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No. 15

### HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

#### THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE (RICHARD R. STEVENSON) PRESIDING

#### PRAYER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE DISPENSED WITH

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the offering of the prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance will be dispensed with.

#### JOURNAL APPROVAL POSTPONED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the approval of the Journal of Tuesday, February 15, 2005, will be postponed until printed.

#### HOUSE BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

**No. 8** By Representatives STAIRS, ROEBUCK, SEMMEL, BASTIAN, BROWNE, CLYMER, FLEAGLE, FLICK, R. MILLER, O'NEILL, SCAVELLO, T. STEVENSON, BISHOP, CURRY, GRUCELA, LEACH, MUNDY, PALLONE, SHANER, STURLA, YUDICHAK, ARGALL, BARRAR, BELFANTI, BOYD, BUNT, BUXTON, CALTAGIRONE, DALEY, DERMODY, FREEMAN, GEIST, GERGELY, GODSHALL, GOOD, HARHAI, HUTCHINSON, JOSEPHS, McILHATTAN, S. MILLER, MUSTIO, NAILOR, PETRARCA, RAYMOND, READSHAW, ROSS, RUBLEY, SANTONI, SATHER, SAYLOR, SCHRODER, B. SMITH, SOLOBAY, STEIL, E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, TIGUE, WASHINGTON, WHEATLEY, WILT, WOJNAROSKI and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act providing for establishment and financing of community colleges; establishing the Board of Community Colleges and Council of Presidents; providing for the members, structure, powers and duties and chief executive officer of the Board of Community Colleges and Council of Presidents; further providing for the powers and duties of State Board of Education; providing for appropriations and the allocation of funds for community colleges, for audits, for powers and duties of board of trustees, for tuition and for financial plan, for reimbursement of payments and for capital expenses of community colleges; and making related repeals.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, February 16, 2005.

**No. 130** By Representatives DALEY, DeWEESE, BUNT, VEON, SOLOBAY, LaGROTTA, HARHAI, LEACH, SAINATO, WATERS, MARKOSEK, CAWLEY, YUDICHAK, LESCOVITZ, CALTAGIRONE, MELIO, SHANER, WRIGHT, KOTIK, GOODMAN, GRUCELA, SURRA, McCALL, FLEAGLE, HALUSKA, THOMAS, BUXTON, WOJNAROSKI, MAHER, WASHINGTON, BELARDI, HERMAN, McILHATTAN, READSHAW, ALLEN, CAPPELLI, HUTCHINSON, McGEEHAN, CASORIO, PALLONE, PISTELLA, EACHUS, CREIGHTON, SCAVELLO, FABRIZIO, BEBKO-JONES, BELFANTI, YOUNGBLOOD, KIRKLAND, OLIVER, REED, HANNA, PETRONE, B. SMITH, SCHRODER, PRESTON, GEIST, McNAUGHTON, LEDERER, GERGELY, JOSEPHS, PETRARCA, CRAHALLA, TANGRETTI, DALLY, YEWIC, COSTA and WANSACZ

An Act amending Titles 24 (Education) and 71 (State Government) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for eligibility for early retirement benefits.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 131** By Representatives DALEY, DeWEESE, BUNT, VEON, E. Z. TAYLOR, SOLOBAY, LaGROTTA, HARHAI, LEACH, SAINATO, WATERS, MARKOSEK, CAWLEY, YUDICHAK, LESCOVITZ, CALTAGIRONE, MELIO, SHANER, WRIGHT, KOTIK, GOODMAN, GRUCELA, SURRA, McCALL, FLEAGLE, HALUSKA, THOMAS, BUXTON, WOJNAROSKI, MAHER, WASHINGTON, BELARDI, HERMAN, McILHATTAN, READSHAW, ALLEN, CAPPELLI, HUTCHINSON, McGEEHAN, CASORIO, PALLONE, PISTELLA, EACHUS, CREIGHTON, SCAVELLO, FABRIZIO, BEBKO-JONES, BELFANTI, YOUNGBLOOD, KIRKLAND, OLIVER, REED, HANNA, STABACK, PETRONE, B. SMITH, SCHRODER, PRESTON, McNAUGHTON, LEDERER, GERGELY, CURRY, JOSEPHS, PETRARCA, FREEMAN, CRAHALLA, TANGRETTI, DALLY, YEWIC, COSTA and WANSACZ

An Act amending Titles 24 (Education) and 71 (State Government) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for cost-of-living adjustments for retirees.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 200** By Representatives MUNDY, BROWNE, BEBKO-JONES, BELARDI, BELFANTI, BISHOP, BLACKWELL, BLAUM, BUNT, CALTAGIRONE, CAWLEY, CORRIGAN, CRAHALLA, CURRY, DALEY, DALLY, DeWEESE, FABRIZIO, FLICK, FRANKEL,

FREEMAN, GERGELY, GOODMAN, GRUCELA, GRUITZA, HARHAI, HERMAN, JAMES, JOSEPHS, W. KELLER, LaGROTTA, LEACH, MACKERETH, MANDERINO, MANN, MARKOSEK, McCALL, NAILOR, PALLONE, PETRARCA, PISTELLA, READSHAW, REICHLEY, ROEBUCK, ROSS, SAINATO, SAMUELSON, SANTONI, SEMMEL, SHANER, SOLOBAY, STABACK, STAIRS, STETLER, STURLA, SURRA, THOMAS, TIGUE, WALKO, WANSACZ, WHEATLEY, YOUNGBLOOD, YUDICHAK, TRUE, VEON, GERBER, SHAPIRO, D. EVANS, BIANCUCCI, DERMODY and RAMALEY

An Act providing for the strengthening and enrichment of children and families by promoting safe, healthy and nurturing home environments, for the educational and supportive services of home visiting programs in this Commonwealth, for the Ounce of Prevention Program and for integrated community-based delivery of services; specifying program requirements; designating an oversight board; providing for responsibilities of the board and the Department of Public Welfare; specifying criteria for community program grant funding; requiring training and an independent evaluation process; and providing for quality assurance.

Referred to Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, February 16, 2005.

**No. 500** By Representatives VITALI, BELARDI, CALTAGIRONE, CAWLEY, COHEN, CURRY, FABRIZIO, FRANKEL, FREEMAN, GEORGE, GERGELY, GOOD, GOODMAN, HARPER, HENNESSEY, JAMES, JOSEPHS, KIRKLAND, LaGROTTA, LEACH, LEDERER, LEVDANSKY, MANDERINO, McCALL, McGEEHAN, MELIO, MICOZZIE, MUNDY, OLIVER, O'NEILL, PETRARCA, PISTELLA, ROEBUCK, ROSS, RUBLEY, SCAVELLO, SHAPIRO, STABACK, STETLER, STURLA, SURRA, TANGRETTI, THOMAS, WALKO, WANSACZ, WASHINGTON, WHEATLEY, YOUNGBLOOD and YUDICHAK

An Act providing for report on global warming impacts and economic opportunities, for greenhouse gases inventory, for greenhouse gases plan of action and for duties of the Department of Environmental Protection.

Referred to Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, February 16, 2005.

