and we were all invited to help ourselves to them. I, of course, took two - one to take home and one to use here today. Now, it is really a pretty neat magazine. It is a slick-type magazine - good paper, good colors, good ads.

I, of course, took one of these magazines, and I looked through it. There were a number of us talking about what a good job was done with the magazine. Then it was called to my attention that the 800 number that you call if you need information on one of these vacation sites was, I believe it was 1-800-VISITPA. Well, somebody made that call last year, and lo and behold, it is answered in Utah. Now, that surprised me, but they said, no, they brought it back closer to home. It is now answered in New Jersey.

Well, I thought that was kind of funny, and I kept reading this magazine, and you get to the very back page—everybody turn your books—you get to the very back page, and this back page has "Pennsylvania, America Starts Here," and then it is a clipoff. Half the page rips off, and you can make reference. You put your name and your address, and then they will send you information on any of the counties that you are interested in finding out about. But where do you think you mail this coupon? P.O. Box 1888, Riverton, New Jersey.

Now, it seems to me, Mr. Speaker, our Governor, bless him, comes before this House and he talks about all that we do for business and all we would like to do for business and how interested he is in tourism. We listened to that tape last night. He was busy. He could not make it, but he sent a tape over and that tape did a good job, and he said that tourism is the second largest industry in Pennsylvania and, boy, do we support it, and he put a lot of numbers on the board, which I am going to check on because I did not find them as I looked through his budget. But tourism is in fact a huge industry in Pennsylvania, and it just seems to me, Mr. Speaker, that as we send messages, which seems to be so important to us, that one of the messages we should send to Pennsylvania industry is, Pennsylvania tax dollars being sent to attract tourism and tourists to Pennsylvania perhaps could come to Pennsylvania instead of to Governor Florio.

The SPEAKER. While the majority leader is addressing the House, the Chair would urge the gentleman to check the origin of his suspenders to make sure that they were made in Pennsylvania or some greener land.

Mr. RYAN. No. I think these were made— Mr. Speaker, thank you. These, I believe, were made in Taiwan.

STATEMENT BY MAJORITY LEADER

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. DeWEESE. I would just like to share, Mr. Speaker, that on this day, when I would hope that the gentleman, Mr. Ryan, and the gentleman, Mr. Casey, would consider all of their multitudinous fraternal bonds preeminent, that those kinds of verbal bombs that Mr. Ryan just hurled at our Governor would be put in abeyance. And notwithstanding the humor and humor conjoined with vituperation that Mr. Ryan just shared with us, I would like to think that since those phones may be ringing in New Jersey, he could get a part-time job in Avalon this summer and answer them all.

Mr. RYAN. Mr. Speaker?

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Mr. Ryan.

Mr. RYAN. I would be glad to. In fact, I was hoping I could do that last summer, but he kept us here all summer. And I really wish he would use words that a simple Irish person like myself could understand. That "conjuration," or whatever it was, I did not know. The biggest word I know is "marmalade," and I have been dying for years to use it, but I cannot find anyplace to fit it in, Bill.

STATEMENT BY MR. VROON

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Mr. Vroon.

Mr. VROON. I thank you fans for your support.

I hope you are going to like what I have to say right now just as much as what I just heard from your lips. I was very pleased this morning to see the calendar come out in green. In fact, I was very well aware of the fact that this is St. Patrick's Day because my son was born on St. Patrick's Day. But in true political tradition, I think it is in order that we should have equal time, so I would ask the Speaker if he would please arrange at a suitable occasion to print this in orange.

The SPEAKER. The Chair happily agrees and will find and look diligently for a suitable occasion, which the Chair will ultimately decide, hopefully within the gentleman's lifetime.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY MR. F. TAYLOR

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Mr. Taylor.

Mr. F. TAYLOR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I rise under unanimous consent to make a few brief remarks.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman is in order.

Mr. F. TAYLOR. Thank you very much.

Over 15 years ago a group of people in Greene County got together and decided to have an organization that would give some type of recognition to the young and talented and intellectual young females from that area. The Bituminous Coal Association, the Bituminous Coal Queen came out of that, and for over 15 years we have been recognizing her in the House here as that person who exemplifies those qualities,

which one of our former members, who was one of the organizers of that, Stephen McCann, and former majority leader of this House, was so instrumental in getting put forth to get started.

