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### HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

#### THE SPEAKER (H. WILLIAM DeWEESE) 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, like wandering sheep we have left the fold and have gone astray. We have followed the devices of our own hearts and have done what we ought not to have done and left undone countless deeds of mercy and goodness.

We have pursued power and riches, status and fame, only to find that they do not satisfy the deeper needs of our hearts. We are still restless, hungry, and thirsty. "As the hart panteth after the water brooks, So panteth my soul after Thee, O God."

Create in us clean hearts and renew right spirits. Cast our sins into a sea of forgetfulness to be remembered no more, and cause us to seek a closer walk with You, for we realize that only then can we find Your peace which surpasses all understanding.

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 Tuesday, May 11, 1993, will be postponed until printed. The Chair hears no objection.

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM GOVERNOR

##### BILLS SIGNED BY GOVERNOR

The Secretary to the Governor presented the following communications from His Excellency, the Governor:

APPROVAL OF HB's 100, 318, and 559.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
Office of the Governor  
Harrisburg

May 20, 1993

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

I have the honor to inform you that I have this day approved and signed House Bill 100, Printer's No. 178, entitled "AN ACT providing for the management of nutrients on certain agricultural operations to abate nonpoint source pollution, for the certification of nutrient management specialists and for the assessment of other nonpoint sources of nutrient pollution to the waters of this Commonwealth; establishing the Nutrient Management Advisory Board and providing for its powers and duties; establishing the Nutrient Management Fund; and providing for enforcement and penalties."

Robert P. Casey  
Governor

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
Office of the Governor  
Harrisburg

May 20, 1993

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

I have the honor to inform you that I have this day approved and signed House Bill 318, Printer's No. 1209, entitled "AN ACT prohibiting a county of the second class from imposing taxes on certain individuals."

Robert P. Casey  
Governor

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
Office of the Governor  
Harrisburg

May 20, 1993

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

I have the honor to inform you that I have this day approved and signed House Bill 559, Printer's No. 1208, entitled "AN ACT amending the act of August 26, 1971 (P.L.351, No.91), entitled 'An act providing for a State Lottery and administration thereof; authorizing the creation of a State Lottery Commission; prescribing its powers and duties; disposition of funds; violations and penalties therefor; exemption of prizes from State and local taxation and making an appropriation,' FURTHER PROVIDING FOR LOTTERY SALES AGENTS; AND providing for certain applications for lottery machines and for a compact to sell tickets."

Robert P. Casey  
Governor

**ACTUARIAL NOTES**

The SPEAKER. The Chair would like to announce the receipt of the following actuarial notes, which the clerk will file: HB 1524, HB 1004, and HB 1596.

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

**HOUSE BILLS  
INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

**No. 1613** By Representatives VEON, JAROLIN, CURRY, PETRONE, KUKOVICH, ROONEY, O'BRIEN, HERMAN, THOMAS, COLAIZZO, MAYERNIK, KING, DALEY, LaGROTTA, YANDRISEVITS, COLAFELLA, HALUSKA, CAPPABIANCA, PISTELLA, CALTAGIRONE, SCRIMENTI, FEE, MILLER, PRESTON, STEIGHNER, MIHALICH, RUDY, D. R. WRIGHT, TRELLO, VAN HORNE, HANNA, BELFANTI, GEIST, SANTONI, HESS, SURRA, LAUGHLIN, KREBS, OLASZ, BEBKO-JONES, PESCI, ROBERTS, BELARDI, JOSEPHS, ALLEN, LESCOVITZ, McCALL, STEELMAN, GANNON, RITTER, CAWLEY, M. N. WRIGHT, EGOLF, FREEMAN, MURPHY, E. Z. TAYLOR, D. W. SNYDER, SEMMEL, LEVDANSKY, KASUNIC, STETLER, BUNT, KELLER, STAIRS, CORNELL, FLEAGLE, COY, HERSHEY, CHADWICK, ZUG, TANGRETTI, STABACK, WILLIAMS, TULLI, CIVERA, TOMLINSON, KAISER, BAKER, DURHAM and SAURMAN

An Act amending Title 24 (Education) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for actuarial cost method; and providing for cost-of-living increases.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1614** By Representative WOZNIAK

An Act authorizing the Department of General Services, with the approval of the Governor and the Secretary of Environmental Resources, to sell and convey to Wayne S. Oldham certain excess land situate in the Township of Richland, Cambria County.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1615** By Representatives SAURMAN, FICHTER, TRELLO, FARGO, NAILOR, CORNELL, WOGAN, HERSHEY, MERRY and TOMLINSON

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for credit card fraud; defining the offense of unlawful device-making equipment; and providing penalties.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1616** By Representatives SAURMAN, TRELLO, MAITLAND, FAIRCHILD, ARMSTRONG, LYNCH, ARGALL, EGOLF, LEH, HANNA and STEIL

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

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1617** By Representatives SAURMAN, KASUNIC, TRELLO, SERAFINI, E. Z. TAYLOR and HENNESSEY

An Act providing for the handling of asbestos-containing waste; conferring powers and duties on the Department of Environmental Resources; and making an appropriation.

Referred to Committee on CONSERVATION, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1618** By Representatives SAURMAN, FICHTER, HERSHEY, ARMSTRONG, CLYMER, YEWIC, GAMBLE, MILLER, SEMMEL, PITTS, TRELLO, LEH, GEIST, BAKER, HUTCHINSON, GORDNER, MASLAND, DRUCE and HENNESSEY

An Act providing for the use of certain historical writings, documents and records in public schools and during public school events; and prohibiting censorship based on religious references in certain historical writings, documents and records.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1619** By Representatives MILLER, CALTAGIRONE, SANTONI, ARGALL, SEMMEL, LEH, ROHRER, DRUCE, ROONEY, RAYMOND, FICHTER, MASLAND, GEIST, HUTCHINSON, EGOLF and HENNESSEY

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

Referred to Committee on URBAN AFFAIRS, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1621** By Representatives COWELL, ITKIN, BATTISTO, HALUSKA, DALEY, ROBINSON, GEORGE, STISH, COLAIZZO, MELIO, BLAUM, STURLA, CAPPABIANCA, BELFANTI, KUKOVICH, FREEMAN, GIGLIOTTI, LEVDANSKY, McCALL, MIHALICH, PISTELLA, TRELLO, MICHLOVIC, COY, LAUGHLIN, STEELMAN, JOSEPHS, DeLUCA, PRESTON, HUGHES, ROONEY, MURPHY, PETRONE and McNALLY

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, providing for a nonprofit school breakfast program.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1622** By Representatives STEIL, TRELLO, FARGO, CLYMER, HARLEY, HECKLER and L. I. COHEN

An Act amending Title 20 (Decedents, Estates and Fiduciaries) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for advance directives for health care.

Referred to Committee on HEALTH AND WELFARE,  
May 24, 1993.

**No. 1623** By Representatives GORDNER, DERMODY, FAJT, BLAUM, McNALLY, YANDRISEVITS, MASLAND, L. I. COHEN, VEON, FAIRCHILD, STURLA, LYNCH, BEBKO-JONES, SANTONI, STABACK, TRUE, MAITLAND, ARMSTRONG, SCHEETZ, SATHER, KREBS, DRUCE, LAUB, VAN HORNE, COY and ROONEY

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for increased penalties for multiple convictions for driving under influence of alcohol or controlled substance.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1624** By Representatives ZUG, TRELLO, TIGUE, HENNESSEY, FARGO, ARMSTRONG, FARMER, SCHULER, PLATTS, KREBS, M. N. WRIGHT, SAURMAN, FLICK, GERLACH, E. Z. TAYLOR, FAJT, KING, SERAFINI and CLARK

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, further defining "claimant."

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1625** By Representatives ROBINSON, MILLER, PETTIT, CURRY, FICHTER, TRUE, GIGLIOTTI, ROONEY, B. SMITH, EGOLF, FAJT, ARMSTRONG, SAURMAN, DRUCE, SANTONI, STABACK, TOMLINSON, CIVERA, TRELLO, VEON, D. W. SNYDER, HENNESSEY and FARGO

An Act requiring coroners and medical examiners to perform autopsies and investigations in certain cases; and requiring review.

Referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1626** By Representatives SERAFINI and TRELLO

An Act amending the act of July 10, 1987 (P.L.246, No.47), known as the Municipalities Financial Recovery Act, imposing a limitation on the right of a municipality to petition the court for an increase in the rate of taxation.

Referred to Committee on URBAN AFFAIRS, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1627** By Representatives SERAFINI, PESCI, TRELLO and HASAY

An Act amending the act of December 31, 1965 (P.L.1257, No.511), known as The Local Tax Enabling Act, prohibiting the levying and collection of certain taxes by cities of the second class A.

Referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT,  
May 24, 1993.

**No. 1629** By Representatives CALTAGIRONE, OLIVER, TRELLO, J. TAYLOR, GODSHALL and BUXTON

An Act amending the act of June 23, 1931 (P.L.932, No.317), known as The Third Class City Code, further defining the term "salary."