**No. 562** By Representatives DeWEESE, BUXTON, DALEY, GEORGE, GOODMAN, GRUCELA, HARHAI, JAMES, LaGROTTA, LEVDANSKY, McCALL, McGEEHAN, MYERS, NICKOL, READSHAW, ROONEY, RUFFING, SHANER, SOLOBAY, STABACK, STURLA, TIGUE, VEON, WALKO and WOJNAROSKI

An Act amending the act of June 26, 2001 (P.L.755, No.77), known as the Tobacco Settlement Act, further providing for Tobacco Settlement Investment Board.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 563** By Representatives ELLIS, HUTCHINSON, R. STEVENSON, WILT, SONNEY, LEH, MILLARD, PETRI, ARGALL, M. KELLER, QUIGLEY, HARRIS, REED and TURZAI

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, further providing for, in personal income tax, returns and liability.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 564** By Representatives BAKER, ARGALL, E. Z. TAYLOR, ARMSTRONG, BALDWIN, BARRAR, BASTIAN, BOYD, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CAUSER, CIVERA, CLYMER, CRAHALLA, CREIGHTON, J. EVANS, FLEAGLE, FORCIER, GEIST, GEORGE, GILLESPIE, GINGRICH, GOODMAN, GRUCELA, HARPER, HARRIS, M. KELLER, LEDERER, MACKERETH, MAJOR, McILHATTAN, R. MILLER, S. MILLER, O'NEILL, PALLONE, PICKETT, PISTELLA, SATHER, SCAVELLO, SOLOBAY, R. STEVENSON, THOMAS, TIGUE, TRUE, WILT and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act providing for college and university faculty and staff criminal history background investigations and self-disclosure requirements.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, February 16, 2005.

**No. 565** By Representatives BAKER, ARGALL, CLYMER, DeWEESE, ARMSTRONG, BALDWIN, BISHOP, BOYD, BROWNE, BUNT, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CASORIO, CAUSER, CAWLEY, DENLINGER, FABRIZIO, FAIRCHILD, FICHTER, FLEAGLE, FREEMAN, GEIST, GEORGE, GERGELY, GINGRICH, GOOD, GOODMAN, GRUCELA, HARRIS, HERSHEY, HUTCHINSON, JAMES, KILLION, LEACH, LEDERER, MACKERETH, MAJOR, MANDERINO, MANN, McILHATTAN, R. MILLER, S. MILLER, MUNDY, NAILOR, O'NEILL, PAYNE, PETRONE, PHILLIPS, READSHAW, ROHRER, RUBLEY, SCAVELLO, SCHRODER, R. STEVENSON, E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, WANSACZ, WHEATLEY, YEWIC, YOUNGBLOOD and SAYLOR

An Act amending the act of May 21, 1992 (P.L.241, No.36), referred to as the Credit Card Information Act, prohibiting certain credit card information on receipts.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, February 16, 2005.

**No. 566** By Representatives BAKER, CLYMER, E. Z. TAYLOR, REICHLEY, BELARDI, BOYD, BROWNE, BUNT, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CAUSER, DeWEESE, FREEMAN, GEORGE, GERGELY, GINGRICH, GOOD, GOODMAN, HENNESSEY, HERSHEY, JAMES, KILLION, LEDERER, MAJOR, MILLARD, S. MILLER, NAILOR, O'NEILL, PETRARCA, PHILLIPS, PICKETT, PISTELLA, SCAVELLO, SCHRODER, SEMMEL, SHANER, THOMAS, TIGUE, WILT and YUDICHAK

An Act amending the act of December 19, 1990 (P.L.1234, No.204), known as the Family Caregiver Support Act, further providing for reimbursements.

Referred to Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, February 16, 2005.

**No. 567** By Representatives BIRMELIN, CALTAGIRONE, BASTIAN, CAPPELLI, CRAHALLA, J. EVANS, KILLION, LEH, PALLONE, REICHLEY, ROHRER, RUBLEY, SATHER, STABACK, E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, TIGUE, WILT, YOUNGBLOOD and O'NEILL

An Act providing for administration of employee records; imposing powers and duties on the Department of Labor and Industry; imposing penalties; and making a related repeal.

Referred to Committee on LABOR RELATIONS, February 16, 2005.

**No. 568** By Representatives LESCOVITZ, CALTAGIRONE, DeLUCA, GRUCELA, KOTIK, LEACH, PALLONE, READSHAW, SCAVELLO, SHANER, SOLOBAY, TANGRETTI and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, further providing for penalties for violation of compulsory attendance requirements.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, February 16, 2005.

**No. 569** By Representatives LESCOVITZ, CALTAGIRONE, DeLUCA, DeWEESE, FABRIZIO, GRUCELA, KOTIK, LEACH, MARKOSEK, PALLONE, PETRARCA, READSHAW, SOLOBAY, J. TAYLOR, YOUNGBLOOD, SAINATO, TANGRETTI and WILT

An Act amending the act of December 19, 1988 (P.L.1262, No.156), known as the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act, further providing for prize limits, for sales limited and for special permits.

Referred to Committee on TOURISM AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, February 16, 2005.

**No. 570** By Representatives LESCOVITZ, CALTAGIRONE, DeLUCA, DeWEESE, FABRIZIO, KOTIK, LEACH, MAHER, MARKOSEK, PALLONE, READSHAW, SCAVELLO, B. SMITH, TANGRETTI, SHANER and SOLOBAY

An Act designating the Pennsylvania Trolley Museum as the official trolley museum of Pennsylvania.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, February 16, 2005.

**No. 571** By Representatives LESCOVITZ, CALTAGIRONE, DeLUCA, GRUCELA, HERSHEY, KOTIK, LEACH, PALLONE, SHANER, SOLOBAY, TANGRETTI, WILT and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending the act of November 24, 1976 (P.L.1163, No.259), referred to as the Generic Equivalent Drug Law, further providing information on drug labels.

Referred to Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, February 16, 2005.

**No. 572** By Representatives LESCOVITZ, CALTAGIRONE, DeLUCA, LEACH, SHANER, SOLOBAY, TANGRETTI and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending the act of July 28, 1953 (P.L.723, No.230), known as the Second Class County Code, requiring refund procedures for erroneously collected county sales and use tax.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 573** By Representatives LESCOVITZ, THOMAS, BIANCUCCI, CALTAGIRONE, CORRIGAN, DALEY, GEIST, GEORGE, GOODMAN, GRUCELA, HUTCHINSON, JAMES, MAHER, SHANER, WALKO, LEDERER, SAINATO, TIGUE and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, further providing for classes of income.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 574** By Representatives LESCOVITZ, THOMAS, BIANCUCCI, BOYD, CALTAGIRONE, DALEY, GEORGE, GOODMAN, GRUCELA, MAHER, PALLONE, PRESTON, SHANER, WALKO, SAINATO, STABACK and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for unlawful transmission of electronic mail; and providing for misuse of adware or spyware.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, February 16, 2005.

