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### HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

**THE SPEAKER (SAMUEL H. SMITH)  
PRESIDING**

#### PRAYER

HON. MATTHEW E. BAKER, member of the House of Representatives, offered the following prayer:

Peace be with you all. Please join me in prayer.

O God of all States and nations, look with favor upon this, our Pennsylvania House of Representatives. Guide these important decisionmakers with Your divine light of wisdom. Be their source of strength and comfort. Enable them to serve You and glorify Your name by serving the citizens of this great State.

O God, make them instruments of peace to deliver Your divine mercy and compassion. Bless them with Your openness and humility. Fill their hearts and minds with passion and determination to improve the quality of lives of their fellow human beings. Grant them success in pursuing justice.

O God, make these men and women peacemakers, healers, and bridge builders, so urgently needed in our wounded and broken times. Give them the strength that they need to keep what needs to be kept, give them the courage they need to change what needs to be changed, and give them the wisdom they need to distinguish one from another.

O God, if we forget You, forgive us as we know You do not forget us. In Your most holy and beautiful name, we pray; our Lord and savior, 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 Wednesday, June 13, 2012, will be postponed until printed.

### JOURNALS APPROVED

The SPEAKER. However, the following Journals are in print and, without objection, will be approved: Tuesday, March 13, 2012; Wednesday March 14, 2012.

### HOUSE RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

**No. 779** By Representatives EVANKOVICH, METZGAR, FLECK, GROVE, HELM, MIRABITO, OBERLANDER, PYLE and READSHAW

A Resolution memorializing the United States Secretary of Transportation to issue a Transportation Investment Generating Economic Recovery (TIGER) grant to fund the construction of the New Kensington Smart Growth and Sustainable Corridor & Multimodal Facility.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, June 14, 2012.

**No. 781** By Representatives SAINATO, GIBBONS, D. COSTA, KORTZ, LONGIETTI, BROOKS, CALTAGIRONE, DALEY, DAVIS, ELLIS, JAMES, MAHONEY, MANN, PASHINSKI, READSHAW, STABACK and WATERS

A Resolution urging the Congress of the United States and the United States Postal Service to reconsider the decision to consolidate operations at the mail processing and distribution facility in New Castle, Pennsylvania.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, June 14, 2012.

### HOUSE BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

**No. 2332** By Representatives WHITE, DePASQUALE, V. BROWN, CALTAGIRONE, COHEN, DAVIS, DONATUCCI, FLECK, FRANKEL, GEORGE, GIBBONS, GOODMAN, JOSEPHS, KOTIK, LONGIETTI, MANN, MATZIE, McGEEHAN, MILLARD, MULLERY, MURPHY, M. O'BRIEN, QUINN, SAMUELSON, SANTARSIERO, SCHMOTZER, WATERS and WHEATLEY

An Act relating to, in labor and employment settings, the protection of user names, passwords or other means necessary to access a private or personal social media account, service or Internet website.

Referred to Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, June 18, 2012.

**No. 2368** By Representatives PAYNE, HESS, GABLER, MARSHALL, MUNDY and SCHMOTZER

An Act amending the act of November 30, 1965 (P.L.847, No.356), known as the Banking Code of 1965, further providing for definitions, for persons authorized to engage in business of receiving deposits and money for transmission, for corporations authorized to act as fiduciary, for retention of records and admissibility of copies in evidence, for emergency powers and for acquisitions, and offers to acquire, shares of banks, bank and trust companies, trust companies and national banks; repealing provisions relating to prohibition against certain acquisitions, to legal holidays and to limitation on deposit of Commonwealth funds; further providing for additional powers of incorporated institutions related to conduct of business, for persons bound by bylaws and execution of instruments, for general lending powers, for direct leasing of personal property and for limits on indebtedness of one customer including purchased paper; repealing provisions relating to installment loans including revolving credit plans, to real estate loans, to authorizing certain loans for commercial, business, professional, agricultural or nonprofit purposes including revolving credit plans, to authorizing monthly interest loans for individuals, partnerships and other unincorporated entities, to alternate basis for interest charges by institutions, to charging interest at rates permitted competing lenders, to notice of annual fees and refunds on credit cards of affiliate banks, to authorization of fees for revolving credit plans and to extensions of credit to individuals, partnerships and unincorporated associations; further providing for application of chapter, for actions required, permitted or prohibited in fiduciary capacity, for transfer of fiduciary accounts and for investments; repealing provisions relating to real estate loans; further providing for lending powers and direct leasing of personal property; repealing provisions relating to conditional powers of savings banks; providing for pledges for deposits, limits on indebtedness of one customer including purchased paper; further providing for tentative trusts, for authorized offices, for authorization of new branches, for approval of branch by department and for branches outside Pennsylvania; repealing provisions relating to branches acquired from the receiver of a closed institution or from an institution in danger of closing; further providing for articles of incorporation and for certificate of authorization to do business; providing for organization as a limited liability company; further providing for minimum capital, for classes of shares, for share certificates, for cash dividends, for redemption and acquisition of redeemable shares and statement of reduction of authorized shares, for audits and reports by directors or trustees, accountants and internal auditors and for prohibitions applicable to directors, trustees, officers, employees and attorneys; repealing provisions relating to indemnity and immunity of certain directors; providing for standard of care and justifiable reliance; further providing for articles of amendment, for authority to merge or consolidate, for requirements for a merger or consolidation, for mergers, consolidations and conversions of savings banks, for right of shareholders to receive payment for shares following a control transaction, for articles of conversion, for voluntary dissolution prior to commencement of business, for certificate of election for voluntary dissolution and for articles of dissolution; repealing provisions relating to examinations and reports, to examination of affiliates and persons performing bank services, to relationship of institutions and their personnel with officials and employees of department and to additional powers of the Department of Banking; and further providing for penalties and criminal provisions applicable to directors, trustees, officers, employees and attorneys of institutions and for penalties applicable to persons subject to this act.

Referred to Committee on COMMERCE, June 18, 2012.

**No. 2370** By Representatives METZGAR, HESS, AUMENT, EVERETT, GABLER, GROVE, KAUFFMAN, MARSHALL, PICKETT and RAPP

An Act amending the act of January 30, 1974 (P.L.13, No.6), referred to as the Loan Interest and Protection Law, further providing for residential mortgage interest rates and for effect on inconsistent acts.