Referred to Committee on URBAN AFFAIRS, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1630** By Representatives CALTAGIRONE, OLIVER, TRELLO, J. TAYLOR, GODSHALL and BUXTON

An Act amending the act of June 23, 1931 (P.L.932, No.317), known as The Third Class City Code, further providing for pensions of spouses and survivors of deceased police officers.

Referred to Committee on URBAN AFFAIRS, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1634** By Representatives PRESTON, PETRONE, GIGLIOTTI and TRELLO

An Act amending the act of March 7, 1901 (P.L.20, No.14), referred to as the Second Class City Law, further providing for competitive bidding on contracts.

Referred to Committee on URBAN AFFAIRS, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1635** By Representatives PETRONE, McNALLY, TRELLO and GIGLIOTTI

An Act amending the act of June 21, 1939 (P.L.626, No.294), referred to as the Second Class County Assessment Law, providing for reduction of tax rates in certain cases.

Referred to Committee on URBAN AFFAIRS, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1640** By Representatives McNALLY, JADLOWIEC, MIHALICH, VEON, FAJT, GIGLIOTTI, MILLER, LEVDANSKY, LAUGHLIN, OLASZ, SAURMAN, BOYES, CURRY, MICHLOVIC and RITTER

An Act amending the act of June 29, 1953 (P.L.304, No.66), known as the Vital Statistics Law of 1953, imposing a surcharge to provide funding for regional poison control centers; and establishing the Poison Control Fund.

Referred to Committee on HEALTH AND WELFARE, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1641** By Representatives STURLA, COWELL, FAJT, PETRONE, MELIO, RAYMOND, STABACK, PISTELLA, MIHALICH, TRELLO, LAUB, HERMAN, FREEMAN, CAPPABIANCA, SEMMEL, MICOZZIE,

SCHEETZ, GIGLIOTTI, KASUNIC, STEELMAN,  
COLAFELLA, WILLIAMS and TOMLINSON

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, requiring training of school directors.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1642** By Representatives STURLA, PETRONE,  
CAPPABIANCA, STEELMAN, FARGO, TULLI and  
COLAFELLA

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, changing the terms of office of school directors.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1644** By Representatives TOMLINSON,  
BELARDI, CORRIGAN, TRELLO, CESSAR, FAJT,  
GIGLIOTTI, HECKLER, MELIO, REINARD, DALEY,  
GEIST, LEVDANSKY, ALLEN, WOGAN, KENNEY,  
CLYMER, BOYES, PISTELLA, TULLI, M. N. WRIGHT,  
CAPPABIANCA, MARKOSEK and GAMBLE

An Act amending the act of January 14, 1952 (1951 P.L.1898, No.522), known as the Funeral Director Law, providing for continuing education as a condition for license renewal.

Referred to Committee on PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE,  
May 24, 1993.

**No. 1645** By Representatives WOGAN, HASAY,  
HECKLER, KASUNIC, NYCE, SAURMAN and CIVERA

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

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1648** By Representatives PRESTON, ROEBUCK,  
ROBERTS, LAUB, COY, MELIO, CESSAR, NAILOR,  
GLADECK, FARMER, MIHALICH, MUNDY, VEON,  
FAJT, J. TAYLOR, KELLER, DeLUCA, STABACK,  
MILLER, TANGRETTI, KING, JAMES, GERLACH,  
TRELLO, BATTISTO, TOMLINSON, GEIST, EGOLF,  
PETRARCA, DRUCE, SANTONI, PISTELLA, CIVERA  
and FREEMAN

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for sentencing and penalties relating to trafficking in drugs.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1650** By Representatives PHILLIPS, ACOSTA,  
BUNT, TRUE, ROONEY, B. SMITH, STABACK,  
SCHEETZ, TRELLO, GODSHALL, TIGUE, GEIST, HESS,  
SAURMAN, BARLEY, LYNCH, CIVERA, HERSHEY,  
SEMMEL, HENNESSEY and STAIRS

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for cruelty to animals.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1652** By Representatives JAROLIN, COLAIZZO,  
ROONEY, GIGLIOTTI, MIHALICH, CLARK, BROWN,  
FARGO, CIVERA, TIGUE and MICOZZIE

An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, further providing for the liability of certain licensees for serving alcoholic beverages.

Referred to Committee on LIQUOR CONTROL, May 24,  
1993.

**No. 1653** By Representatives JAROLIN, COLAIZZO,  
ROONEY, GIGLIOTTI, BELFANTI, CLARK, BROWN,  
STABACK, CIVERA and MICOZZIE

An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, providing for complaints against licensee.

Referred to Committee on LIQUOR CONTROL, May 24,  
1993.

**No. 1657** By Representatives LAWLESS,  
ARMSTRONG, ROBERTS, FARMER, RUBLEY,  
SCRIMENTI, RAYMOND, MILLER, GIGLIOTTI,  
ROONEY, TULLI, CLARK, NYCE, LAUB, BUNT,  
HARLEY, CARONE, B. SMITH, M. N. WRIGHT,  
STEELMAN, LEH, GEIST, STEIL, SANTONI, SERAFINI,  
GODSHALL, VEON and TRELLO

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for the maximum speed limit on the Pennsylvania Turnpike.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, May 24,  
1993.

**No. 1658** By Representatives JAMES, WILLIAMS,  
COLAIZZO, LINTON, LEVDANSKY, PISTELLA,  
E. Z. TAYLOR, GODSHALL, GIGLIOTTI, FAIRCHILD,  
TIGUE, TANGRETTI, DONATUCCI, HERMAN, MELIO,  
CARN, TRELLO, DeLUCA, BLAUM, OLIVER, THOMAS,  
BISHOP, ROEBUCK, EVANS, ROBINSON, PRESTON,  
MICOZZIE, BUNT, STABACK, CIVERA, ALLEN,  
D. R. WRIGHT, LAUGHLIN, KING, COY, MIHALICH,  
FICHTER, VEON, FAJT, DALEY, KELLER,  
VAN HORNE, SERAFINI, BELARDI, GLADECK and  
J. TAYLOR

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for drug trafficking sentencing and penalties.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, May 24, 1993.

**No. 1659** By Representatives JAMES, CARN, TULLI,

ROBINSON, ARGALL, TIGUE, VEON, WILLIAMS, KUKOVICH, BEBKO-JONES, COLAIZZO, MASLAND, MELIO, WAUGH, TRICH and CURRY

An Act amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), known as the Pennsylvania Election Code, further providing for manner of signing nomination petitions.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, May 24, 1993.

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

No. 98 By Representatives SAURMAN, FICHTER, ARMSTRONG, FARGO, CARN, TRELLO, M. N. WRIGHT, HANNA, MAITLAND, MICOZZIE, WAUGH, FARMER, CLYMER, GERLACH, E. Z. TAYLOR, TOMLINSON and EGOLF

A Resolution directing the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee to investigate the circumstances surrounding out-of-State travel undertaken by certain officials of the Bureau of Pennsylvania State Lottery in March and July 1992.

Referred to Committee on RULES, May 24, 1993.

No. 99 By Representatives SAURMAN, CAPPABIANCA, TRELLO, FICHTER, ARMSTRONG, FLICK, BUNT, M. N. WRIGHT, LAUB, GLADECK, SEMMEL and GEIST

A Concurrent Resolution memorializing Congress to call a Constitutional Convention to propose an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to provide the states with the authority to declare an act of Congress null and void.

Referred to Committee on FEDERAL-STATE RELATIONS, May 24, 1993.

SENATE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE

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

SB 606, PN 1229

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, May 24, 1993.

SB 690, PN 1226

Referred to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, May 24, 1993.

SB 864, PN 1209

Referred to Committee on LABOR RELATIONS, May 24, 1993.

SB 1008, PN 1146

Referred to Committee on LABOR RELATIONS, May 24, 1993.

SB 1025, PN 1139

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, May 24, 1993.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Steighner, for leaves of absence.

Mr. STEIGHNER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I would ask for leave for today only for the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. MCGEEHAN, and the gentleman from Cambria, Mr. HALUSKA.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Steighner, indicates that the gentleman, Mr. McGeehan, and the gentleman, Mr. Haluska, request a leave of absence.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Ryan.