**No. 575** By Representatives LESCOVITZ, THOMAS, BIANCUCCI, CALTAGIRONE, DONATUCCI, GEORGE, GRUCELA, LEDERER, PRESTON, SHANER and TIGUE

An Act amending Title 25 (Elections) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for public information lists.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, February 16, 2005.

**No. 576** By Representatives LESCOVITZ, THOMAS, BIANCUCCI, CALTAGIRONE, BELARDI, DeWEESE, GEORGE, GRUCELA, PRESTON, REICHLEY, SHANER, TIGUE and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending the act of December 17, 1968 (P.L.1224, No.387), known as the Unfair Trade Practices and Consumer Protection Law, further defining unfair or deceptive acts or practices; and further providing for unlawful acts or practices.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, February 16, 2005.

**No. 577** By Representatives LESCOVITZ, THOMAS, BIANCUCCI, CALTAGIRONE, BOYD, GEORGE, GRUCELA, PRESTON, TIGUE and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, further providing for notice for purchase of real property.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, February 16, 2005.

**No. 578** By Representatives LESCOVITZ, THOMAS, BIANCUCCI, CALTAGIRONE, PALLONE and PRESTON

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for reports on mental or physical disabilities or disorders.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, February 16, 2005.

**No. 579** By Representatives LESCOVITZ, THOMAS, BIANCUCCI, CALTAGIRONE, PALLONE, PRESTON and SHANER

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

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, February 16, 2005.

**No. 580** By Representatives NICKOL, ARGALL, ARMSTRONG, BELFANTI, BENNINGHOFF, BOYD, BUNT, BUXTON, CAPPELLI, CAWLEY, CLYMER, CORNELL, COSTA, CRAHALLA, CURRY, DeLUCA, DENLINGER, DeWEESE, ELLIS, J. EVANS, FABRIZIO, FAIRCHILD, FICHTER, FLEAGLE, FLICK, FREEMAN, GEIST, GEORGE, GILLESPIE, GINGRICH, GODSHALL, GOODMAN, GRUCELA, HARRIS, HENNESSEY, HERSHEY, HICKERNELL, HUTCHINSON, KAUFFMAN, KENNEY, KILLION, KOTIK, LEACH, LEH, LEVDANSKY, MACKERETH, MAHER, MAJOR, MANDERINO, MANN, MARKOSEK, MARSICO, McGILL, McNAUGHTON, MELIO, MILLARD, R. MILLER, S. MILLER, MUNDY, NAILOR, O'NEILL, PALLONE, PETRI, PICKETT, PISTELLA, REED, ROHRER, RUBLEY, SANTONI, SATHER, SAYLOR, SCAVELLO, SCHRODER, SEMMEL, SHANER, SOLOBAY, STABACK, STEIL, STETLER, T. STEVENSON, STURLA, SURRA, E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, TIGUE, TRUE, WALKO, WANSACZ, WATSON, WILT, YOUNGBLOOD and ZUG

An Act amending the act of December 31, 1965 (P.L.1257, No.511), known as The Local Tax Enabling Act, further providing for payment of the emergency and municipal services tax.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 581** By Representative NICKOL

An Act amending the act of December 18, 1984 (P.L.1005, No.205), known as the Municipal Pension Plan Funding Standard and Recovery Act, providing for the certification of municipal pension costs.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 582** By Representatives McGEEHAN, BISHOP, CALTAGIRONE, CRUZ, DALEY, GRUCELA, HENNESSEY, JAMES, JOSEPHS, LEDERER,

MANDERINO, PISTELLA, STABACK, THOMAS, WALKO and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, further providing for the Public Transportation Assistance Fund.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 583** By Representatives SAYLOR, SATHER, DeLUCA, ARGALL, BAKER, BALDWIN, BARRAR, BEBKO-JONES, BELARDI, BUNT, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CAUSER, CLYMER, COSTA, CRAHALLA, CREIGHTON, DALEY, DeWEESE, J. EVANS, FABRIZIO, FEESE, FICHTER, FLEAGLE, FORCIER, FREEMAN, GEORGE, GINGRICH, GODSHALL, GOOD, GRELL, GRUCELA, HANNA, HARHAI, HARRIS, HERMAN, HERSHEY, HESS, HICKERNELL, HUTCHINSON, KILLION, KOTIK, LaGROTTA, MAHER, MAITLAND, MAJOR, MANN, MARKOSEK, MARSICO, McGEEHAN, McILHATTAN, MICOZZIE, MILLARD, R. MILLER, S. MILLER, MUNDY, NAILOR, O'NEILL, PAYNE, PETRARCA, PHILLIPS, PICKETT, PYLE, RAYMOND, READSHAW, REED, REICHLEY, ROBERTS, ROSS, RUBLEY, SANTONI, SCAVELLO, SCHRODER, SHANER, B. SMITH, SOLOBAY, STABACK, STAIRS, STERN, R. STEVENSON, T. STEVENSON, SURRA, E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, TIGUE, WATSON, WILT, WRIGHT, YEWIC, YOUNGBLOOD, YUDICHAK, ZUG, WANSACZ, BOYD, GOODMAN, WALKO, WASHINGTON, DALLY, BELFANTI, PALLONE, GILLESPIE, GEIST, CASORIO, JAMES, PISTELLA and McNAUGHTON

An Act amending the act of July 31, 2003 (P.L.73, No.17), known as the Volunteer Fire Company and Volunteer Ambulance Service Grant Act, further providing for award of grants and for expiration of authority.

Referred to Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, February 16, 2005.

**No. 584** By Representatives CAPPELLI, ARMSTRONG, BAKER, BARRAR, BOYD, BROWNE, CALTAGIRONE, CORRIGAN, COSTA, DeWEESE, EACHUS, FLICK, GABIG, GEIST, GOODMAN, HARHART, HARRIS, HENNESSEY, HERMAN, HERSHEY, M. KELLER, KILLION, LEACH, LEDERER, MACKERETH, MANN, MARSICO, McILHATTAN, METCALFE, MILLARD, R. MILLER, S. MILLER, NAILOR, REICHLEY, ROHRER, SAINATO, SCAVELLO, SCHRODER, SHANER, STABACK, E. Z. TAYLOR, J. TAYLOR, THOMAS, TIGUE, TURZAI, WANSACZ, WILT, YOUNGBLOOD and ZUG

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, further providing for special tax provisions for poverty.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 585** By Representatives O'NEILL, BALDWIN, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CAWLEY, CLYMER, CRAHALLA, CREIGHTON, FLEAGLE, GINGRICH, HARRIS, HENNESSEY, LEDERER, MANDERINO,

McILHATTAN, PETRI, REICHLEY, SCAVELLO, STERN, E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS and WANSACZ

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

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, February 16, 2005.

**No. 586** By Representatives O'NEILL, ARMSTRONG, BOYD, CALTAGIRONE, CAWLEY, CORNELL, CREIGHTON, GEIST, GINGRICH, GRUCELA, JAMES, PALLONE, PHILLIPS, ROHRER, RUBLEY, SCAVELLO, E. Z. TAYLOR, WALKO, WANSACZ, WATSON, WILT and YOUNGBLOOD

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

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, February 16, 2005.