Referred to Committee on COMMERCE, June 18, 2012.

**No. 2476** By Representatives READSHAW, GEIST, STURLA, KORTZ, CARROLL, VULAKOVICH, BRENNAN, CALTAGIRONE, CURRY, DAVIS, FABRIZIO, GERGELY, HARHAI, KOTIK, MILLER, MOUL, SONNEY and TALLMAN

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 transportation of certain charter school students.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, June 14, 2012.

**No. 2477** By Representatives READSHAW, SABATINA, NEUMAN, DEASY, CARROLL, BRENNAN, DeLUCA, EVERETT, FABRIZIO, JAMES, KAVULICH, KORTZ, KULA, MILLARD, MILLER, M. O'BRIEN, WHITE, GOODMAN and BRIGGS

An Act amending the act of August 21, 1953 (P.L.1323, No.373), known as The Notary Public Law, further providing for application to become a notary public.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, June 14, 2012.

**No. 2478** By Representatives CHRISTIANA, MARSHALL, MATZIE and GIBBONS

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, providing for a resource manufacturing tax credit.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, June 18, 2012.

**No. 2479** By Representatives BRIGGS, BISHOP, K. BOYLE, BRADFORD, V. BROWN, CALTAGIRONE, CARROLL, D. COSTA, DALEY, DeLUCA, DENLINGER, DiGIROLAMO, DONATUCCI, EVERETT, FABRIZIO, FARRY, FREEMAN, GEORGE, GILLEN, GODSHALL, GOODMAN, GRELL, HAHN, HALUSKA, HARHART, HELM, HESS, KAUFFMAN, W. KELLER, KORTZ, KULA, LONGIETTI, MAHONEY, MANN, MARSHALL, MARSICO, MICOZZIE, MILLARD, MIRABITO, MOUL, MULLERY, MURT, PERRY, READSHAW, ROAE, ROCK, SAINATO, SCAVELLO, SONNEY, STEVENSON, SWANGER, WATERS and WATSON

An Act designating the portion of State Route 30, from Wynnewood Road to Station Road, in Lower Merion Township, Montgomery County, as the Master Sergeant Scott Ball Memorial Avenue.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, June 14, 2012.

**No. 2481** By Representatives DAVIS, HORNAMAN, BARBIN, CALTAGIRONE, D. COSTA, DALEY, DAVIDSON, DeLUCA, GEORGE, GINGRICH, GOODMAN, HEFFLEY, JAMES, KOTIK, LONGIETTI, MAHONEY, MANN, READSHAW, SAINATO, SCHMOTZER, STABACK, SWANGER, TALLMAN, WATERS, YOUNGBLOOD and BRADFORD

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for assistance to volunteer fire companies, ambulance service and rescue squads.

Referred to Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, June 18, 2012.

**No. 2482** By Representatives BROWNLEE, PARKER, JAMES, M. O'BRIEN, PAYTON, MUNDY, MYERS, COHEN, YOUNGBLOOD, DONATUCCI, WILLIAMS, CRUZ, K. BOYLE, V. BROWN, VITALI, DAVIDSON, MARKOSEK, BISHOP, B. BOYLE, MURT, D. EVANS, ROEBUCK, KULA, BRADFORD, JOSEPHS, DELISSIO, McGEEHAN, SABATINA, DeLUCA, THOMAS, FRANKEL, W. KELLER, WATERS, KIRKLAND, WHEATLEY, SAMUELSON and FABRIZIO

An Act providing for abrogation of regulations and for authority of Secretary of Public Welfare.

Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES, June 18, 2012.

**No. 2483** By Representatives SIMMONS, BRENNAN, CALTAGIRONE, CHRISTIANA, EVANKOVICH, EVERETT, GROVE, HARKINS, HARRIS, HELM, JAMES, KORTZ, M. O'BRIEN, YOUNGBLOOD and HORNAMAN

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

Referred to Committee on LIQUOR CONTROL, June 18, 2012.

**No. 2484** By Representatives VULAKOVICH, CALTAGIRONE, D. COSTA, DEASY, DiGIROLAMO, SCHMOTZER, EVERETT, FLECK, GABLER, GINGRICH, HARHART, HELM, HENNESSEY, JAMES, KIRKLAND, KORTZ, MAHER, MARSHALL, MATZIE, READSHAW, ROCK, SACCONI, YOUNGBLOOD, MURT, GIBBONS and MAHONEY

An Act designating and adopting the River City Brass Band as the official brass band of Pennsylvania.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, June 18, 2012.

### SENATE BILL FOR CONCURRENCE

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

### SB 1129, PN 1319

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, June 18, 2012.

### 2012 REAL PROPERTY DISPOSITION PLAN

The SPEAKER. The Speaker submits for the record the 2012 Real Property Disposition Plan. The plan shall be placed on tomorrow's calendar.

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

### LEAVES OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER. The Speaker turns to leaves of absence and recognizes the majority whip, who requests a leave of absence for the lady, Mrs. WATSON, from Bucks County for the day. Without objection, the leave will be granted.

The Chair recognizes the minority caucus chairman, who requests a leave of absence for the gentleman, Mr. HANNA, from Clinton County for the day. Without objection, the leave will be granted.

If I could have the members' attention, the House will please come to order. I want to introduce some of the guests that are with us today. I would appreciate the members' attention, kindly. If we could hold the conversations down. Take them to the rear of the House, if necessary.

### GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. Located to the left of the rostrum, we would like to welcome Douglas Miller. Douglas is an Eagle Scout from Gettysburg who has earned all 129 merit badges. Seated with Douglas are his parents, Stephanie and Doug Miller, and Jackee, Jim, and Landon Lovejoy. They are here today as guests of Representative Moul. Will our guests please rise. Welcome to the hall of the House.

### STATEMENT BY MR. MOUL

The SPEAKER. Because of the unique accomplishment of having earned all 129 merit badges, I believe the gentleman from Adams County, Mr. Moul, is seeking recognition under unanimous consent. The gentleman has the floor.

Mr. MOUL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Indeed today I have the honor of recognizing Douglas Miller II, who joined Troop 73 in Gettysburg at age 11. His dad asked him what he wanted to accomplish in Scouting. Quoting a famous business management expert, Dr. Stephen Covey, he said, to "Begin with the End in Mind," and, boy, did he ever.