Mr. RYAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I request leave of absence for the lady from Chester, Mrs. RUBLEY, for the day, and the gentleman from Lycoming, Mr. BUSH, for the week.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

MASTER ROLL CALL

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

The following roll call was recorded:

PRESENT-199

Table with 4 columns listing names of present members: Acosta, Adolph, Allen, Argall, Armstrong, Baker, Barley, Battisto, Bebko-Jones, Belardi, Belfanti, Birmelin, Bishop, Blaum, Boyes, Brown, Bunt, Butkovitz, Buxton, Caltagirone, Cappabianca, Carn, Carone, Cawley, Cessar, Chadwick, Civera, Clark, Clymer, Cohen, L. I., Cohen, M., Colafella, Colaizzo, Cornell, Corrigan, Farmer, Fee, Fichter, Fleagle, Flick, Freeman, Gamble, Gannon, Geist, George, Gertlach, Gigliotti, Gladeck, Godshall, Gordner, Gruitza, Gruppo, Hanna, Harley, Hasay, Heckler, Hennessey, Herman, Hershey, Hess, Hughes, Hutchinson, Itkin, Jadlowiec, James, Jarolin, Josephs, Kaiser, Kasunic, Keller, Lloyd, Lucyk, Lynch, Maitland, Manderino, Markosek, Marsico, Masland, Mayernik, McCall, McNally, Melio, Merry, Michlovic, Micozzie, Mihalich, Miller, Mundy, Murphy, Nailor, Nickol, Nyce, O'Brien, O'Donnell, Olasz, Oliver, Perzel, Pesci, Petrarca, Petrone, Pettit, Phillips, Piccola, Pistella, Pitts, Santoni, Sather, Saurman, Saylor, Scheetz, Schuler, Scrimenti, Semmel, Serafini, Smith, B., Smith, S. H., Snyder, D. W., Staback, Stairs, Steelman, Steighner, Steil, Stern, Stetler, Stish, Strittmatter, Sturla, Surra, Tangretti, Taylor, E. Z., Taylor, J., Thomas, Tigue, Tomlinson, Trello, Trich, True, Tulli, Uliana, Vance

Cowell	Kenney	Platts	Van Home
Coy	King	Preston	Veon
Curry	Kirkland	Raymond	Vitali
Daley	Krebs	Reber	Waugh
DeLuca	Kukovich	Reinard	Williams
Dempsey	LaGrotta	Richardson	Wogan
Dent	Laub	Rieger	Wozniak
Dermody	Laughlin	Ritter	Wright, D. R.
Donatucci	Lawless	Roberts	Wright, M. N.
Druce	Lederer	Robinson	Yandrisevits
Durham	Lee	Roebuck	Yewcic
Egolf	Leh	Rohrer	Zug
Evans	Lescovitz	Rooney	
Fairchild	Levdansky	Rudy	DeWeese,
Fajt	Linton	Ryan	Speaker
Fargo			

ADDITIONS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—4

Bush	Haluska	McGeehan	Rubley
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**BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEES, CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED**

**HB 552, PN 603** By Rep. CALTAGIRONE

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for prostitution and related offenses.

JUDICIARY.

**HB 633, PN 697** By Rep. CALTAGIRONE

An Act authorizing superintendents, wardens and other officials in charge of correctional institutions to establish inmate work force programs.

JUDICIARY.

**HB 860, PN 926** By Rep. CALTAGIRONE

An Act amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for civil proceedings and for monetary limits of parental liability.

JUDICIARY.

**HB 870, PN 936** By Rep. CALTAGIRONE

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for the distribution of certain collected fines and forfeitures to municipalities.

JUDICIARY.

**HB 905, PN 983** By Rep. CALTAGIRONE

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for fines for violating certain governmental rules on State property.

JUDICIARY.

**HB 1065, PN 1149** By Rep. CALTAGIRONE

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, prohibiting the furnishing of drug-free urine for the purpose of evading drug tests.

JUDICIARY.

**HB 1420, PN 1843 (Amended)**

By Rep. CALTAGIRONE

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for cruelty to animals; and prohibiting the offering of live animals as prizes.

JUDICIARY.

**HB 1596, PN 1842 (Amended)**

By Rep. COWELL

An Act amending Title 24 (Education) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, adding a definition of "school entity"; further providing for contributions by the Commonwealth and employers and for certain calculations relating to Social Security.

EDUCATION.

**SB 218, PN 780**

By Rep. CALTAGIRONE

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, further providing for rights of accused in criminal prosecutions.

JUDICIARY.

**RESOLUTION REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE**

**SR 43, PN 1131**

By Rep. CALTAGIRONE

A Concurrent Resolution directing the Joint State Government Commission to study on an ongoing basis legislative proposals involving domestic relations law and creating a task force.

JUDICIARY.

**DUQUESNE HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL TEAM PRESENTED**

The SPEAKER. The Chair would like to call to the clerk's rostrum the gentleman from Allegheny County, Mr. Michlovic. The gentleman, Mr. Michlovic, has some guests which, as is our tradition on Mondays, he would like to introduce.

The gentleman, Mr. Michlovic, is recognized.

Mr. MICHLOVIC. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Ladies and gentlemen of the House, this afternoon I have the pleasure of introducing the PIAA class A State champions from my legislative district.

Western Pennsylvania has historically been a fertile ground for outstanding athletes in many different sports, and this year is no exception. Today I have the pleasure of introducing the Duquesne High School basketball team from the city of Duquesne in my legislative district. The Dukes are led by their coach and athletic director, Rich Moran, and with him behind me is the assistant coach, Montell Staples, as well as several members of the team, including Kevin Price, who is the Small High School Player of the Year, class AA and class A. He was also First Team All-State. With Kevin is his cocaptain, Shon Taylor, and other members of the starting five - Bruce Davidson and Jonathan Sands, as well as Rocco Scott.

They learned about winning and losing with grace and about the spirit of competition and never giving up, and most

importantly, about coming together as a team to get the job done, and when the season was over, the Dukes had 25 wins, a consecutive title in District VII, and a second consecutive class A State championship in boys' basketball after defeating thereto undefeated Loyalsock 70 to 60.

Next year they have four of the five starting players coming back, including Kevin, and they have a chance, an opportunity, to be only the second team in the history of Pennsylvania to win three consecutive State championships.

Ladies and gentlemen, it is my great honor to present to you the 1993 class A State champions in boys' basketball, and they are—the remainder of the team and the assistants and statisticians are in the back; I wish they would rise—the Duquesne Dukes of Duquesne High School. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

The Chair welcomes the young men and friends and coaches and relatives and family to the hall of the House.

Which one was the one that got the Small award?

Mr. MICHLOVIC. 6 foot 7, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. 6 foot 7.

### GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. The young people who were helping us with the Pledge of Allegiance in the back of the hall of the House from the Pride of the Neighborhood, would you please stand up and be recognized.

These young folks are in the first grade, and they are here with their teachers and instructors Alicia Mercik, John Mercik, Constance Adams, and Randolph Mason. Ms. Erin Machel Myers, the daughter of our esteemed mace bearer, Mr. Eric Myers, is a member of this class.

The Chair welcomes you and hopes that your experience is worthwhile this afternoon.

### LOWER MERION HIGH SCHOOL ACADEMIC DECATHLON TEAM PRESENTED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Representative Lita Cohen. The Chair would also like to welcome Representative Harley at the podium.

The lady may proceed.

Mrs. COHEN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

It is with great honor that Representative Harley and I present to you the winners of the world series; that is, the world series of academic competition.

The Lower Merion High School academic decathlon team placed first in the entire Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and went on to national competition in Phoenix, Arizona, and brought back to Lower Merion and to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania sixth place in the Nation.

I present to you their coach, Sybil Gilmar, and two representatives, Jon Davis and David Sklar. But additionally, we have the rest of the team in the back—and if you would stand, please—with their friends and family.

I just would like to read the rest of the names, because they do deserve to be singled out: Jonathan Lancken, Walter Raymond Stanczak, Jr., Marty Cunningham, Gary Kaplan, Dan Casey, Donald Kenepp, and certainly not least, the one female member of the team, Lory Banbury.

Mrs. HARLEY. I would just like to read briefly a couple of paragraphs from the citation from the Commonwealth:

WHEREAS, The team won the state championship at Methacton High School in Fairview Village, where each team member participated in ten events, including math, science, economics, fine arts, language and literature, and social science. In addition, the contestants performed a prepared and impromptu speech, wrote an essay on a given topic and were interviewed by a panel of community judges. The final event, the Super Quiz, was an academic relay which occurred on the campus of Arizona State University during national finals. This year's Super Quiz topic was A Diversity of Achievers; and

WHEREAS, The nine-member team is comprised of honor students...

as we just mentioned. I congratulate you.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the ladies.

### ANNOUNCEMENT BY MR. GIGLIOTTI

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

Mr. GIGLIOTTI. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

A point of personal privilege — for an announcement.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman is recognized.

Mr. GIGLIOTTI. Thank you.

Mr. Speaker, you know, everybody had an election day on May 18. We in the city of Pittsburgh, the second largest city in the State of Pennsylvania, proudly endorsed and elected the next mayor of the city of Pittsburgh, one of our colleagues for 14 years, Tom Murphy.

And, Mr. Speaker, I just want to take the opportunity to thank you for all your help. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The Chair would also like to extend his own personal congratulations to the worthy gentleman.

### STATE WRESTLING CHAMPION PRESENTED

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Lawless, is recognized.

This will conclude our introduction of guests.

Mr. LAWLESS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

It is my pleasure to introduce to the House today and present with a citation one of Pennsylvania's outstanding athletes. Today visiting our House chamber from Methacton High School in my district is the State wrestling champion in the 140-pound weight class, Mr. Dan Covatta. Accompanying Dan are his parents, Tom and Peggy Covatta, and the Methacton High School athletic director, David Kyler.

Dan achieved a stunning season record of 39 and zero, and a career record of 145 wins and only 10 losses.

Welcome to the House floor.

The SPEAKER. The Chair would like to congratulate the young wrestler and note that all attainments in that sport are obviously individual.