**No. 587** By Representatives BARRAR, E. Z. TAYLOR, GANNON, MICOZZIE, CIVERA, FLICK, HERSHEY, RAYMOND, ADOLPH, HENNESSEY, RUBLEY, SCHRODER, ROSS, KILLION, KIRKLAND, BALDWIN, BEBKO-JONES, BELFANTI, BENNINGHOFF, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CLYMER, CORRIGAN, CREIGHTON, CRUZ, DALEY, DeWEESE, J. EVANS, FICHTER, FORCIER, FREEMAN, GILLESPIE, GINGRICH, GOODMAN, HARHAI, HARRIS, HESS, MAJOR, MANN, McILHATTAN, MUSTIO, PALLONE, PICKETT, ROBERTS, ROHRER, SAINATO, SCAVELLO, SHANER, B. SMITH, THOMAS, TIGUE, WALKO, WASHINGTON, WATSON, WOJNAROSKI, YOUNGBLOOD, ZUG, SURRA and DeLUCA

An Act designating a section of State Route 322 in Delaware County as the Senator Clarence D. Bell Memorial Highway.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, February 16, 2005.

**No. 588** By Representatives BARRAR, ARGALL, ARMSTRONG, CALTAGIRONE, DeWEESE, GEORGE, GOODMAN, KILLION, LEDERER, SCHRODER, SEMMEL, STERN, E. Z. TAYLOR, J. TAYLOR, TIGUE, WALKO, WRIGHT and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for initial decisions and release of documents.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, February 16, 2005.

**No. 589** By Representatives BARRAR, CALTAGIRONE, CIVERA, CRAHALLA, HARRIS, KILLION, MANDERINO, MUSTIO, O'NEILL, PAYNE, E. Z. TAYLOR, J. TAYLOR, WILT and YOUNGBLOOD

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

Referred to Committee on LIQUOR CONTROL, February 16, 2005.

**No. 590** By Representatives BARRAR, ARMSTRONG, BELFANTI, BLACKWELL, CURRY, DeWEESE, GEORGE, JAMES, MILLARD, MUNDY, PHILLIPS, RAYMOND, ROHRER, RUBLEY, SAINATO, SHANER, SOLOBAY, TANGRETTI, E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, WALKO and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending the act of June 2, 1915 (P.L.736, No.338), known as the Workers' Compensation Act, further providing for periodic payment of compensation, for powers of referees and for regulations.

Referred to Committee on LABOR RELATIONS, February 16, 2005.

**No. 591** By Representatives BARRAR, BLACKWELL, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CREIGHTON, DALEY, GABIG, GEIST, HERSHEY, JAMES, METCALFE, PALLONE, STABACK, STERN, E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, WALKO and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, prohibiting school officials or employees from recommending that a child use psychotropic or sympathomimetic drugs.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, February 16, 2005.

**No. 592** By Representatives BARRAR, BALDWIN, KILLION, LEDERER and E. Z. TAYLOR

An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, providing for transfer of the functions and duties of the Bureau of Liquor Control Enforcement of the Pennsylvania State Police to municipal and regional police departments.

Referred to Committee on LIQUOR CONTROL, February 16, 2005.

**No. 593** By Representatives SANTONI, TIGUE, DENLINGER, GOOD, PISTELLA, YOUNGBLOOD, KILLION, PRESTON, SOLOBAY, HARRIS, FREEMAN, HENNESSEY, DALEY, CALTAGIRONE and GERGELY

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, further providing for eligibility and incompatible offices for school directors.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, February 16, 2005.

**No. 594** By Representatives SANTONI, BELARDI, THOMAS, LEDERER, GEIST, WALKO, PISTELLA, YOUNGBLOOD, KIRKLAND, JAMES, DALEY, CALTAGIRONE, GERGELY and WANSACZ

An Act amending the act of November 20, 1968 (P.L.1075, No.329), referred to as the Public Television Network System Law, providing for the establishment of a Public Access, Educational Access and Governmental Access Television Advisory Council and defining its powers and duties; establishing the Public Access, Educational Access and Governmental Access Capital Improvement Fund; and making an appropriation.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, February 16, 2005.

**No. 595** By Representatives SANTONI, TIGUE, STABACK, GEIST, PAYNE, GOOD, READSHAW, MARKOSEK, YOUNGBLOOD, BAKER, FABRIZIO, FAIRCHILD, CAWLEY, KILLION, BEBKO-JONES, SOLOBAY, SAINATO, BUNT, DALEY, CALTAGIRONE, GERGELY and BOYD

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

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, February 16, 2005.

**No. 596** By Representatives SANTONI, TIGUE, THOMAS, CORRIGAN, STABACK, WALKO, STURLA, YOUNGBLOOD, EACHUS, FABRIZIO, MANN, LEACH, CAWLEY, GOODMAN, SOLOBAY, MELIO, FREEMAN, KIRKLAND, LEH, JAMES, DALEY, CALTAGIRONE, FRANKEL, BIANCUCCI, GERGELY and BROWNE

An Act amending the act of August 24, 1951 (P.L.1304, No.315), known as the Local Health Administration Law, defining "public health emergency"; providing for public health emergency response, for public health monitoring and for public health assessment; and further providing for State grants to county departments of health and to certain municipalities.

Referred to Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, February 16, 2005.

**No. 597** By Representatives SANTONI, DeWEESE, TIGUE, THOMAS, BELARDI, D. EVANS, CORRIGAN, JAMES, STABACK, GEIST, WALKO, PISTELLA, SHANER, YOUNGBLOOD, EACHUS, FABRIZIO, MANN, CAWLEY, GOODMAN, BEBKO-JONES, SOLOBAY, MELIO, DALEY, CALTAGIRONE, GERGELY, BROWNE, PETRARCA, BISHOP and WANSACZ

An Act establishing the Center for Long-Term Care Technical Assistance and Resource Development; providing for its duties; prescribing powers and duties of the Department of Aging; and imposing a penalty.

Referred to Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, February 16, 2005.

**No. 598** By Representatives SANTONI, TIGUE, NAILOR, BELARDI, JAMES, STABACK, DERMODY, ROONEY, PAYNE, BUXTON, GOOD, MARKOSEK, McILHINNEY, PISTELLA, YOUNGBLOOD, GRUCELA, FABRIZIO, GOODMAN, SOLOBAY, THOMAS, HENNESSEY, SAINATO, PETRONE, DALEY, McGEEHAN, CALTAGIRONE, PICKETT, PALLONE and GERGELY

An Act amending the act of July 10, 1981 (P.L.214, No.67), known as the Bingo Law, further defining "bona fide member."

Referred to Committee on TOURISM AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, February 16, 2005.