If you look at the Boy Scouts of America Web site, they do not really track all of the Eagle Scouts who have earned all 129 merit badges, but they list as many as possible. Doug Miller is only one of 143 Eagle Scouts listed that we know of that has ever achieved this accomplishment. This young man achieved his Eagle Award when he was 13 1/2 years old and continued

on to earn all 129 badges. That is an accomplishment of the highest magnitude. He has never officially received from the House of Representatives his citation, which he will be receiving here today, and I would like to congratulate Doug Miller on an exemplary job and a job well done. Please join me in congratulating Douglas Miller. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The Speaker thanks the gentleman.

### GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. Located to the left of the rostrum, we would also like to welcome Carl Wolter III, the 2011 RE/MAX World Long Drive Champion. Also seated to the left are Mr. Wolter's wife, Dr. Shannon Brophy-Wolter, and their daughter, Madylin. Additional family members and friends are seated in the rear of the House. They are here today as the guests of Representative Heffley. Will our guests please rise and others in the rear of the House as well.

Also located to the left of the rostrum, we would like to welcome Robert Grecu, who is the winner of Representative Harhart's "There Ought To Be a Law" contest. Robert is a fourth grade student at Col. John Siegfried Elementary School. He proposed the State-Funded Buildings Alternative Energy Act. This would require the use of alternative energy sources in certain State-funded buildings. Robert's teachers and family are located in the rear of the House. Will our guests please rise. Welcome to the hall of the House, over here kind of in the center back.

Located in the rear of the House, we would like to welcome Representative Kauffman's daughter, Abby. Abby, welcome to the hall of the House. There she is.

Also in the rear of the House, we would like to welcome two interns working with Representative Stephens this summer. They are Ryan Cleary, who attends Cornell University, and Will Slor, who attends Temple University. Will our guests please rise. Welcome to the hall of the House, back by the left door.

Also in the rear of the House, we would like to welcome the Pennsylvania Biomass Energy Association. Jay Clark serves as president of the association. He is also vice president of AFS Energy Systems located in Lemoyne. Karen Smeltz serves as vice president. She is brand manager at Harmon Stoves located in Halifax, and they are here today as the guests of Representative Hutchinson. Will our guests please rise, also just by the left door. Welcome to the hall of the House.

And as guests of Representative Lawrence, we would like to welcome Bob and Eleanor Rober. They are also near the rear of the House there. Will our guests please rise. Welcome to the hall of the House.

Also in the rear of the House, we would like to welcome Wayne Namey. He is the guest of Representative Mundy and Representative Pashinski. Wayne, welcome to the hall of the House.

And we have one guest page who is with us. Representative Harkins's son, Matthew, is here today. Matthew, welcome to the hall of the House.

### JOSHUA KARNES PRESENTED

The SPEAKER. I would like to invite Representative Harkins and Representative Fabrizio to the rostrum for the purpose of presenting a citation to Joshua Karnes, Boys Level 6 Pennsylvania State Gymnastics Champion.

The gentleman, Mr. Harkins, may proceed.

Mr. HARKINS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Can they see him? Put him on your shoulders.

Good afternoon and thank you.

It is with great pride that we would like to welcome to the floor of the House Joshua Karnes, a 7-year-old constituent from my district and a gymnast from Lakettes and Lakers Gymnastics Academy in Representative Fabrizio's district.

Joshua is being honored by the Erie County delegation and being presented with this citation for winning first place all-around in the boys level 6, 9-and-under division, during the 2012 Pennsylvania State Gymnastics Championships.

Joshua took first place in all six events during the State championships and captured the State title. He qualified to be one of eight to represent Pennsylvania at a regional championship and placed first all-around for region 7.

We would also like to pay honor to the Lakettes and Lakers team for taking second place at the State championships and to the Pennsylvania team for their capturing third place in the regional championships.

Joshua is here today with his head coach of the Lakers, Jacob Marks. Joshua's family is seated to the left of the rostrum: his father, Jim; his mother, Monica; and his sister, Abigail. Would you please rise for a warm welcome from the hall of the House.

And I might point out that Joshua has welcomed Representative Fabrizio to try some gymnastics with him, but Flo has respectfully declined.

The SPEAKER. The Speaker thanks the gentleman.

### MASTER ROLL CALL

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

The following roll call was recorded:

#### PRESENT—199

Adolph	Dunbar	Kirkland	Pyle
Aument	Ellis	Knowles	Quigley
Baker	Emrick	Kortz	Quinn
Barbin	Evankovich	Kotik	Rapp
Barrar	Evans, D.	Krieger	Ravenstahl
Bear	Evans, J.	Kula	Readshaw
Benninghoff	Everett	Lawrence	Reed
Bishop	Fabrizio	Longietti	Reese
Bloom	Farry	Mackenzie	Roae
Boback	Fleck	Maher	Rock
Boyd	Frankel	Mahoney	Roebuck
Boyle, B.	Freeman	Major	Ross
Boyle, K.	Gabler	Maloney	Sabatina
Bradford	Galloway	Mann	Saccone

Brennan	Geist	Markosek	Sainato
Briggs	George	Marshall	Samuelson
Brooks	Gerber	Marsico	Santarsiero
Brown, R.	Gergely	Masser	Santoni
Brown, V.	Gibbons	Matzie	Saylor
Brownlee	Gillen	McGeehan	Scavello
Burns	Gillespie	Metcalfe	Schmotzer
Buxton	Gingrich	Metzgar	Simmons
Caltagirone	Godshall	Miccarelli	Smith, K.
Carroll	Goodman	Micozzie	Smith, M.
Causser	Grell	Millard	Sonney
Christiana	Grove	Miller	Staback
Clymer	Hackett	Milne	Stephens
Cohen	Hahn	Mirabito	Stern
Conklin	Haluska	Moul	Stevenson
Costa, D.	Harhai	Mullery	Sturla
Costa, P.	Harhart	Mundy	Swanger
Cox	Harkins	Murphy	Tallman
Creighton	Harper	Murt	Taylor
Cruz	Harris	Mustio	Thomas
Culver	Heffley	Myers	Tobash
Curry	Helm	Neilson	Toepel
Cutler	Hennessey	Neuman	Toohil
Daley	Hess	O'Brien, M.	Truitt
Davidson	Hickernell	O'Neill	Turzai
Davis	Hornaman	Oberlander	Verbe
Day	Hutchinson	Parker	Vitali
Dean	James	Pashinski	Vulakovich
Deasy	Josephs	Payne	Waters
DeLissio	Kampf	Payton	Wheatley
Delozier	Kauffman	Peifer	White
DeLuca	Kavulich	Perry	Williams
Denlinger	Keller, F.	Petrarca	Youngblood
DePasquale	Keller, M.K.	Petri	
Dermody	Keller, W.	Pickett	Smith, S.,
DiGirolamo	Killion	Preston	Speaker
Donatucci			

ADDITIONS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—2

Hanna Watson

LEAVES ADDED—2

Day Evans, J.