Here today we have a young lady who still exemplifies those attributes that this organization was started to promote, and it is my pleasure that— She comes again from my district. It has been a long tradition that the young, beautiful, and intellectual young females from southwestern Pennsylvania have come from the 51st District. Last year it snuck away from us and got back to Greene County, but again this year Kristi Livingston from Uniontown has been chosen as the Bituminous Coal Queen of Pennsylvania, and she is here with us today with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Terrance Livingston, along with her chaperon who has been her chaperon for the past 15 years.

I want to thank the House for giving me this time to bring that to our attention, and I have a citation that I will be presenting to Ms. Livingston for her to remember this day here on the House floor of the House of Pennsylvania. Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS PASSED OVER

The SPEAKER. The remaining bills on the calendar will be over for today.

Is there any other business to be brought before the House?

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

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

Mr. TRELLO. Mr. Speaker, there will be a meeting of the House Finance Committee immediately upon the call of the recess in room 40E. I would appreciate all members attending. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. For the information of the members, there will be no more votes cast on the floor today.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE PRESENTED

Mr. COWELL presented the Report of the Committee of Conference on **SB 2, PN 2001**.

RESOLUTION REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

HR 234, PN 3269 (Amended)

By Rep. CAPPABIANCA

A Resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to enact legislation to reregulate the cable television industry.

FEDERAL-STATE RELATIONS.

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEES, CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED

HB 2073, PN 2579

By Rep. JAMES

An Act providing for cesarean section delivery practice parameters; establishing peer review boards; and providing for duties of the Health Care Cost Containment Council.

HEALTH AND WELFARE.

HB 2110, PN 3270 (Amended)

By Rep. JAMES

An Act prohibiting the sale of medical records upon termination of a medical practice.

HEALTH AND WELFARE.

HB 2415, PN 3110

By Rep. GEORGE

An Act amending the act of July 5, 1989 (P. L. 166, No. 31), known as the "Phosphate Detergent Act," extending the existence of the act.

CONSERVATION.

SB 1331, PN 2009 (Amended)

By Rep. D. R. WRIGHT

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for the commission to order the acquisition of small water and sewer utilities; providing for approval of utility Clean Air Act implementation plans; and further providing for gas pipeline safety violations.

CONSUMER AFFAIRS.

BILL REPORTED AND REREFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE

HB 2226, PN 2803

By Rep. JAMES

An Act amending the act of December 20, 1985 (P. L. 457, No. 112), known as the "Medical Practice Act of 1985," requiring a physician to send a notice to patients prior to leaving practice; and protecting the privacy of patients.

HEALTH AND WELFARE.

BILLS SIGNED BY SPEAKER

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

HB 719, PN 2879

An Act amending the act of June 21, 1939 (P. L. 626, No. 294), referred to as the "Second Class County Assessment Law," providing that the county pay a portion of appraisal costs along with the municipality and school district in certain appeals.

HB 795, PN 2977

An Act providing for enhanced penalty authority for publicly owned treatment works which are authorized to enforce industrial pretreatment standards for industrial waste discharges.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

The SPEAKER. The clerk will read the supplemental report of the Committee on Committees.

The following report was read:

Committee on Committees
Supplemental Report

In the House of Representatives
March 17, 1992

RESOLVED, That

Representative Raymond Bunt, Montgomery County, is elected a member of the Appropriations Committee vice Representative Jon Fox resigned.

Representative Ronald Raymond, Delaware County, is elected a member of the Education Committee vice Representative Jon Fox resigned.

Respectfully submitted,
Thomas A. Michlovic
Chairman
Committee on Committees

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolution?
Resolution was adopted.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Representative Michael Patrick McGeehan.

Mr. McGEEHAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker, and a happy St. Patrick's Day to you.

Mr. Speaker, I move that this House do now adjourn until Wednesday, March 18, 1992, at 11 a.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 12:18 p.m., e.s.t., the House adjourned.