**No. 599** By Representatives NAILOR, SEMMEL, FLEAGLE, HARRIS, ARGALL, BAKER, BALDWIN, BARRAR, BASTIAN, BEBKO-JONES, BELARDI, BELFANTI, BOYD, BROWNE, BUNT, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CAUSER, CAWLEY, CLYMER, CRAHALLA, CREIGHTON, CURRY, DALLY, DeLUCA, DeWEESE, J. EVANS, FABRIZIO, FAIRCHILD, FEESE, FICHTER, FLICK, FREEMAN, GABIG, GEIST, GEORGE, GILLESPIE, GINGRICH, GOOD, GOODMAN, GRELL, GRUCELA, HARHAI, HERMAN, HERSHEY, HESS, HICKERNELL, HUTCHINSON, JAMES, KILLION, KIRKLAND, LEACH, MACKERETH, MAITLAND, MAJOR, MANN, MARKOSEK, MARSICO, McILHATTAN, MICOZZIE, R. MILLER, S. MILLER, MUNDY, MUSTIO, O'NEILL, PALLONE, PAYNE, PETRARCA, PHILLIPS, READSHAW, REED, REICHLEY, ROBERTS, ROSS, RUBLEY, SANTONI, SATHER, SCAVELLO, SCHRODER, SHANER, B. SMITH, SOLOBAY, R. STEVENSON, SURRA, E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, TIGUE, TRUE, WALKO, WANSACZ, WATSON, WILT, YEWCIC, YOUNGBLOOD, ZUG, DENLINGER and SAYLOR

An Act amending the act of July 31, 2003 (P.L.73, No.17), known as the Volunteer Fire Company and Volunteer Ambulance Service Grant Act, further providing for award of grants, for expenses incurred by the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency; and providing for allocation of appropriated funds.

Referred to Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, February 16, 2005.

**No. 600** By Representatives NAILOR, BLAUM, FAIRCHILD, GABIG, ALLEN, BAKER, BALDWIN, BASTIAN, BEBKO-JONES, BELARDI, BELFANTI, BENNINGHOFF, BISHOP, BOYD, BROWNE, BUNT, BUXTON, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CAUSER, CAWLEY, CIVERA, CLYMER, CRAHALLA, DALEY, DALLY, DeLUCA, DeWEESE, FABRIZIO, FICHTER, FLEAGLE, FLICK, FORCIER, FRANKEL, GEIST, GEORGE, GERGELY, GILLESPIE, GINGRICH, GOODMAN, GRELL, GRUCELA, HARHAI, HARRIS, HENNESSEY, HERMAN, HERSHEY, HESS, HICKERNELL, HUTCHINSON, JAMES, M. KELLER, KENNEY, KILLION, KIRKLAND, LEACH, LEDERER, LEH, LESCOVITZ, MACKERETH, MAITLAND, MANDERINO, MANN, MARKOSEK, MARSICO, McCALL, McGEEHAN, McILHATTAN, METCALFE, R. MILLER, S. MILLER, MUSTIO, O'NEILL, PALLONE, PETRARCA, PHILLIPS, PICKETT, PYLE, RAYMOND, READSHAW, REICHLEY, ROHRER, ROSS, RUBLEY, SAINATO, SAMUELSON, SANTONI, SATHER, SCAVELLO, SCHRODER, SHANER, B. SMITH, SOLOBAY, STABACK, STERN, R. STEVENSON, T. STEVENSON, SURRA, E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, TRUE, WALKO, WATSON, WILT, WOJNAROSKI, YEWCIC, YOUNGBLOOD, YUDICHAK, ZUG, DENLINGER, SAYLOR and McILHINNEY

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, providing for military tax credits for employers who pay or subsidize the wages of an employee called to active duty.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 601** By Representatives PHILLIPS, GEIST, TIGUE, ARMSTRONG, BASTIAN, BELFANTI, BENNINGHOFF, BUNT, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CRAHALLA, CREIGHTON, DALEY, FLEAGLE, GERGELY, GILLESPIE, HARRIS, HENNESSEY, HERSHEY, HESS, M. KELLER, LEDERER, MANN, MILLARD, O'NEILL, PALLONE, PICKETT, PYLE, READSHAW, SAINATO, SATHER, SCAVELLO, SHANER, SOLOBAY, STABACK, STERN, E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, WATSON and WILT

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for chemical testing to determine amount of alcohol or controlled substance.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, February 16, 2005.

**No. 602** By Representatives PHILLIPS, GEIST, STABACK, ARMSTRONG, BUNT, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CAWLEY, CREIGHTON, FICHTER, GODSHALL, HARRIS, HESS, LEH, REICHLEY, ROHRER, SATHER and SCHRODER

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for speed timing devices.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, February 16, 2005.

**No. 603** By Representatives B. SMITH, STABACK and SURRA

An Act amending Title 71 (State Government) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further defining "enforcement officer" to include certain Pennsylvania Game Commission employees.

Referred to Committee on GAME AND FISHERIES, February 16, 2005.

**No. 604** By Representatives RAYMOND, BARRAR, BENNINGHOFF, BUNT, CAPPELLI, CORNELL, CRAHALLA, DALLY, DERMODY, DONATUCCI, FAIRCHILD, FICHTER, GERGELY, GODSHALL, HANNA, HARHAI, HARHART, HARRIS, HUTCHINSON, JAMES, KILLION, LEH, MAHER, MARSICO, McNAUGHTON, NAILOR, PAYNE, PETRI, PICKETT, READSHAW, RUBLEY, SAINATO, SCHRODER, R. STEVENSON, THOMAS, WATSON, DeLUCA, O'NEILL and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending the act of June 9, 1936 (Sp.Sess., P.L.13, No.4), entitled, as reenacted and amended, "An act imposing an emergency State tax on liquor, as herein defined, sold by the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board; providing for the collection and payment of such tax; and imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue and the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board," further providing for the rate of taxation.

Referred to Committee on LIQUOR CONTROL, February 16, 2005.

**No. 605** By Representatives RAYMOND, BARRAR, BUNT, CORNELL, DONATUCCI, J. EVANS, FICHTER, HARRIS, W. KELLER, KILLION, PAYNE, PETRI, SATHER and O'NEILL

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

Referred to Committee on LIQUOR CONTROL, February 16, 2005.

**No. 606** By Representatives ROEBUCK, DeWEESE, CURRY, GRUCELA, HERMAN, MUNDY, R. MILLER, STURLA, BISHOP, BELARDI, BLACKWELL, BOYD, BROWNE, BUXTON, CALTAGIRONE, CLYMER, CRAHALLA, DALEY, FABRIZIO, FRANKEL, HARPER, JAMES, JOSEPHS, MANN, McILHATTAN, PISTELLA, PRESTON, REICHLEY, SCAVELLO, STABACK, THOMAS, TIGUE, WALKO, WANSACZ and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, further providing for payment of educational support services grants.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, February 16, 2005.