The SPEAKER. One hundred and ninety-nine members having voted on the master roll call, a quorum is present.

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

**SB 1115, PN 2203**

By Rep. CLYMER

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; and providing for the distribution of special education funding for student achievement and instruction of eligible students and for special education accountability.

EDUCATION.

**RESOLUTION REPORTED AND REREFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

**HR 774, PN 3742**

By Rep. CLYMER

A Resolution establishing a select committee to investigate and review the interrelationship between all current sources of school district and local government tax revenue, with a focus on property taxes, the current system of Federal and State funding of school districts and other local government functions.

Reported from Committee on EDUCATION with request that it be rereferred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the bill will be so rereferred.

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

The SPEAKER. The Speaker turns to leaves of absence and recognizes the majority whip, who requests a leave of absence for the gentleman, Mr. DAY, from Lehigh County for the remainder of the day. Without objection, the leave will be granted.

**UNCONTESTED CALENDAR**

**RESOLUTIONS PURSUANT TO RULE 35**

Mr. EVERETT called up **HR 769, PN 3718**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing July 2012 as "Take a Swing Against Breast Cancer Month" in Pennsylvania.

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Mr. BARBIN called up **HR 770, PN 3719**, entitled:

A Resolution designating July 7, 2012, as "Combat Related Brain Injury and Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder Awareness Day" in Pennsylvania.

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Ms. V. Brown called up **HR 775, PN 3743**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing June 11 through 17, 2012, as "National Men's Health Week" and the month of June 2012 as "National Men's Health Month" in Pennsylvania.

On the question,  
Will the House adopt the resolutions?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—198

Adolph	Dunbar	Kirkland	Pyle
Aument	Ellis	Knowles	Quigley
Baker	Emrick	Kortz	Quinn
Barbin	Evankovich	Kotik	Rapp

Barrar	Evans, D.	Krieger	Ravenstahl
Bear	Evans, J.	Kula	Readshaw
Benninghoff	Everett	Lawrence	Reed
Bishop	Fabrizio	Longiotti	Reese
Bloom	Farry	Mackenzie	Roae
Boback	Fleck	Maher	Rock
Boyd	Frankel	Mahoney	Roebuck
Boyle, B.	Freeman	Major	Ross
Boyle, K.	Gabler	Maloney	Sabatina
Bradford	Galloway	Mann	Saccone
Brennan	Geist	Markosek	Sainato
Briggs	George	Marshall	Samuelson
Brooks	Gerber	Marsico	Santarsiero
Brown, R.	Gergely	Masser	Santoni
Brown, V.	Gibbons	Matzie	Saylor
Brownlee	Gillen	McGeehan	Scavello
Burns	Gillespie	Metcalfe	Schmotzer
Buxton	Gingrich	Metzgar	Simmons
Caltagirone	Godshall	Miccarelli	Smith, K.
Carroll	Goodman	Micozzie	Smith, M.
Causar	Grell	Millard	Sonney
Christiana	Grove	Miller	Staback
Clymer	Hackett	Milne	Stephens
Cohen	Hahn	Mirabito	Stern
Conklin	Haluska	Moul	Stevenson
Costa, D.	Harhai	Mullery	Sturla
Costa, P.	Harhart	Mundy	Swanger
Cox	Harkins	Murphy	Tallman
Creighton	Harper	Murt	Taylor
Cruz	Harris	Mustio	Thomas
Culver	Heffley	Myers	Tobash
Curry	Helm	Neilson	Toepel
Cutler	Hennessey	Neuman	Toohil
Daley	Hess	O'Brien, M.	Truitt
Davidson	Hickernell	O'Neill	Turzai
Davis	Hornaman	Oberlander	Vereb
Dean	Hutchinson	Parker	Vitali
Deasy	James	Pashinski	Vulakovich
DeLissio	Josephs	Payne	Waters
Delozier	Kampf	Payton	Wheatley
DeLuca	Kauffman	Peifer	White
Denlinger	Kavulich	Perry	Williams
DePasquale	Keller, F.	Petrarca	Youngblood
Dermody	Keller, M.K.	Petri	
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.	Pickett	Smith, S., Speaker
Donatucci	Killion	Preston	

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Day                      Hanna                      Watson

The majority having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the resolutions were adopted.

#### STATEMENT BY MR. BARBIN

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Cambria County, Mr. Barbin, is seeking recognition under unanimous consent relative to one of the resolutions just adopted. The gentleman is in order.

Mr. BARBIN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Today we have adopted a resolution recognizing combat-related traumatic brain injury. I just want to say that it is only possible to be where we are today because of our institutions of higher learning. In that resolution there are – it refers to two

studies that have been conducted here in Pennsylvania that are leading the nation. One is from the University of Pittsburgh; one is from Penn.

The resolution says that we recognize the Pitt study. It provides the equivalent of a PET (positron emission tomography) scan technology that for the first time recognizes and can spot where the brain's neuroconnections are broken. The Penn study shows that aggressive treatment of traumatic brain injury is the most cost-effective way to go.

I thank all the members for their support of this resolution.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT BY MR. MCGEEHAN

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

Mr. MCGEEHAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. For what purpose does the gentleman rise?

Mr. MCGEEHAN. Mr. Speaker, to give notice of my intent—

The SPEAKER. The gentleman is in order and may proceed to give his notice.

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

Mr. Speaker, I rise to give notice of my intent to call up House Discharge Resolution No. 2 on Wednesday, June 20, 2012, or sometime thereafter.

The SPEAKER. The Speaker thanks the gentleman.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT BY MS. BISHOP

The SPEAKER. For what purpose does the lady from Philadelphia, Ms. Bishop, rise?

Ms. BISHOP. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I rise to serve and to give notice of my intent to call up House Discharge Resolution No. 3 on Wednesday, June 20, or sometime thereafter. That is June 20, 2012.