#### BILLS REMOVED FROM TABLE

The SPEAKER. The Chair would like to recognize the majority leader.

Mr. ITKIN. Mr. Speaker, I move that the following bills be removed from the table and placed upon the active calendar:

HB 77;  
 HB 126;  
 HB 127;  
 HB 210;  
 HB 351;  
 HB 554;  
 HB 732;  
 HB 733;  
 HB 992;  
 HB 1090;  
 HB 1091;  
 HB 1092;  
 HB 1096;  
 HB 1097;  
 HB 1098;  
 HB 1099;  
 HB 1100;  
 HB 1101;  
 HB 1156;  
 HB 1158;  
 HB 856; and  
 HB 1596.

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

#### BILLS RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

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

HB 126;  
 HB 127;  
 HB 210;  
 HB 554;  
 HB 732;  
 HB 733;  
 HB 992;  
 HB 1091;  
 HB 1092;  
 HB 1097;  
 HB 1099;

HB 1156;  
 HB 1158; and  
 HB 1596.

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

#### BILL RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. ITKIN. Mr. Speaker, I move that HB 856 be recommitted to the Committee on Conservation.

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

#### BILL REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE, CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED

**HB 1360, PN 1495** By Rep. LUCYK

An Act amending the act of July 13, 1987 (P.L.348, No.67), known as the Vietnam Veterans Health Initiative Act, extending the expiration date.

#### MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS.

#### GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. The Chair would like to note the presence of the Urban League Leadership Institute from Philadelphia, who are the guests of the Legislative Black Caucus. The guests are in the balcony, and the Chair welcomes them to the hall of the House.

#### 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 77, PN 87; HB 351, PN 1829; HB 1090, PN 1184; HB 1096, PN 1190; HB 1098, PN 1192; HB 1100, PN 1194; and HB 1101, PN 1195.**

#### GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. The Chair would also like to note in the gallery today the presence of students from the Stetson Middle School in Philadelphia. They are in the gallery, and they are with their teacher, Ms. Sharron Ehrlich. The Chair and the members of the House welcome you to our hall.

#### CALENDAR

#### BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 919, PN 996**, entitled:



An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, further providing for revocation and suspension of licenses.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration?

Mr. CORRIGAN offered the following amendments No. A1442:

Amend Title, page 1, line 16, by inserting after "laws," "reducing the amount of gross sales of food for Sunday sales permit; and

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 20 through 22, by striking out all of said lines and inserting

Section 1. Section 406(a)(3) of the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, reenacted and amended June 29, 1987 (P.L.32, No.14), is amended to read:

Section 406. Sales by Liquor Licensees; Restrictions.—(a)

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(3) Hotel and restaurant liquor licensees, airport restaurant liquor licensees, municipal golf course restaurant liquor licensees and privately-owned public golf course restaurant licensees whose sales of food and nonalcoholic beverages are equal to [forty] twenty per centum or more of the combined gross sales of both food and alcoholic beverages may sell liquor and malt or brewed beverages on Sunday between the hours of eleven o'clock antemeridian and two o'clock antemeridian Monday upon purchase of a special annual permit from the board at a fee [of two hundred dollars (\$200.00)] per year as prescribed by law, which shall be in addition to any other license fees.

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Section 2. Section 471(a) of the act is amended to read:

Amend Bill, page 2, line 18, by striking out all of said line and inserting

Section 3. This act shall take effect as follows:

(1) The amendment of section 406(a)(3) of the act shall take effect immediately.

(2) The remainder of this act shall take effect in 60 days.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendments?

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

Mr. CORRIGAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, the amendment that I offer to HB 919 is an amendment that affects 18,000 small business people in Pennsylvania. This amendment is not intended to sell more liquor. This amendment intends to bring our small business people into compliance with the law.

In the past 20 years, the price of alcohol has risen approximately 50 percent, whereas the price of food has risen about 20 percent, thereby creating a difference for our small businessmen in their retail sales.

I want to make sure that the members of the House understand this amendment is not designed to sell more booze. This amendment is an amendment that benefits small business people in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and I would certainly appreciate the support of the House. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

Does the gentleman, Mr. Carn, wish to be recognized?

The gentleman, Mr. Carn, is recognized.

Mr. CARN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I rise to oppose this amendment.

One of the things that we have to realize when we consider this amendment is that we are saying that we want more liquor establishments open on Sundays. I know in the city of Philadelphia, we have more problems with liquor licenses now and we do not need more open on Sundays, because that is what this amendment effectively does. It allows more liquor-license establishments to be open on Sundays because we are reducing the requirement of their food sales. We are actually saying that they can sell more alcohol through more establishments.

So I just want to take note of this; I want the House to take note of this and give it some serious consideration. I just ask for a negative vote on this amendment.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

Mr. Clymer is recognized for debate on the Corrigan amendment.

Mr. CLYMER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I support the comments of my colleague who just mentioned that indeed this amendment would allow more establishments to be open and to sell alcohol.

Now, we recognize that alcohol is the number one drug substance abuse in Pennsylvania, so it just does not make sense what we are doing here today with this amendment. It seems to me that we should be moving in the other direction.

Mr. Speaker, we have passed on different occasions legislation here in the General Assembly to cite those who drink while driving, and we have also had tough legislation for young people as well dealing with the issue of alcoholism, and so this amendment seems counterproductive to what historically this General Assembly has done to try to save lives on the highway, to help society with the problem of alcoholism.

So I, too, rise in opposition to this amendment. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Preston, is recognized.

Mr. PRESTON. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I rise in opposition to this particular amendment. I do this also on behalf of the nuisance bar task force for the city of Pittsburgh in relationship to the police, the many different neighborhood groups — for us to be able to give somebody for \$100 or \$300 an extra day of operation; to be able to increase the consumption of alcohol; to be able to give them the extra right to be able to open up on a Sunday.

I can remember too long ago when we gave certain other individuals the opportunity to be able to open up on Sunday, and that is where we mistakenly opened up the law for a short time for gambling. I am just very concerned that we are going to continuously give the establishments— Let us let people respect the family; let us let churches operate on a Sunday; let us let people be openly working with the community; and let us oppose this particular amendment.

It is unfortunate we are trying to do this. This is not a revenue enhancer. All it is going to do is, it is going to cost the taxpayers in the Commonwealth in the long run. It is going to increase, if you look in my city, in the city of Pittsburgh, the respective number of police calls from our local police agencies. We also in Allegheny County have respective communities that do not even have a police force, that are literally depending on the State Police and other private

contractors. There are some communities that have nuisance bars that have had numerous problems, and the police there are even being paid minimum wage. There are an awful lot of distressed communities themselves that do not want to see bars open up on Sunday. It is too much of a burden on the community.

I would respectfully request that we oppose this amendment, and let us be able to do the responsible thing and give families 1 day off.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman and recognizes the gentleman from Bucks County, Mr. Matthew Wright.

Mr. M. N. WRIGHT. Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of the amendment.

I heard comments earlier about expanding the availability of alcohol would increase the drinking. I disagree with that. I believe right now in most of our communities, if somebody wants to have a drink on a Sunday, they will find a bar. There are many bars that are open on Sundays.

I disagree that by giving the opportunity for some of the borderline taverns that might try to cook their books a little bit to stay open, and there was also a comment about not a revenue enhancement. Some of these operations are cooking their books in such a way to make it look like they are selling more food, which we are not collecting the tax on. Some of these operations now legitimately might be able to stay open longer and be open on Sundays, and therefore, we will be able to capitalize on some of that revenue.

I rise in support of this amendment. I think it is a good amendment. I think a lot of these bars that are open that should not be and under the current law that are operating properly would give them the lawful right to be open, and I support this amendment.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. Acosta, is recognized.

Mr. ACOSTA. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The previous speaker just had a trip to Philadelphia this past week. I should have shown you some of the bars that we have in my district. If you would have seen some of those bars, you would agree with me that we have to vote against this amendment. If anything, we have more crime and more problems from those bars, I am sure throughout the State, but in my district in particular, we have a lot of problems that we would like to take care of.

I would ask my colleagues to vote against this amendment. We have a lot of problems, and I do not think that keeping the bars open is going to solve them. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Luzerne County, Mr. Jarolin, is recognized.

Mr. JAROLIN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I have heard some of the statements here against this amendment, and I really think that they are not addressing the situation in the right way.

Whether this amendment passes or not, there is still going to be the same amount of bars that are open. We are not going to decrease the bars. However, the tavern owners that are in

the business right now are finding extreme difficulties with the requirement of the 40 percent of food. I have seen a variation in food purchases between 20 and 40 percent and costing the guy a license and causing the people that own the bars quite a bit of problems.

What I would like to see is this amendment decreasing it to 20 percent per annum, and I certainly hope my associates on this floor vote for it. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Corrigan, from Bucks County for the second time on the Corrigan amendment.

Mr. CORRIGAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I am of the opinion that an awful lot of people sitting here today do not understand exactly what we are talking about. I think some of the speakers that we have heard, I know that they are all well meaning, but I think they have some bad information.