**No. 607** By Representatives SEMMEL, LEH, PISTELLA, THOMAS, BAKER, BALDWIN, BARRAR, BASTIAN, BEBKO-JONES, BENNINGHOFF, BOYD, BUNT, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CAWLEY, CREIGHTON, DALEY, DALLY, FAIRCHILD, FICHTER, FORCIER, GEIST, GEORGE, GINGRICH, GODSHALL, GOODMAN, HANNA, HARRIS, HASAY, HERMAN, HERSHEY, HESS, HUTCHINSON, KILLION, KOTIK, LEDERER, MACKERETH, MARSICO, McILHATTAN, McNAUGHTON, METCALFE, S. MILLER, MUSTIO, NAILOR, PAYNE, PETRARCA, PHILLIPS, PICKETT, RAYMOND, READSHAW, REICHLEY, RUBLEY, SATHER, SCAVELLO, SCHRODER, SHANER, B. SMITH, SOLOBAY, STABACK, R. STEVENSON, T. STEVENSON, E. Z. TAYLOR, WATSON, ZUG, DeLUCA, O'NEILL, McILHINNEY, YOUNGBLOOD and SAYLOR

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, further providing for the imposition of inheritance tax, for the rate of inheritance tax and for returns.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 608** By Representatives SEMMEL, TIGUE, BASTIAN, SOLOBAY, BEBKO-JONES, BELFANTI, BOYD, BROWNE, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CAUSER, CLYMER, CORRIGAN, CRAHALLA, DALEY, DeWEESE, FICHTER, FRANKEL, GEIST, GEORGE, GINGRICH, HALUSKA, HENNESSEY, HERMAN, HESS, M. KELLER, KILLION, LEH, MAHER, MANN, MARSICO, MILLARD, R. MILLER, S. MILLER, O'NEILL, PAYNE, PICKETT, REICHLEY, RUBLEY, SANTONI, SATHER, SCHRODER, B. SMITH,

STABACK, STERN, E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, WALKO, YOUNGBLOOD and ZUG

An Act amending the act of December 7, 1990 (P.L.639, No.165), known as the Hazardous Material Emergency Planning and Response Act, further providing for certified hazardous material response teams; establishing a low-interest revolving loan program for certain business entities that store or handle hazardous materials; and making an appropriation.

Referred to Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, February 16, 2005.

**No. 609** By Representatives SEMMEL, McGEEHAN, TIGUE, SATHER, BALDWIN, BASTIAN, BEBKO-JONES, BELFANTI, BOYD, BROWNE, CALTAGIRONE, CORRIGAN, COSTA, CRAHALLA, DALEY, GEIST, GINGRICH, GOOD, GOODMAN, HARHAI, HENNESSEY, HERMAN, M. KELLER, KILLION, LEACH, MANN, MILLARD, R. MILLER, S. MILLER, MUSTIO, O'NEILL, PAYNE, PETRONE, PHILLIPS, SCAVELLO, SCHRODER, SOLOBAY, E. Z. TAYLOR, J. TAYLOR, THOMAS, WALKO, WATSON, YOUNGBLOOD and YUDICHAK

An Act providing for a loan program to assist colleges to install automatic fire suppression systems in student residences; establishing the Sprinkler Loan Fund; providing for the powers and duties of the Department of Community and Economic Development; and prescribing a penalty.

Referred to Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, February 16, 2005.

**No. 610** By Representatives PETRI, BELFANTI, DALEY, HERSHEY, JAMES, E. Z. TAYLOR and O'NEILL

An Act amending the act of May 1, 1933 (P.L.103, No.69), known as The Second Class Township Code, further providing for location, lines, grades and width of curbs and sidewalks or footpaths and costs.

Referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, February 16, 2005.

**No. 611** By Representatives O'NEILL, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, GINGRICH, HERSHEY, PETRI, SCAVELLO, THOMAS and WRIGHT

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

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, February 16, 2005.

**No. 612** By Representatives RUBLEY, NICKOL, ARGALL, BARRAR, BASTIAN, BELARDI, BOYD, BROWNE, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CORNELL, CRAHALLA, CURRY, FICHTER, FRANKEL, GEIST, GEORGE, GOOD, GOODMAN, HENNESSEY, HERMAN, HERSHEY, HUTCHINSON, JAMES, LEACH, LEH, MANN, McGEEHAN, McILHATTAN, MILLARD, R. MILLER, S. MILLER, MUSTIO, NAILOR, PAYNE, PHILLIPS, READSHAW, REICHLEY, ROSS, SAINATO, SATHER, SCAVELLO, SCHRODER, B. SMITH, STERN,

E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, TIGUE, WANSACZ, WATSON and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending the act of March 1, 1988 (P.L.82, No.16), known as the Pennsylvania Infrastructure Investment Authority Act, further providing for definitions.

Referred to Committee on COMMERCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 613** By Representatives ALLEN, THOMAS, BELFANTI, GOODMAN, ARGALL, BAKER, BALDWIN, BASTIAN, BOYD, BROWNE, BUNT, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CLYMER, CRAHALLA, CURRY, DALEY, FRANKEL, GERGELY, GINGRICH, HARRIS, HERSHEY, HESS, LEDERER, McILHATTAN, R. MILLER, MUSTIO, O'NEILL, PHILLIPS, PICKETT, REICHLEY, RUBLEY, SCHRODER, STABACK, E. Z. TAYLOR, TIGUE, WALKO, WATSON, WILT, WRIGHT, YOUNGBLOOD and DENLINGER

An Act regulating certain pharmacies, manufacturers and wholesalers that advertise for sale or sell drugs or devices via the Internet; providing for powers and duties of the Office of Attorney General; and imposing penalties.

Referred to Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, February 16, 2005.

**No. 614** By Representatives CURRY, BELARDI, BUNT, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CAWLEY, CRAHALLA, DENLINGER, FABRIZIO, FICHTER, FLICK, FRANKEL, GEORGE, GOODMAN, GRUCELA, JAMES, LEACH, MANDERINO, McILHATTAN, R. MILLER, PETRARCA, PRESTON, READSHAW, REICHLEY, SCAVELLO, SOLOBAY, TANGRETTI, THOMAS, WANSACZ and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending the act of May 29, 1956 (1955 P.L.1804, No.600), referred to as the Municipal Police Pension Law, authorizing a late retirement benefit.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 615** By Representatives MUSTIO, ALLEN, BAKER, BALDWIN, BARRAR, BASTIAN, BENNINGHOFF, BOYD, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CAUSER, CLYMER, CRAHALLA, CREIGHTON, DALEY, DENLINGER, ELLIS, FAIRCHILD, FEESE, FICHTER, GEIST, GINGRICH, GOODMAN, HARRIS, HERMAN, HERSHEY, HICKERNELL, HUTCHINSON, M. KELLER, KILLION, LEH, MAJOR, MARKOSEK, MARSICO, McILHATTAN, McILHINNEY, McNAUGHTON, METCALFE, MILLARD, R. MILLER, S. MILLER, NAILOR, NICKOL, O'NEILL, PAYNE, PETRARCA, PICKETT, READSHAW, REED, REICHLEY, ROSS, RUBLEY, SCAVELLO, SCHRODER, SEMMEL, STEIL, STERN, R. STEVENSON, E. Z. TAYLOR, TRUE, WALKO, WATSON, WILT, ZUG and SAYLOR

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, providing for contributions to military family relief through individual income tax returns; and further providing in capital stock franchise tax, for imposition of tax and for expiration of certain provisions.



Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 616** By Representatives ZUG, WILT, ALLEN, ARGALL, ARMSTRONG, BEBKO-JONES, BLAUM, BROWNE, BUNT, CAPPELLI, CLYMER, COSTA, CRAHALLA, CREIGHTON, DALLY, DeWEESE, FAIRCHILD, FRANKEL, GEORGE, GOOD, GRUCELA, HARPER, HICKERNELL, KILLION, MAJOR, MARKOSEK, MCGILL, McILHATTAN, McNAUGHTON, R. MILLER, NAILOR, PALLONE, PHILLIPS, REICHLEY, ROEBUCK, SATHER, SAYLOR, SEMMEL, B. SMITH, SOLOBAY, T. STEVENSON, TANGRETTI, E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, TIGUE and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act establishing the Independent Higher Education and Community Financing Program and the Board of Review.

Referred to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 16, 2005.

**No. 617** By Representatives CIVERA, ADOLPH, MICOZZIE, BELFANTI, RAYMOND, CALTAGIRONE, DeLUCA, CURRY, GINGRICH, E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, WASHINGTON, WATSON, FLICK, KILLION, O'BRIEN, BARRAR, KENNEY, W. KELLER, DiGIROLAMO, O'NEILL, PETRI, CRAHALLA, BUNT, MCGILL, STAIRS, FICHTER, DONATUCCI, McGEEHAN, MARKOSEK and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act relating to crane operator licensure; establishing the State Board of Crane Operators; conferring powers and imposing duties; making an appropriation; and imposing penalties.

Referred to Committee on PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 618** By Representatives MAJOR, BAKER, BASTIAN, BOYD, CAPPELLI, CAUSER, CLYMER, CREIGHTON, DALLY, DENLINGER, DeWEESE, FAIRCHILD, GEIST, GINGRICH, GOOD, GRELL, HARRIS, HASAY, HENNESSEY, HERMAN, HERSHEY, KILLION, O'NEILL, PHILLIPS, RAYMOND, REICHLEY, ROSS, SAINATO, SATHER, SCAVELLO, SHANER, SOLOBAY, R. STEVENSON, E. Z. TAYLOR, TIGUE and WILT

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for the offense of bad checks.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, February 16, 2005.

**No. 619** By Representatives HERSHEY, ROSS, DALEY, GODSHALL, RUBLEY, BALDWIN, CAPPELLI, CAUSER, CLYMER, CORNELL, CRAHALLA, CREIGHTON, DENLINGER, DeWEESE, FLICK, GEIST, GILLESPIE, GINGRICH, GOODMAN, GRUCELA, HARPER, HARRIS, HENNESSEY, HESS, JAMES, JOSEPHS, KAUFFMAN, M. KELLER, W. KELLER, KILLION, LEDERER, LEH, MACKERETH, MAJOR, MANN, McILHATTAN, MELIO, R. MILLER, S. MILLER, O'NEILL, PHILLIPS, PICKETT, SANTONI, SAYLOR, SCHRODER, SEMMEL, SOLOBAY, STEIL, STERN, TANGRETTI and E. Z. TAYLOR

An Act amending the act of June 30, 1981 (P.L.128, No.43), known as the Agricultural Area Security Law, further providing for definitions, for agricultural security areas, for evaluation criteria and for purchase of agricultural conservation easements.

Referred to Committee on AGRICULTURE AND RURAL AFFAIRS, February 16, 2005.

**No. 620** By Representatives GODSHALL, CRAHALLA, GEORGE, BOYD, BUNT, CAPPELLI, CLYMER, CORRIGAN, CREIGHTON, HARHAI, HERSHEY, LEH, MAHER, MARSICO, McILHINNEY, S. MILLER, PETRI, PICKETT, RAYMOND, SATHER, SURRA, TANGRETTI, WATSON, WILT and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act prohibiting the sale or distribution of any gasoline containing methyl tertiary butyl ether; requiring the Department of Environmental Protection to report to the General Assembly; providing for public notice of spill; and imposing a penalty.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, February 16, 2005.

**No. 621** By Representatives GODSHALL, BUNT, CRAHALLA and KILLION

An Act amending the act of May 22, 1933 (P.L.853, No.155), known as The General County Assessment Law, further providing for the valuation of property in counties of the second class A and third class and for auxiliary boards of assessment appeals; and providing for refunding of certain unconstitutionally collected personal property tax.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 622** By Representatives GODSHALL, FEESE, BAKER, BOYD, BUNT, CAPPELLI, CORRIGAN, CRAHALLA, CREIGHTON, KILLION, MANDERINO, SATHER, TANGRETTI, TIGUE and WALKO

An Act amending the act of March 20, 2002 (P.L.154, No.13), known as the Medical Care Availability and Reduction of Error (Mcare) Act, further providing for medical professional liability claims.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, February 16, 2005.

**No. 623** By Representatives GODSHALL, BELFANTI, BUNT, CAPPELLI, CRAHALLA, DeLUCA, NAILOR, SURRA, TANGRETTI, TIGUE and WALKO

An Act regulating the licensure of electrical contractors, journeyman electricians and registered apprentices; establishing the State Board of Examiners of Electrical Contractors and providing for its powers and duties; providing penalties; and making an appropriation.

Referred to Committee on PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 624** By Representatives GODSHALL, BUNT, CRAHALLA, FRANKEL, JAMES, KILLION, PALLONE, T. STEVENSON, TURZAI, WILT and WRIGHT

An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, providing for direct shipment of wine to certain consumers.

Referred to Committee on LIQUOR CONTROL, February 16, 2005.

**No. 625** By Representatives GODSHALL, CAPPELLI, CAUSER, CORRIGAN, CRAHALLA, CREIGHTON, HANNA, KILLION and YOUNGBLOOD

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

Referred to Committee on GAME AND FISHERIES, February 16, 2005.

**No. 626** By Representatives GODSHALL, BASTIAN, BELFANTI, CAPPELLI, CAUSER, CORNELL, CORRIGAN, CRAHALLA, CREIGHTON, GEORGE, GINGRICH, HESS, KILLION, NAILOR, READSHAW, SEMMEL, STABACK, T. STEVENSON, E. Z. TAYLOR, TIGUE and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), known as the Pennsylvania Election Code, further providing for delivering or mailing of ballots and for certain notice to county board of elections.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, February 16, 2005.

**No. 627** By Representatives GODSHALL, DeLUCA, NAILOR, TIGUE and WILT

An Act amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), known as the Pennsylvania Election Code, changing the date of certain general primaries.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, February 16, 2005.

**No. 628** By Representatives SCHRODER, HENNESSEY, HERSHEY, ROSS, ARMSTRONG, BARRAR, CALTAGIRONE, CIVERA, CLYMER, CRAHALLA, CREIGHTON, DeWEESE, FORCIER, GEIST, GINGRICH, M. KELLER, KILLION, LEH, McCALL, METCALFE, MUSTIO, PALLONE, REICHLEY, ROHRER, SCAVELLO, STERN, E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, WHEATLEY, WILT and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, further providing for annual budget; prescribing a penalty; and making an editorial change.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, February 16, 2005.