The SPEAKER. The Speaker thanks the lady.

Ms. BISHOP. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The notice of intent will be noted in the record.

#### CALENDAR

##### RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO RULE 35

Mr. HEFFLEY called up **HR 735, PN 3552**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing Carl Wolter of Lehighon, Pennsylvania, on winning the 2011 RE/MAX World Long Drive Championship Powered by Dick's Sporting Goods.

On the question,

Will the House adopt the resolution?

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Carbon County, Mr. Heffley.

Mr. HEFFLEY. Thank you. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I rise and ask for an affirmative vote in recognition of Carl Wolter of Lehighon, Pennsylvania, on winning the 2011 RE/MAX World Long Drive Championship powered by Dick's Sporting Goods with a drive of 409 yards.

Now, granted, that was the winning drive, although his personal record is a 464-yard drive, which is quite an accomplishment for a boy from Leighton.

At the age of 35 Carl Wolter has matched his 2002 performance to regain his place atop the world power golf. So this is not just the first time. This is the second time he has been recognized as a world champion.

Mr. Wolter, through those 9 years, married his wife, Shannon. They have a 7-year-old daughter, Mady, who is here today, and I think I would ask everybody, all my colleagues in the House here, to recognize Carl Wolter of Leighton on this great accomplishment. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Speaker thanks the gentleman.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

## YEAS—198

Adolph	Dunbar	Kirkland	Pyle
Aument	Ellis	Knowles	Quigley
Baker	Emrick	Kortz	Quinn
Barbin	Evankovich	Kotik	Rapp
Barrar	Evans, D.	Krieger	Ravenstahl
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NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Day Hanna Watson

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

**CUMBERLAND VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL  
GIRLS SOCCER TEAM AND BOYS RELAY  
TEAM PRESENTED**

The SPEAKER. The Speaker invites the members from Cumberland County – Representatives Grell, Delozier, and Bloom – to the rostrum for the purpose of presenting a citation to the Cumberland Valley Girls Soccer Team and the Cumberland Valley Boys Relay Team.

The House will please come to order. I appreciate if you would hold the conversations down.

The gentleman, Mr. Grell, is recognized for the purpose of presenting the citation to the girls soccer team.

Mr. GRELL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, today we are here and I am joined by Representative Delozier and Representative Bloom to once again offer hearty congratulations to the Cumberland Valley High School Girls Soccer Team for winning their second consecutive PIAA State Girls Spring Soccer Championship.

This is a very special day for me because I am very fond of this team. I was happy to be here last year. Had it not been for the scheduling of the Speaker, I would have made it to every one of their playoff games, but one of them I missed.

The SPEAKER. Steady there.

Mr. GRELL. The Cumberland Valley Girls Soccer Team, as I said, won the second consecutive State championship, and I promised I would be brief, so I just want to recognize the team members who participated in this team. The head coach, Seth Lehman, who joins us up on the rostrum; varsity assistant coaches Maggie Futato and Al Kemery; assistant coaches Dan Hagerman and Tara Georgeff. The team was comprised of Alexandra Morgan; Lilly Shover; Amy Elgin; Rachel Kovach; Elizabeth Bellido; Lisa Nanov; Savannah Hall; Brianna Gleason; Delaney Liu; Erika Hamlin; Elise Krause, senior captain, who also joins us up here; Alyssa Hinish, Amanda McKee; Jessica Pink; Emily Hoke; Alana Torres; Tara Shipe; Kaylie Cutlip; Dani Shambaugh; Emily Mitchell; Jennifer Falconer; Maddie Titus; Molly Stanton; and Taylor Sneedman.

So please join me in congratulating these young ladies on another outstanding year and a State championship. Please rise in the back.

Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The lady, Ms. Delozier, is recognized for the purpose of presenting the citation to the boys relay team.

Ms. DELOZIER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

We are very proud of the fact that not only did we get to congratulate one team with Cumberland Valley, but we also get to congratulate another team with Cumberland Valley.

We have some talented athletes in our youth, and we like to be able to take notice of the fact of whom we have. We have the Cumberland Valley Relay Team. The 3200-meter relay team is being honored upon winning the Class AAA boys 3200-meter relay event. They ran with a time of 7:43. It is lauded as the fastest time by a Pennsylvania team this year and is ranked seventh nationally.

We have with us, being coached by Bill Bixler, Derek Hockenbery, and Skip Springman, the members of the team, Alex Coburn, Alec Kunzweiler, Abdallah Soliman, and Scott St. Peter.

I would ask you to join me in congratulating these young men in competing and certainly using their speed to bring great kudos to Cumberland Valley High School. Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker.

### CONDOLENCE RESOLUTION

The SPEAKER. If I could have the members' attention, I appreciate all members taking their seats. May I kindly have the members' attention. The members will please take their seats and clear the aisles. We are about to take up a condolence resolution on the death of a former Senator. The Sergeants at Arms will close the doors of the House. The members will please take their seats.

The clerk will read the resolution.

The following resolution was read:

#### COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

#### CONDOLENCE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The House of Representatives of Pennsylvania wishes to honor the memory of the Honorable Charles D. Lemmond, Jr., a former member of the Senate of Pennsylvania, who passed away at the age of eighty-three on May 30, 2012; and

WHEREAS, Born in Hazleton on January 17, 1929, Mr. Lemmond was a graduate of Forty Fort High School, where he was President of his senior class. He served this country with honor and distinction as a member of the United States Army and went on to graduate from Harvard University and the University of Pennsylvania School of Law. A former solicitor for several municipalities, Mr. Lemmond served as the First Assistant District Attorney of Luzerne County and was appointed to serve as a judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Luzerne County in 1980. Elected to the Senate of Pennsylvania in 1985, he served the 20th Senatorial District until his retirement until 2006. During his tenure, Mr. Lemmond chaired the State Government Committee and was Vice Chair of the Judiciary Committee. A member of the Criminal Justice Commission and the Reapportionment Task Force of the National Conference of State Legislatures, he served as Vice Chair of the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency Board of Directors; and

WHEREAS, An outstanding citizen who exemplified the finest virtues of American life, Mr. Lemmond was a 33rd Degree Mason and a member of the Caldwell Consistory. A life member of Wyoming Seminary's Board of Trustees, he was an Advisory Board member of The Salvation Army and the Wilkes-Barre campus of The Pennsylvania State University. A lay leader of the First United Methodist Church of Wilkes-Barre, Mr. Lemmond served in several leadership roles in the Wyoming Conference of the United Methodist Church; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania proclaim with enduring sorrow the passing of the Honorable Charles D. Lemmond, Jr.; and extend heartfelt condolences to his wife, Barbara Northrup Lemmond; sons, Charles, John and David; daughter, Judith; four grandchildren; and many other family members and friends; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution, sponsored by Representatives Karen Boback, Sid Michaels Kavulich, Sandra J. Major, Gerald J. Mullery, Phyllis Mundy, Eddie Day Pashinski, Michael T. Peifer, Tina Pickett, Ed Staback and Tarah Toohil on June 12, 2012, be transmitted to Barbara Northrup Lemmond.