If we go on the premise today that all tavern owners own nuisance bars, then I would withdraw this amendment. The fact of the matter is that tavern owners for the most part—and there are 18,000 of them in Pennsylvania—are good, hard-working, honest, small business people. They employ an average of four to six to seven people in their establishment, and they are credible people that are a credit to their community.

I want to talk just for a minute, Mr. Speaker, about the history of this bill. This bill has been introduced in two consecutive sessions. When I originally introduced this bill, I excluded, and I want everybody to hear this—

The SPEAKER. The gentleman is correct. This is a sensitive subject to many of our members, and the House should respond by giving its attention to the speaker.

The gentleman may proceed.

Mr. CORRIGAN. The thing that I would like to make most clear is when this bill was originally introduced by me, it excluded cities of the first class and cities of the second class. This bill went to the Liquor Committee 2 years ago. Those Representatives from the city of the first class insisted that cities of the first class go back into the bill; those people from cities of the second class insisted that cities of the second class go back into the bill, and that is the way the bill is at this moment. So I would also say that most of the members here have voted for this bill.

What we are laying on the small business people in this category is that they all run nuisance bars. I very seriously doubt that the taverns that we are talking about that my good friend, Representative Acosta, speaks of, I seriously doubt whether they sell any food there, and most of these nuisance bars do not sell food. We are talking about people who have a menu, have a restaurant, have employees, and they sell food, and they are now in a situation where they are in noncompliance with the law because the price of alcohol has far outstripped the price of food. That is the kind of a situation we are talking about.

If I thought we were going to sell more booze, I would withdraw this amendment. If I thought that this was going to cause more people to open on Sunday, I would withdraw this amendment. The fact of the matter is, some of the people that

are open on Sunday do not have any license at all. Some of them are under suspension.

I want to call to the members' attention, if I could, a letter that I received just recently from the Liquor Control Board. It is dated May 14, and what this letter said is, in effect—and I will not read it to you; I assume everybody has it—if you have a nuisance bar in your district, the Liquor Control Board has solicited your support. The Liquor Control Board sent you a letter and said if you have a nuisance bar, tell us where they are and we will not renew their license. So the system is working. The board is not renewing licenses.

This is a good amendment. It is an amendment designed to help small business people. It just happens that these small business people are in the business of selling food and liquor, and they deserve the same consideration as any other business in Pennsylvania.

Mr. Speaker, I ask for a "yes" vote on this amendment. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Acosta, for the second time.

Mr. ACOSTA. Mr. Speaker, if I could ask some questions to the previous speaker.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman indicates he will stand for interrogation. Mr. Acosta, you may proceed.

Mr. ACOSTA. Mr. Speaker, this amendment is only for second-class cities. Does that include first-class cities?

Mr. CORRIGAN. The amendment as drafted is the same as the bill that was drafted last session. That includes cities of the first class and second class at the insistence of the members of this body who represent first- and second-class cities.

Mr. ACOSTA. My problem is in first-class cities. I do not think that your amendment is going to help any, specifically areas like mine in my district, where the Liquor Control Enforcement at public hearings several times have said that they do not have enough manpower to control the problems that we have in our cities, in the first-class cities, Philadelphia for one. So if you say that this bill is okay because in Bristol, PA, or some other parts of the State you do not have the kind of problems that we have in our districts, then this bill has got to be redrafted and make it only for second-class cities.

Mr. CORRIGAN. Thank you.

The bill has been redrafted at the insistence of the people that I described.

What I think we are not considering here is that the small business people we are talking about do not own nuisance bars. They are small business people. The people I think that you are talking about own nuisance bars, and I am very sensitive to that problem. I sat on the committee for 3 years now.

I originally drafted the bill to exclude Philadelphia. The members from Philadelphia said, put Philadelphia back in. I do not know how we do that.

Mr. ACOSTA. I happen to be a member of Liquor Control, and I was never asked and never told that you changed over the bill to include first-class cities. You know, I have been having a fight here for the last 9 years against nuisance bars, and every one that I have within my district is a nuisance bar.

Mr. CORRIGAN. Let me just respond this way, Mr. Speaker: This bill in the last session was amended in the Liquor Committee by members from the first-class city. I voted "no." I wanted to exclude Philadelphia, I wanted to exclude Pittsburgh, because I am sensitive to the problems that they have.

The bill is the way it is now because— I already described why it is the way it is now.

Mr. ACOSTA. Mr. Speaker, if possible, I would like to get this bill postponed until I get members of the Liquor Control Committee to come down into my city, my district, and take a look, take a firsthand look, as to what I am trying to describe here. I believe it is unfair for the residents and the people in my district and people of many other districts to have this amendment passed when we have a tremendous amount of problems with the bars in the city of Philadelphia. Probably not the whole city of Philadelphia but some of the members from different districts, we have a lot of problems that are not controlled, and the Liquor Control Enforcement is saying to us, we do not have the manpower to fight the problem.

Mr. CORRIGAN. Thank you.

Mr. Speaker, the establishments that I am talking about for the most part, and I would say overwhelmingly, do not need liquor enforcement agents. They do not need those people in their place. They do not have complaints. They do not need people to come in there and arrest anybody. They are trying to sell food and make a living.

Mr. ACOSTA. So we are saying that then the amendment should go only for second-class cities.

Mr. CORRIGAN. I think maybe at a later date if you want to do something like that—

Mr. ACOSTA. I am sorry; I said it wrong.

The amendment should go only for second-class cities.

Mr. CORRIGAN. I tried it that way. It did not work. I told you that.

### BILL PLACED ON THIRD CONSIDERATION POSTPONED CALENDAR

Mr. ACOSTA. Mr. Speaker, I want to make a motion to postpone this amendment. I think we should have a second look in the districts that we are talking about in Philadelphia — my district, Andrew Carn's district, Curtis Thomas' district, and a whole group of us. Marie Lederer's district is just as bad. So we have five or six districts here that are having similar problems.

The SPEAKER. Since it is not in order to postpone only the amendment, the gentleman must make a motion that the bill be put on the third consideration postponed calendar.

Mr. ACOSTA. Mr. Speaker, I make a motion to postpone the bill.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

The membership should be aware that a motion has been made to put the bill on the third consideration postponed calendar.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

The SPEAKER. There are opportunities for debate.

The gentleman, Mr. Corrigan, is recognized on the motion to postpone the bill.

Mr. CORRIGAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I have to ask for a "no" vote on the motion to postpone. This bill has been around for— This is the second session, as I said before. Let us address the issue. I think now everybody understands what we are dealing with and why we are dealing with it.

The motion to postpone has to do with the first- and second-class cities. If in the future they would like to offer a bill or an amendment to a bill to do what they would like to do, I will support that amendment. I have already done it when I originally drafted this bill.

The people that I am trying to represent here today need this amendment. They need this kind of legislation so that they are no longer in noncompliance with the liquor laws.

I ask for a "no" vote on the motion to postpone. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Snyder, is recognized.

Mr. SNYDER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I speak in favor of postponement of HB 919.

The Corrigan amendment is scheduled for consideration as a bill. Mr. Corrigan's bill is scheduled for consideration by the Liquor Control Committee at a meeting tomorrow morning.

As the members of the floor know, if there are to be amendments to this issue, it is very difficult to amend an amendment, particularly under the current House rules, and there are members of both caucuses who have some concern about this issue that would like to have the opportunity to review it in committee tomorrow morning, for which this bill will be considered.

We ask, Mr. Speaker, for support of postponement. If the committee action is such that the bill would be reported out intact, we can certainly move HB 919 tomorrow with the amendment or we can take other action depending on how the committee's recommendation results.

Therefore, Mr. Speaker, we are not asking for undue delay for HB 919. We are just asking that it be postponed for a day so that we can have an opportunity to discuss this issue not in the heat of floor debate but through consideration by the committee and working with the sponsor of the amendment. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Allegheny County, Mr. Preston, is recognized.

Mr. PRESTON. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I also rise that we vote "yes" on the postponement.

#### POINT OF ORDER

Mr. CORRIGAN. Could I have a point of order, Mr. Speaker?

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Corrigan, asks for a point of order. The gentleman may state his point.

Mr. CORRIGAN. Mr. Speaker, the last speaker talked about recommittal. We are talking about postponement to no future date. We are not talking about recommittal. We are talking about the motion to postpone.

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

Mr. PRESTON. I would ask for us to postpone this.

It is obvious that because of the knowledge of some members who felt that we had to change our process, those of us who are being caught up with this particular amendment do not have time under our current rules to be able to prepare the appropriate amendments to try to reverse this action should it pass.

If we do not do this, then basically what we will be doing is encouraging the sale of alcohol on Sunday. I am concerned that people need to have a chance to be able to think this very rationally and very effectively. This should be handled within the committee process, and being that we have a chance to be able to do this tomorrow, I would ask for us to vote in the affirmative to postpone this.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Kenney, is recognized.

Mr. KENNEY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, can I ask Representative Corrigan a question? He made a comment that I did not hear prior to Mr. Preston speaking, and I was wondering if he is for postponement or against postponement at this time.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Corrigan, is against postponement.