**No. 629** By Representatives BUNT, GODSHALL, HERSHEY, BAKER, BARRAR, BASTIAN, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CRAHALLA, DALEY, EACHUS, FABRIZIO, FICHTER, FLEAGLE, FRANKEL, FREEMAN, GEIST, GEORGE, GERGELY, GOODMAN, HARHAI, HARPER, HENNESSEY, HERMAN, JAMES, M. KELLER, LEH, MANDERINO, MANN, MARSICO, McCALL, McGILL, McILHINNEY, R. MILLER, S. MILLER, O'NEILL, PETRARCA, PETRI, PHILLIPS, PRESTON, READSHAW,

REICHLEY, ROBERTS, ROSS, RUBLEY, SAINATO, SATHER, SCAVELLO, SCHRODER, SEMMEL, SHANER, STEIL, R. STEVENSON, TANGRETTI, E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, WALKO, WANSACZ, WATSON, WHEATLEY, WILT, WRIGHT, YOUNGBLOOD, ZUG, DENLINGER and SAYLOR

An Act amending the act of June 30, 1981 (P.L.128, No.43), known as the Agricultural Area Security Law, further providing for purchase of agricultural conservation easements; and abrogating a regulation.

Referred to Committee on AGRICULTURE AND RURAL AFFAIRS, February 16, 2005.

**No. 630** By Representatives TURZAI, CORNELL, DALEY, MUSTIO, O'NEILL, REICHLEY, SCAVELLO, SCHRODER, T. STEVENSON, TRUE and WHEATLEY

An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, creating a class of licenses entitled "grocery store licenses"; providing for provisions relating thereto; and making a repeal.

Referred to Committee on LIQUOR CONTROL, February 16, 2005.

**No. 631** By Representatives HERSHEY, HENNESSEY, GEIST, DALEY, CAPPELLI, CREIGHTON and DENLINGER

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for personal earnings exempt from process and for collection of restitution, reparation, fees, costs, fines and penalties.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, February 16, 2005.

**No. 632** By Representatives HERSHEY, SCHRODER, HENNESSEY, ARMSTRONG, BAKER, BALDWIN, BARRAR, BASTIAN, BELARDI, BROWNE, CAPPELLI, CREIGHTON, DALEY, DENLINGER, FORCIER, GEIST, GEORGE, GINGRICH, HARHART, HARPER, HERMAN, HUTCHINSON, M. KELLER, LEACH, LEH, MAJOR, McGILL, McILHATTAN, R. MILLER, S. MILLER, PALLONE, PHILLIPS, PICKETT, READSHAW, ROHRER, SATHER, SCAVELLO, SEMMEL, SOLOBAY, STERN, THOMAS, WANSACZ, WATSON, WILT and YOUNGBLOOD

An Act amending the act of December 19, 1990 (P.L.1200, No.202), known as the Solicitation of Funds for Charitable Purposes Act, further providing for audit of certain financial reports.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 633** By Representatives HERSHEY, RUBLEY, MANN, BUNT, GEORGE, BAKER, BALDWIN, BASTIAN, CREIGHTON, CURRY, DALEY, GINGRICH, HARPER, HENNESSEY, HERMAN, M. KELLER, LEACH, R. MILLER, S. MILLER, MUNDY, PHILLIPS, PICKETT, READSHAW, ROSS, SAYLOR, SCHRODER, SEMMEL, TANGRETTI, THOMAS, WATSON, WILT, YOUNGBLOOD and ZUG

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, further providing for definitions, for purchases of alternative fuel vehicles and for minimum school building design standards; and making editorial changes.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, February 16, 2005.

**No. 634** By Representatives HERSHEY, BALDWIN, BASTIAN, CREIGHTON, DALEY, DeWEESE, GERGELY, GINGRICH, HARHART, HENNESSEY, M. KELLER, LEACH, MANN, SAYLOR, TANGRETTI and THOMAS

An Act exempting the sale of certain items from sales and use tax.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

### HOUSE RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

**No. 92** By Representatives METCALFE, BAKER, BARRAR, BASTIAN, BOYD, BUNT, CALTAGIRONE, CAPPELLI, CREIGHTON, DALLY, DENLINGER, ELLIS, FICHTER, FORCIER, HERSHEY, HUTCHINSON, JAMES, MARKOSEK, PETRARCA, READSHAW, ROBERTS, ROHRER, SCAVELLO, E. Z. TAYLOR, WILT and YEWIC

A Resolution urging the Pennsylvania Congressional delegation to support a repeal of the Federal excise tax on telecommunications.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 93** By Representatives METCALFE, BASTIAN, BOYD, CLYMER, CREIGHTON, JAMES, KILLION, LEH, ROBERTS, ROHRER, SCAVELLO, SCHRODER, R. STEVENSON, WILT and YOUNGBLOOD

A Resolution urging that the Pennsylvania Congressional Delegation work to pass Social Security personal retirement accounts.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

**No. 94** By Representatives METCALFE, BAKER, BASTIAN, BENNINGHOFF, HERSHEY, HESS, JAMES, KILLION, SCAVELLO, R. STEVENSON and E. Z. TAYLOR

A Resolution urging the United States Senators from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to support the President's nominees to the Supreme Court of the United States.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, February 16, 2005.

**No. 97** By Representatives LESCOVITZ, CALTAGIRONE, DeLUCA, GEIST, LEACH, SAINATO, SOLOBAY, TANGRETTI, YOUNGBLOOD, SHANER, STURLA and WHEATLEY

A Resolution directing the Standing Subcommittee on Basic Education of the Committee on Education to conduct a study of a countywide system and a regional system of school districts for this Commonwealth.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, February 16, 2005.

**No. 98** By Representatives BARRAR, ARGALL, BALDWIN, BASTIAN, BENNINGHOFF, BOYD, CAPPELLI, CLYMER, CRAHALLA, CREIGHTON, J. EVANS, FLICK, GANNON, GEIST, HARPER, HERSHEY, JAMES, KILLION, LEDERER, LEH, MARSICO, METCALFE, O'NEILL, PETRI, PHILLIPS, PICKETT, REED, REICHLEY, ROBERTS, SAYLOR, SCAVELLO, SCHRODER, S. H. SMITH, T. STEVENSON, E. Z. TAYLOR, ZUG, YOUNGBLOOD and DENLINGER

A Concurrent Resolution forming a select committee to consider issues that arose during the preparations for and conduct of the November 2, 2004, election in Pennsylvania and to examine and investigate the laws, practices and procedures relating to the election.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, February 16, 2005.

### SENATE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE

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

#### **SB 18 , PN 11**

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, February 16, 2005.

#### **SB 146, PN 131**

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, February 16, 2005.

#### **SB 147, PN 132**

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, February 16, 2005.

#### **SB 148, PN 133**

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, February 16, 2005.

#### **SB 149, PN 217**

Referred to Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, February 16, 2005.

#### **SB 199, PN 191**

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, February 16, 2005.

### RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Sonney, from Erie.

Mr. SONNEY. Mr. Speaker, I move that this House do now recess until Monday, March 14, 2005, at 1 p.m., e.s.t., unless sooner recalled by the Speaker.

On the question,  
Will the House agree to the motion?  
Motion was agreed to, and at 11:09 a.m., e.s.t., the House recessed.