Karen Boback, Sponsor  
Samuel H. Smith, Speaker of the House  
Attest:  
Anthony Frank Barbush, Chief Clerk of the House

On the question,  
Will the House adopt the resolution?

The SPEAKER. On the resolution, the Speaker recognizes the lady, Ms. Boback, from Luzerne County.

Ms. BOBACK. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Today I rise with great sadness but with great pride to honor former Senator Charles D. Lemmond, Jr., as a dear friend, State leader, who selflessly served the residents of the 20th Senatorial District for more than 20 years.

Mr. Speaker, members of the House, Pennsylvania lost a remarkable man on Wednesday, May 30, as Charlie was a devoted legislator, husband, father, mentor, and friend. He will be remembered not only for his bipartisanship but also for his unceasing dedication to public and community service. While he retired from the Senate in 2006, he continued his tradition of serving his community through many civic organizations. But for those of us who knew Charlie, we realize that the footprint he left behind was far more personal than political. Many lessons were and will continue to be learned through his legacy.

His selflessness was demonstrated long before his time in the Senate. He served in the U.S. Army in Italy after World War II. He then attended Harvard University on a full scholarship and played first trumpet in the band, a talent of his that not many of us knew about until after his passing. After Harvard he went on to earn his law degree from the University of Pennsylvania. Charlie was a brilliant man, but his brilliance was only superseded by his humility, kindness, and compassion. In the circle of friends that he held and throughout our community, Charlie was referred to as a man who was meek and humble of heart, a true gentleman.

This man of integrity leaves behind a loving family, and I will conclude my remarks by saying thank you to them – Barbara, his wife; daughter, Judy; and sons, Chuck, David, and John. Thank you for sharing your husband, your father with all of us and for encouraging him to fight the good fight on behalf of this great Commonwealth, and in so doing, thank you for sharing this wonderful man who helped make our world a better place to live.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Those in favor of the resolution will rise and remain standing as a mark of respect to the former Senator. Guests will also please rise.



(Whereupon, the members of the House and all visitors stood in a moment of silence in solemn respect to the memory of the Honorable Charles D. Lemmond, Jr.)

The SPEAKER. The resolution has been unanimously adopted.

The Sergeants at Arms will open the doors of the House.

### PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. Is the lady from Northampton County, Mrs. Harhart, seeking recognition for the purpose of an announcement?

Mrs. HARHART. Yes, Mr. Speaker.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to inform the Professional Licensure House Committee that there will be a meeting immediately at break in room 60; that would be immediately at this break. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The Professional Licensure Committee will meet immediately at the break in room 60.

### APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Delaware County, Mr. Adolph, is recognized for the purpose of an announcement.

Mr. ADOLPH. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, there will be a House Appropriations Committee meeting immediately in the majority caucus room. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The Appropriations Committee will meet immediately in the majority caucus room.

### REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. The lady, Ms. Major, from Susquehanna for the purpose of a caucus announcement.

Ms. MAJOR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to announce Republicans will meet at 2 p.m. I would ask our Republican members to please report to our caucus room at 2 p.m. We would be prepared to come back on the floor at 4. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

### DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Allegheny County, Mr. Frankel, for the purpose of a caucus announcement.

Mr. FRANKEL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Democrats will also caucus at 2 p.m.; the Democrats will caucus at 2 p.m. Thank you.

### RECESS

The SPEAKER. This House stands in recess until 4 p.m., unless sooner recalled by the Speaker.

### AFTER RECESS

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

### THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE (MATTHEW E. BAKER) PRESIDING

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The members will please report to the floor.

### BILLS REREPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

**HB 646, PN 3509**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending the act of July 2, 1993 (P.L.345, No.48), entitled "An act empowering the General Counsel or his designee to issue subpoenas for certain licensing board activities; providing for hearing examiners in the Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs; providing additional powers to the Commissioner of Professional and Occupational Affairs; and further providing for civil penalties and license suspension," further providing for definitions and for civil penalties.

### APPROPRIATIONS.

**HB 1521, PN 3483**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for the offense and consequences of possession of a vehicle with false compartments.

### APPROPRIATIONS.

**HB 1991, PN 3748**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending the act of July 10, 1986 (P.L.1398, No.122), known as the Energy Conservation and Assistance Act, further providing for legislative findings and for definitions; providing for verification of eligibility, for fraud reporting to Inspector General and for conflict of interest policy; further providing for weatherization and energy conservation; providing for performance audits by the Auditor General; and making editorial changes.

### APPROPRIATIONS.

**HB 2043, PN 3660**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Title 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for powers and duties of Municipal Police Officers' Education and Training Commission.

### APPROPRIATIONS.

**HB 2316, PN 3375**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, providing for intergovernmental agreements for school security and safety.

### APPROPRIATIONS.

**HB 2390, PN 3604**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Title 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in taxicabs and limousines in cities of the first class, further providing for definitions, for contested complaints, for driver certification program, for power of authority to issue certificates of public convenience, for certificate and medallion required, for additional certificates and medallions, for wages and for civil penalties.

### APPROPRIATIONS.

**HB 2421, PN 3622**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Title 15 (Corporations and Unincorporated Associations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in officers, directors and members, further providing for manner of giving notice.

APPROPRIATIONS.

**HB 2438, PN 3659**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending the act of May 15, 1933 (P.L.565, No.111), known as the Department of Banking Code, amending the title of the act; further providing for conflicts of interest and penalty; reorganizing the Department of Banking and the Pennsylvania Securities Commission; and making related repeals.

APPROPRIATIONS.