Mr. CORRIGAN. That is correct.

Mr. KENNEY. Mr. Speaker, if I may make a comment.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman is recognized and may proceed.

Mr. KENNEY. Mr. Speaker, I rise to support Mr. Corrigan in asking for a "no" vote in postponing his amendment and this legislation.

As a Philadelphia legislator, I am well aware of the arguments made by Mr. Acosta and Mr. Carn and a number of members from Philadelphia about nuisance bars. I also have nuisance bars in my district of Philadelphia, but they are in the minority and they should not drive the legislation today that says because 3 out of 30 are bad, we should penalize the other 27 bars. That is what we are saying today. We are saying to the legitimate bar owners that, no, we are going to penalize you and hold you back because of the bad guys.

I agree that nuisance bars must be shut down. The Liquor Code enforcement agents must do their job, and we need more of them to do their job. But that should not say today that because we have a few from Philadelphia rising to say they have nuisance bars, which I also have, but the majority of my bar owners are hard-working, honest, small business people, and they should be included in this legislation.

I rise against postponement and in support of the Corrigan amendment. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Roebuck, from Philadelphia is recognized.

Mr. ROEBUCK. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I rise in support of postponing this legislation.

For the very reasons in part that Mr. Corrigan and others have stated, the reality is that there is nothing in this amendment or in the bill that attacks the basic problem that many of us face in our district, and that is that you have bars, albeit a minority, that are problems. There is nothing in this bill that attacks that, and there is nothing that deals with the specific issue. There is a lack of clarity in the basic legislation. That needs to be clarified. There is nothing wrong with seeking to clarify the impact on first-class cities, second-class cities. That can be done by holding this bill over and discussing it at some greater length.

There is no rush here; there is no urgency about having to do this today. It is clear we are going to take it up in the Liquor Control Committee tomorrow. We can come back on Wednesday with a bill that makes sense. This clearly does not make sense. It does not make sense because it does not attack the basic problems; it does not deal with the kinds of flaws inherent in the law as it presently exists; it does not address the problems of how you respond to those problems. I fail to understand why this absolutely is something that cannot be discussed at greater length in committee and with the assurance that it comes back to us in a form that is acceptable, that is reasonable, and that works. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Does the gentleman, Mr. Gigliotti, seek recognition?

Mr. GIGLIOTTI. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Yes, I do.

Mr. Speaker, I rise to support the postponement of this bill because we are going to work this problem out in tomorrow's Liquor Control Board meeting. This is something that all parties have an interest in. I am asking everybody to vote to postpone.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the motion?

The following roll call was recorded:

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Fargo	Kirkland	Richardson	Williams
Farmer	Laub	Rieger	Yandrisevits
Fee	Lederer	Ritter	Zug
Fichter			

NAYS—88

Allen	DeLuca	Markosek	Serafini
Argall	Dent	Marsico	Smith, S. H.
Battisto	Druce	Mayernik	Staback
Bebko-Jones	Durham	McCall	Steighner
Belardi	Geist	Melio	Steil
Belfanti	Gladeck	Merry	Stetler
Blaum	Godshall	Micozzie	Stish
Boyes	Gordner	Miller	Sturla
Bunt	Hanna	Mundy	Surra
Buxton	Hasay	O'Brien	Tangretti
Caltagirone	Jarolin	O'Donnell	Tigue
Cappabianca	Kasunic	Perzel	Tomlinson
Carone	Kenney	Pesci	Trich
Cawley	Krebs	Petrarca	Tulli
Cessar	Kukovich	Piccola	Uliana
Civera	LaGrotta	Reber	Van Horne
Colafigli	Laughlin	Reinard	Veon
Colaizzo	Lawless	Roberts	Wogan
Cornell	Lescovitz	Robinson	Wozniak
Corrigan	Lloyd	Rooney	Wright, D. R.
Curry	Lucyk	Santoni	Wright, M. N.
Daley	Maitland	Scrimenti	Yewwic

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EXCUSED—4

Bush	Haluska	McGeehan	Rubley
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The question was determined in the affirmative, and the motion was agreed to.

**BILL REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE, CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED**

**HB 961, PN 1045**

By Rep. D. R. WRIGHT

An Act providing for home repair fraud; and imposing penalties.

CONSUMER AFFAIRS.

**BUSINESS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE MEETING**

The SPEAKER. Does the gentleman, Mr. Lescovitz, seek recognition for the purpose of an announcement? Mr. Lescovitz, does the gentleman seek to make an announcement?

Mr. LESCOVITZ. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, there will be a meeting at the call of the recess of the House Business and Economic Development Committee in room 22 of the Annex. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

The Chair will alert the clerk that there has been a malfunction in the Speaker's voting apparatus, and it will be please attended to at the recess.

**PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY**

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Reber, is recognized. Mr. REBER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I have a point of parliamentary inquiry.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman will please state his point.

Mr. REBER. Mr. Speaker, first of all, I would apologize to the Chair that I was unable to get your attention prior to the vote on the motion to postpone on HB 919.

My concern is this, and I sort of have somewhat of an inherent interest in the travel and the journey of HB 919, since I am the prime sponsor of that legislation. The debate on the Corrigan amendment obviously had no bearing on the substantive matter of the bill.

My question is this, Mr. Speaker: Was that motion to postpone just until tomorrow's calendar or is that an indefinite postponement?

The SPEAKER. Third consideration postponed indicates that there is no date certain.

Mr. REBER. Mr. Speaker, could I inquire of the Chair what I might do tomorrow to move that off the postponed calendar for consideration by the full House following the Liquor Control Board meeting on the Corrigan amendment?

The SPEAKER. No motion would be necessary if you had some dialogue with the majority leader and there was an agreement to bring the bill up for a vote. If that was not the case, then you could take the microphone and ask that it be brought up for a vote.

Mr. REBER. Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker.

Let me spread upon the record that I certainly have no intention to do that until the Liquor Control Board has an opportunity to meet on the substantive matters of the Corrigan bill, which was probably the genesis for the postponement motion, but I will be tracking that, and then subsequent to that action being taken by the Liquor Control Committee, making such a motion or a discussion with the majority leader. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

**RULES SUSPENDED**

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. ITKIN. Mr. Speaker, I call for the temporary suspension of the rules for the immediate consideration of HR 104 and HR 108.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

**YEAS—199**

Acosta	Farmer	Lloyd	Santoni
Adolph	Fee	Lucyk	Sather
Allen	Fichter	Lynch	Saurman
Argall	Fleagle	Maitland	Saylor
Armstrong	Flick	Manderino	Scheetz
Baker	Freeman	Markosek	Schuler
Barley	Gamble	Marsico	Scrimenti
Battisto	Gannon	Masland	Semmel

Bebko-Jones	Geist	Mayernik	Serafini
Belardi	George	McCall	Smith, B.
Belfanti	Gerlach	McNally	Smith, S. H.
Birmelin	Gigliotti	Melio	Snyder, D. W.
Bishop	Gladeck	Merry	Staback
Blaum	Godshall	Michlovic	Stairs
Boyes	Gordner	Micozzie	Steelman
Brown	Gruitza	Mihalich	Steighner
Bunt	Gruppo	Miller	Steil
Butkovitz	Hanna	Mundy	Stern
Buxton	Harley	Murphy	Stetler
Caltagirone	Hasay	Nailor	Stish
Cappabianca	Heckler	Nickol	Strittmatter
Carn	Hennessey	Nyce	Sturla
Carone	Herman	O'Brien	Surra
Cawley	Hershey	O'Donnell	Tangretti
Cessar	Hess	Olasz	Taylor, E. Z.
Chadwick	Hughes	Oliver	Taylor, J.
Civera	Hutchinson	Perzel	Thomas
Clark	Itkin	Pesci	Tigme
Clymer	Jadlowiec	Petrarca	Tomlinson
Cohen, L. I.	James	Petrone	Trello
Cohen, M.	Jarolin	Pettit	Trich
Colafella	Josephs	Phillips	True
Colaizzo	Kaiser	Piccola	Tulli
Cornell	Kasunic	Pistella	Uliana
Corrigan	Keller	Pitts	Vance
Cowell	Kenney	Platts	Van Horne
Coy	King	Preston	Veon
Curry	Kirkland	Raymond	Vitali
Daley	Krebs	Reber	Waugh
DeLuca	Kukovich	Reinard	Williams
Dempsey	LaGrotta	Richardson	Wogan
Dent	Laub	Rieger	Wozniak
Dermody	Laughlin	Ritter	Wright, D. R.
Donatucci	Lawless	Roberts	Wright, M. N.
Druce	Lederer	Robinson	Yandrisevits
Durham	Lee	Roebuck	Yewcic
Egolf	Leh	Rohrer	Zug
Evans	Lescovitz	Rooney	
Fairchild	Levdansky	Rudy	DeWeese,
Fajt	Linton	Ryan	Speaker
Fargo			

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—4

Bush	Haluska	McGeehan	Rubley
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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.

**RESOLUTIONS**

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Sturla, from Lancaster calls up HR 104, which will be read by the clerk.