**SB 157, PN 2289**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act establishing a task force within the Department of Education, providing for its powers and duties and providing for administrative support.

APPROPRIATIONS.

**SB 444, PN 2290**

By Rep. ADOLPH

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 definitions and for games of chance permitted; providing for Major League Baseball, National Hockey League or National Basketball Association 50/50 raffle; and further providing for regulations, for licensing of eligible organizations to conduct games of chance and for distribution of proceeds.

APPROPRIATIONS.

**SB 449, PN 2248**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, providing for child abuse recognition and reporting training.

APPROPRIATIONS.

**SB 1398, PN 2163**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending the act of July 6, 1989 (P.L.169, No.32), known as the Storage Tank and Spill Prevention Act, further providing for Underground Storage Tank Environmental Cleanup Program and for Underground Storage Tank Pollution Prevention Program.

APPROPRIATIONS.

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

**SB 1528, PN 2213**

By Rep. HARHART

An Act amending the act of June 15, 1982 (P.L.502, No.140), known as the Occupational Therapy Practice Act, further providing for definitions, for creation of board, for requirements for licensure, for practice and referral, for renewal of license and for refusal, suspension or revocation of license; and providing for impaired professionals program.

PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE.

**RESOLUTION REPORTED  
FROM COMMITTEE**

**HR 750, PN 3635**

By Rep. METCALFE

A Resolution memorializing the President and the Congress of the United States to provide for the storage of used nuclear fuel.

STATE GOVERNMENT.

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who requests a leave of absence for the gentleman from Crawford County for the day, John EVANS. Without objection, the leave for the day is so granted.

**CALENDAR CONTINUED**

**BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION**

The House proceeded to second consideration of **SB 276, PN 1977**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 22, 2000 (P.L.318, No.32), known as the Downtown Location Law, further providing for powers and duties of the Department of General Services.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

Bill was agreed to.

**SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR A**

**BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION**

The House proceeded to third consideration of **SB 449, PN 2248**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, providing for child abuse recognition and reporting training.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration?

Bill was agreed to.

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

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NAYS-0

NOT VOTING-0

EXCUSED-4

Day	Evans, J.	Hanna	Watson
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The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 2421, PN 3622**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 15 (Corporations and Unincorporated Associations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in officers, directors and members, further providing for manner of giving notice.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

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NAYS-0

NOT VOTING-0

EXCUSED—4

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

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NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—4

Day	Evans, J.	Hanna	Watson
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The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

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

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An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, providing for intergovernmental agreements for school security and safety.

On the question,  
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The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—197

Adolph	Dunbar	Knowles	Quigley
Aument	Ellis	Kortz	Quinn
Baker	Emrick	Kotik	Rapp
Barbin	Evankovich	Krieger	Ravenstahl
Barrar	Evans, D.	Kula	Readshaw
Bear	Everett	Lawrence	Reed

Benninghoff	Fabrizio	Longietti	Reese
Bishop	Farry	Mackenzie	Roae
Bloom	Fleck	Maher	Rock
Boback	Frankel	Mahoney	Roebuck
Boyd	Freeman	Major	Ross
Boyle, B.	Gabler	Maloney	Sabatina
Boyle, K.	Galloway	Mann	Saccone
Bradford	Geist	Markosek	Sainato
Brennan	George	Marshall	Samuelson
Briggs	Gerber	Marsico	Santarsiero
Brooks	Gergely	Masser	Santoni
Brown, R.	Gibbons	Matzie	Saylor
Brown, V.	Gillen	McGeehan	Scavello
Brownlee	Gillespie	Metcalfe	Schmotzer
Burns	Gingrich	Metzgar	Simmons
Buxton	Godshall	Miccarelli	Smith, K.
Caltagirone	Goodman	Micozzie	Smith, M.
Carroll	Grell	Millard	Sonney
Causar	Grove	Miller	Staback
Christiana	Hackett	Milne	Stephens
Clymer	Hahn	Mirabito	Stern
Cohen	Haluska	Moul	Stevenson
Conklin	Harhai	Mullery	Sturla
Costa, D.	Harhart	Mundy	Swanger
Costa, P.	Harkins	Murphy	Tallman
Cox	Harper	Murt	Taylor
Creighton	Harris	Mustio	Thomas
Cruz	Heffley	Myers	Tobash
Culver	Helm	Neilson	Toepel
Curry	Hennessey	Neuman	Toohil
Cutler	Hess	O'Brien, M.	Truitt
Daley	Hickernell	O'Neill	Turzai
Davidson	Hornaman	Oberlander	Vereb
Davis	Hutchinson	Parker	Vitali
Dean	James	Pashinski	Vulakovich
Deasy	Josephs	Payne	Waters
DeLissio	Kampf	Payton	Wheatley
Delozier	Kauffman	Peifer	White
DeLuca	Kavulich	Perry	Williams
Denlinger	Keller, F.	Petrarca	Youngblood
DePasquale	Keller, M.K.	Petri	
Dermody	Keller, W.	Pickett	Smith, S.,
DiGirolamo	Killion	Preston	Speaker
Donatucci	Kirkland	Pyle	

NAYS-0

NOT VOTING-0

EXCUSED-4

Day	Evans, J.	Hanna	Watson
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The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **SB 157, PN 2289**, entitled:

An Act establishing a task force within the Department of Education, providing for its powers and duties and providing for administrative support.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS-194