The following resolution was read:

**House Resolution No. 104**

**A RESOLUTION**

Designating the week of May 22 through 29, 1993, as "Safe Kids Week" in Pennsylvania.

WHEREAS, A national effort, which began in January 1993 and is culminating during National Safe Kids Week, May 22 through 29, 1993, is presently underway to reduce the risk of injury to America's children; and

WHEREAS, In hundreds of communities across the country, health professionals, injury prevention activists, businesses, children's advocates, policymakers, national organizations, the media and others concerned about children's lives are joining together for this important effort; and

WHEREAS, Childhood injury is a problem that affects every community across this country; and

WHEREAS, The incidence of childhood accidental injury increases dramatically during the summer months when children are released from school and spend a great deal of their recreational hours outdoors; and

WHEREAS, It is vitally important to focus attention on the problem of accidental injury, the need for preventive measures and the need to educate the public on prevention and emergency response; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives designate the week of May 22 through 29, 1993 as "Safe Kids Week" in Pennsylvania and call upon all residents of this Commonwealth to join with thousands of others throughout the nation to make our homes and communities safer for children.

P. Michael Sturla  
 Stephen H. Stetler  
 Sara G. Steelman  
 Phyllis Mundy  
 Jere W. Schuler  
 Katie True

On the question,  
 Will the House adopt the resolution?

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Geist, is recognized.  
 Mr. GEIST. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

May I interrogate the maker of the resolution?

The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Sturla, indicates he will stand for interrogation.

Mr. GEIST. Mr. Speaker, was this resolution circulated for cosponsorship?

Mr. STURLA. No, Mr. Speaker, it was not. I was going to ask that it be held open after the vote. It was just recently drafted. I did not even get a chance to send a memo around, and I wanted to ask that it be held open for everyone to cosponsor.

Mr. GEIST. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

May I be recognized?

The SPEAKER. Mr. Geist, you are recognized.

Mr. GEIST. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This is not the first time that I have risen when we do this business with resolutions like this, and I would ask, without objection, that all members of the House be placed upon this as cosponsors, unless they would like to have their names stricken, rather than put it here for people to go and sign up with. Either that or hold the resolution for voting it and recirculate it for cosponsors, whichever would be your choice. But on resolutions like this, it certainly should be the option of the House to have everybody added to them.

The SPEAKER. Mr. Geist, in the past we have attempted to do that without objection and there have always been objections. I have no inclination that there would be a change in the attitude of the membership. The Chair would politely

admonish the membership to please put these resolutions out with notice as early as possible.

The Chair does not recognize the gentleman, Mr. Geist, having made any motion one way or the other, however. The gentleman makes a valid point, but in the absence of any motion, those in favor will vote "aye"; those opposed will vote "no."

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—198

Acosta	Fargo	Linton	Ryan
Adolph	Farmer	Lloyd	Santoni
Allen	Fee	Lucyk	Sather
Argall	Fichter	Lynch	Saylor
Armstrong	Fleagle	Maitland	Scheetz
Baker	Flick	Manderino	Schuler
Barley	Freeman	Markosek	Scrimenti
Battisto	Gamble	Marsico	Semmel
Bebko-Jones	Gannon	Masland	Serafini
Belardi	Geist	Mayernik	Smith, B.
Belfanti	George	McCall	Smith, S. H.
Birmelin	Gerlach	McNally	Snyder, D. W.
Bishop	Gigliotti	Melio	Staback
Blaum	Gladeck	Merry	Stairs
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Brown	Gordner	Micozzie	Steighner
Bunt	Gruitza	Mihalich	Steil
Butkovitz	Gruppo	Miller	Stern
Buxton	Hanna	Mundy	Stetler
Caltagirone	Harley	Murphy	Stish
Cappabianca	Hasay	Nailor	Strittmatter
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Carone	Hennessey	Nyce	Surra
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Cessar	Hershey	O'Donnell	Taylor, E. Z.
Chadwick	Hess	Olasz	Taylor, J.
Civera	Hughes	Oliver	Thomas
Clark	Hutchinson	Perzel	Tigue
Clymer	Itkin	Pesci	Tomlinson
Cohen, L. I.	Jadlowiec	Petrarca	Trello
Cohen, M.	James	Petrone	Trich
Colafiglia	Jarolin	Pettit	True
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Corrigan	Kasunic	Pistella	Vance
Cowell	Keller	Pitts	Van Horne
Coy	Kenney	Platts	Veon
Curry	King	Preston	Vitali
Daley	Kirkland	Raymond	Waugh
DeLuca	Krebs	Reber	Williams
Dempsey	Kukovich	Reinard	Wogan
Dent	LaGrotta	Richardson	Wozniak
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Fairchild	Lescovitz	Rooney	DeWeese,
Fajt	Levdansky	Rudy	Speaker

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—1

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EXCUSED—4

Bush Haluska McGeehan Rubley

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

The SPEAKER. Responsive to the gentleman, Mr. Geist's inquiry, the resolution will be available at the desk of the clerk for the additional sponsors to sign on board.

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The SPEAKER. The gentleman, Mr. Herman, calls up HR 108, which will be read by the clerk.

The following resolution was read:

House Resolution No. 108

A RESOLUTION

Congratulating WZWW Radio Station in State College for being chosen one of the ten honorees representing "the very best" in the radio industry.

WHEREAS, In 1987, the National Association of Broadcasters established the Crystal Awards to honor and recognize select radio stations for their commitment to community service; and

WHEREAS, This year the National Association of Broadcasters solicited entries from 11,602 radio stations throughout the country; and

WHEREAS, Radio Station WZWW, known to central Pennsylvania residents as 3WZ, was one of the 44 nominees selected; and

WHEREAS, Of the nominees for 1993, 3WZ was chosen one of ten honorees "representing the very best in our industry"; and

WHEREAS, The special honor placed 3WZ in a distinguished group; and

WHEREAS, Out of the 11,602 radio stations nationally, 3WZ was selected as one of the best, the "standard of excellence" in community service, ranking in the top .09% of all radio stations; and

WHEREAS, 3WZ's staff devotes countless hours to events that directly benefit those in need; and

WHEREAS, 3WZ was directly involved in raising over half a million dollars for local charities last year; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives congratulate WZWW Radio Station in State College for being chosen one of ten honorees representing "the very best" in the radio industry; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to W. Dan Barker, WZWW, 863 Benner Pike, State College, Pennsylvania 16801.

Lynn B. Herman  
Ruth C. Rudy  
Michael K. Hanna

On the question,  
Will the House adopt the resolution?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—199

Acosta	Farmer	Lloyd	Santoni
Adolph	Fee	Lucyk	Sather
Allen	Fichter	Lynch	Saurman
Argall	Fleagle	Maitland	Saylor

Armstrong	Flick	Manderino	Scheetz
Baker	Freeman	Markosek	Schuler
Barley	Gamble	Marsico	Scrimenti
Battisto	Gannon	Masland	Semmel
Bebko-Jones	Geist	Mayernik	Serafini
Belardi	George	McCall	Smith, B.
Belfanti	Gerlach	McNally	Smith, S. H.
Birmelin	Gigliotti	Melio	Snyder, D. W.
Bishop	Gladeck	Merry	Staback
Blaum	Godshall	Michlovic	Stairs
Boyes	Gordner	Micozzie	Steelman
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Bunt	Gruppo	Miller	Steil
Butkovitz	Hanna	Mundy	Stern
Buxton	Harley	Murphy	Stetler
Caltagirone	Hasay	Nailor	Stish
Cappabianca	Heckler	Nickol	Strittmatter
Carn	Hennessey	Nyce	Sturla
Carone	Herman	O'Brien	Surra
Cawley	Hershey	O'Donnell	Tangretti
Cessar	Hess	Olasz	Taylor, E. Z.
Chadwick	Hughes	Oliver	Taylor, J.
Civera	Hutchinson	Perzel	Thomas
Clark	Itkin	Pesci	Tigue
Clymer	Jadlowiec	Petrarca	Tomlinson
Cohen, L. I.	James	Petrone	Trello
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Colafella	Josephs	Phillips	True
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Dent	Laub	Rieger	Wozniak
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Evans	Lescovitz	Rooney	
Fairchild	Levdansky	Rudy	DeWeese,
Fajt	Linton	Ryan	Speaker
Fargo			

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—4

Bush Haluska McGeehan Rubley

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

RULES COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, Mr. Itkin, who calls for an immediate meeting of the Rules Committee at the majority leader's podium; an immediate meeting of the Rules Committee at the majority leader's podium.



**HOUSE BILL  
INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

**No. 1649** By Representatives CALTAGIRONE, DeWEESE, PICCOLA, VEON, RICHARDSON, COY, BELARDI, THOMAS, M. COHEN, MELIO, MIHALICH, GIGLIOTTI, GODSHALL, HECKLER, OLASZ, KENNEY, J. TAYLOR, CAWLEY, DeLUCA, REBER, WOGAN, MANDERINO, MILLER, SEMMEL, GERLACH, TRELLO, BELFANTI, LAUGHLIN, BEBKO-JONES, HALUSKA, SERAFINI, OLIVER, RUDY, HERMAN, STISH, TRUE, MAITLAND, BUSH, BUNT, SANTONI, LAUB, BROWN, PESCI, KREBS, SCHULER, L. I. COHEN, PISTELLA, MICOZZIE, KELLER, MARKOSEK, SURRA, COLAIZZO, CORRIGAN, ACOSTA, ROEBUCK, HENNESSEY, ROBERTS, ROBINSON, DERMODY, COWELL, FAJT, LUCYK, HUGHES, NAILOR, COLAFELLA, VAN HORNE, WOZNIAK, DONATUCCI, MASLAND, PETRONE, BOYES, RITTER, CIVERA, DURHAM, LaGROTTA, BATTISTO, LEDERER, PRESTON, STRITTMATTER, O'BRIEN, GEIST, FARGO, WILLIAMS, BISHOP, GRUPPO, JAROLIN, CORNELL, YANDRISEVITS, DALEY, SCRIMENTI, KAISER, STURLA, CLARK, GRUITZA, JAMES, CARN, CAPPABIANCA, ROHRER, CESSAR, McGEEHAN, RIEGER, ARGALL, BUXTON, LEH, TULLI and LEVDANSKY

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, establishing conditions and restrictions on juvenile justice grants to political subdivisions; making appropriations; and making editorial changes.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, May 24, 1993.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION  
INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

**No. 106** By Representatives CAPPABIANCA, SAURMAN, M. COHEN, MARSICO, SCRIMENTI, LAUGHLIN, BAKER, PISTELLA, GORDNER, LEDERER, FAIRCHILD, HERSHEY, MAYERNIK, HENNESSEY, TOMLINSON, HUTCHINSON, DALEY, WAUGH, COLAIZZO, COLAFELLA, STAIRS, LEH, PLATTS, GERLACH, BEBKO-JONES, HESS, STERN, BELFANTI, CLARK, LAUB, MUNDY, MELIO and STABACK

A Concurrent Resolution urging members of the Pennsylvania Congressional delegation to meet periodically with the General Assembly.

Referred to Committee on FEDERAL-STATE RELATIONS, May 24, 1993.

**ADDITIONS AND DELETIONS OF SPONSORS**

The SPEAKER. The Chair acknowledges receipt of additions and deletions of sponsorships of bills.

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

**APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING**

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

Mr. LINTON. Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to call a meeting of the House Appropriations Committee immediately upon the recess in the majority caucus room.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman for the announcement that the Appropriations Committee will meet immediately upon the call of the recess in the majority caucus room. The Chair thanks the vice chairman.

**LABOR RELATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING**

The SPEAKER. Mr. Belfanti is recognized.

Mr. BELFANTI. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

For the purpose of making an announcement.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman may proceed.

Mr. BELFANTI. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

There will be a meeting of the House Labor Relations Committee upon the declaration of a recess in room 40E, 40 East Wing. All members of the House Labor Relations Committee are urged to attend. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Supplementing the Appropriations Committee meeting in the majority caucus room will be a Labor Committee meeting in 40E; 40E, Labor Committee meeting at the call of the recess. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

**RESOLUTION REPORTED  
FROM COMMITTEE**

**HR 82, PN 1693**

By Rep. ITKIN

A Resolution declaring June 1 through 7, 1993, as "Postpolio Syndrome Awareness Week" in Pennsylvania.

RULES.

**DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS**

The SPEAKER. Does the gentleman, Mr. Coy, have an announcement?

Mr. COY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Democratic Caucus will caucus immediately. I understand the Appropriations and one or two other committees are meeting, but as soon as those meetings are through, the Democratic members will caucus in the majority caucus room. We will be caucusing on the items on the calendar for tomorrow and possibly the next day. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Does the Chair interpret that to mean a 2:45 caucus?

Mr. COY. I would say 2:30.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

Democratic caucus, 2:30; Democratic caucus, 2:30.

**REPUBLICAN CAUCUS**

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Mr. Geist.

Mr. GEIST. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Just a word of clarification first. Will we be returning to the floor of the House?

The SPEAKER. No.

Mr. GEIST. Thank you.

The Republicans will caucus immediately. Our leader has words of wisdom for us and then we have a full calendar to do. So I would ask the Republicans to report immediately to the caucus room.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman and agrees with your speculation concerning the sagacity of the leader.

**LIQUOR CONTROL COMMITTEE MEETING**

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Mr. Snyder.

Mr. SNYDER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, in view of the action that was taken on the floor this afternoon, the House Liquor Control Committee will meet earlier tomorrow than originally scheduled. The Liquor Control Committee will meet at 10 a.m. in the minority caucus room.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman, Mr. Snyder.

**RESOLUTION**

Mr. ITKIN called up **HR 19, PN 368**, entitled:

A Resolution memorializing Congress to implement the Electronic Delivery of Benefits program Statewide.

On the question,

Will the House adopt the resolution?

**RESOLUTION RECOMMITTED**

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

Mr. ITKIN. Mr. Speaker, I move that HR 19, PN 368, be recommitted to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Motion was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. There will be no further votes taken today. Members are free to attend the caucuses of their parties.

**CONSUMER AFFAIRS  
COMMITTEE MEETING**

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

Mr. D. R. WRIGHT. Mr. Speaker, there will be a meeting of the Consumer Affairs Committee at the recess tomorrow in 39E.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

**HOUSE BILL  
INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

**No. 1678** By Representatives EVANS, BELARDI, TRELLO, COLAIZZO, MIHALICH, ROONEY, BATTISTO, MELIO and YANDRISEVITS

An Act providing for the review of financial solvency of insurers; and establishing the Insurance Monitoring and Activities Augmentation Account.

Referred to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, May 24, 1993.

**BILLS REREPORTED FROM COMMITTEE**

**HB 149, PN 945**

By Rep. EVANS

An Act allocating a percentage of the net proceeds from all unclaimed funds from sheriffs' sales of residential real property to the Pennsylvania Housing Finance Agency for the purpose of assisting potential home buyers with the financing and purchase of homes at sheriffs' sales.

**APPROPRIATIONS.**

**HB 437, PN 1881 (Amended)**

By Rep. EVANS

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 the entry, extension and discharge of tax claims; and making repeals.

**APPROPRIATIONS.**

**HB 565, PN 1542**

By Rep. EVANS

An Act amending the act of August 26, 1971 (P.L.351, No.91), known as the State Lottery Law, providing for a lottery winnings intercept in relation to defaulted student loans obtained originally through the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency.

**APPROPRIATIONS.**

**HB 1596, PN 1842**

By Rep. EVANS

An Act amending Title 24 (Education) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, adding a definition of "school entity"; further providing for contributions by the Commonwealth and employers and for certain calculations relating to Social Security.

**APPROPRIATIONS.****BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION**

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

**HB 149, PN 945; HB 437, PN 1881; and HB 565, PN 1542.**

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

**SB 688, PN 1068**

By Rep. EVANS

An Act making appropriations from the Workmen's Compensation Administration Fund to the Department of Labor and Industry to provide for the expenses of administering The Pennsylvania Workmen's Compensation Act and The Pennsylvania Occupational

Disease Act for the fiscal year July 1, 1993, to June 30, 1994, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1993.

**APPROPRIATIONS.**

**SB 691, PN 1291 (Amended)**

By Rep. EVANS

An Act providing for the capital budget for the fiscal year 1993-1994.

**APPROPRIATIONS.**

**SB 692, PN 1292 (Amended)**

By Rep. EVANS

An Act making appropriations from the Professional Licensure Augmentation Account and from restricted revenue accounts within the General Fund to the Department of State for use by the Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs in support of the professional licensure boards assigned thereto.

**APPROPRIATIONS.**

**SB 693, PN 744**

By Rep. EVANS

An Act making appropriations from a restricted revenue account within the General Fund and from Federal augmentation funds to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, the Office of Consumer Advocate in the Office of the Attorney General and the Office of Small Business Advocate in the Department of Commerce.

**APPROPRIATIONS.**

**SB 694, PN 745**

By Rep. EVANS

An Act making appropriations to the Treasury Department out of various funds for payment of general obligation debt service.

**APPROPRIATIONS.**

**BILLS REMOVED FROM TABLE**

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader. Mr. ITKIN. Mr. Speaker, I move that the following bills be removed from the table:

SB 694;  
SB 693;  
SB 692;  
SB 691; and  
SB 688.

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

**RECESS**

The SPEAKER. This House stands in recess until the call of the Chair.

**AFTER RECESS**

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

**BILL REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE,  
CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED**

**HB 1548, PN 1800**

By Rep. LESCOVITZ

An Act amending the act of May 6, 1968 (P.L.117, No.61), known as the Site Development Act, extending the expiration of approval authority.

**BUSINESS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.**

**BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS PASSED OVER**

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

**ADJOURNMENT**

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Allegheny County, Mr. Albert Pettit.

Mr. PETTIT. Mr. Speaker, I move that this House do now adjourn until Tuesday, May 25, 1993, at 11 a.m., e.d.t., unless sooner recalled by the Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Motion was agreed to, and at 10:59 p.m., e.d.t., the House adjourned.