Adolph	Donatucci	Killion	Quigley
Aument	Dunbar	Kirkland	Quinn
Baker	Ellis	Knowles	Rapp
Barbin	Emrick	Kortz	Ravenstahl
Barrar	Evankovich	Kotik	Readshaw
Bear	Evans, D.	Kula	Reed
Benninghoff	Everett	Lawrence	Reese
Bishop	Fabrizio	Longietti	Roae
Bloom	Farry	Mackenzie	Rock
Boback	Fleck	Maher	Roebuck
Boyd	Frankel	Mahoney	Ross
Boyle, B.	Freeman	Major	Sabatina
Boyle, K.	Gabler	Maloney	Saccone
Bradford	Galloway	Mann	Sainato
Brennan	Geist	Markosek	Samuelson
Briggs	George	Marshall	Santarsiero
Brooks	Gerber	Marsico	Santoni
Brown, R.	Gergely	Masser	Saylor
Brown, V.	Gibbons	Matzie	Scavello
Brownlee	Gillen	McGeehan	Schmotzer
Burns	Gillespie	Miccarelli	Simmons
Buxton	Gingrich	Micozzie	Smith, K.
Caltagirone	Godshall	Millard	Smith, M.
Carroll	Goodman	Miller	Sonney
Causar	Grell	Milne	Staback
Christiana	Grove	Mirabito	Stephens
Clymer	Hackett	Moul	Stern
Cohen	Hahn	Mullery	Stevenson
Conklin	Haluska	Mundy	Sturla
Costa, D.	Harhai	Murphy	Swanger
Costa, P.	Harhart	Murt	Tallman
Cox	Harkins	Mustio	Taylor
Creighton	Harper	Myers	Thomas
Cruz	Harris	Neilson	Tobash
Culver	Heffley	Neuman	Toepel
Curry	Helm	O'Brien, M.	Toohil
Cutler	Hennessey	O'Neill	Truitt
Daley	Hess	Oberlander	Turzai
Davidson	Hickernell	Parker	Vereb
Davis	Hornaman	Pashinski	Vitali
Dean	Hutchinson	Payne	Vulakovich
Deasy	James	Payton	Waters
DeLissio	Josephs	Peifer	Wheatley
Delozier	Kampf	Perry	White
DeLuca	Kauffman	Petrarca	Williams
Denlinger	Kavulich	Petri	Youngblood
DePasquale	Keller, F.	Pickett	
Dermody	Keller, M.K.	Preston	Smith, S.,
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.	Pyle	Speaker

NAYS-3

Krieger	Metcalfe	Metzgar
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NOT VOTING-0

EXCUSED-4

Day	Evans, J.	Hanna	Watson
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The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **SB 1398, PN 2163**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 6, 1989 (P.L.169, No.32), known as the Storage Tank and Spill Prevention Act, further providing for Underground Storage Tank Environmental Cleanup Program and for Underground Storage Tank Pollution Prevention Program.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—197

Adolph	Dunbar	Knowles	Quigley
Aument	Ellis	Kortz	Quinn
Baker	Emrick	Kotik	Rapp
Barbin	Evankovich	Krieger	Ravenstahl
Barrar	Evans, D.	Kula	Readshaw
Bear	Everett	Lawrence	Reed
Benninghoff	Fabrizio	Longietti	Reese
Bishop	Farry	Mackenzie	Roae
Bloom	Fleck	Maher	Rock
Boback	Frankel	Mahoney	Roebuck
Boyd	Freeman	Major	Ross
Boyle, B.	Gabler	Maloney	Sabatina
Boyle, K.	Galloway	Mann	Saccone
Bradford	Geist	Markosek	Sainato
Brennan	George	Marshall	Samuelson
Briggs	Gerber	Marsico	Santarsiero
Brooks	Gergely	Masser	Santoni
Brown, R.	Gibbons	Matzie	Saylor
Brown, V.	Gillen	McGeehan	Scavello
Brownlee	Gillespie	Metcalfe	Schmotzer
Burns	Gingrich	Metzgar	Simmons
Buxton	Godshall	Miccarelli	Smith, K.
Caltagirone	Goodman	Micozzie	Smith, M.
Carroll	Grell	Millard	Sonney
Causar	Grove	Miller	Staback
Christiana	Hackett	Milne	Stephens
Clymer	Hahn	Mirabito	Stern
Cohen	Haluska	Moul	Stevenson
Conklin	Harhai	Mullery	Sturla
Costa, D.	Harhart	Mundy	Swanger
Costa, P.	Harkins	Murphy	Tallman
Cox	Harper	Murt	Taylor
Creighton	Harris	Mustio	Thomas
Cruz	Heffley	Myers	Tobash
Culver	Helm	Neilson	Toepel
Curry	Hennessey	Neuman	Toohil

Cutler	Hess	O'Brien, M.	Truitt
Daley	Hickernell	O'Neill	Turzai
Davidson	Hornaman	Oberlander	Vereb
Davis	Hutchinson	Parker	Vitali
Dean	James	Pashinski	Vulakovich
Deasy	Josephs	Payne	Waters
DeLissio	Kampf	Payton	Wheatley
Delozier	Kauffman	Peifer	White
DeLuca	Kavulich	Perry	Williams
Denlinger	Keller, F.	Petrarca	Youngblood
DePasquale	Keller, M.K.	Petri	
Dermody	Keller, W.	Pickett	Smith, S., Speaker
DiGirolamo	Killion	Preston	
Donatucci	Kirkland	Pyle	

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—4

Day	Evans, J.	Hanna	Watson
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The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

Ordered, That the clerk return the same to the Senate with the information that the House has passed the same without amendment.

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **SB 444, PN 2290**, entitled:

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 definitions and for games of chance permitted; providing for Major League Baseball, National Hockey League or National Basketball Association 50/50 raffle; and further providing for regulations, for licensing of eligible organizations to conduct games of chance and for distribution of proceeds.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

**RULES SUSPENDED**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. On that question, the Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Miller, who I believe would like to make a motion for suspension of the rules.

Mr. MILLER. Yes, Mr. Speaker, I would like to make a motion to suspend the rules so I may offer amendment A12025.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. On the question of suspension, the Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Dermody.

Mr. DERMODY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, as I understand it, this is an amendment that was corrected over the week. There were some issues with the big wheel, and I believe they have been corrected, and I would urge members to support the suspension of the rules.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—182

Adolph	Emrick	Knowles	Rapp
Baker	Evankovich	Kortz	Ravenstahl
Barbin	Evans, D.	Kotik	Readshaw
Barrar	Everett	Krieger	Reed
Bear	Fabrizio	Kula	Reese
Benninghoff	Farry	Longiotti	Roae
Bishop	Fleck	Maher	Rock
Bloom	Frankel	Mahoney	Roebuck
Boback	Freeman	Major	Ross
Boyle, B.	Gabler	Mann	Sabatina
Boyle, K.	Galloway	Markosek	Saccone
Bradford	Geist	Marshall	Sainato
Brennan	George	Marsico	Samuelson
Briggs	Gerber	Masser	Santarsiero
Brooks	Gergely	Matzie	Santoni
Brown, R.	Gibbons	McGeehan	Saylor
Brown, V.	Gillespie	Miccarelli	Scavello
Brownlee	Gingrich	Micozzie	Schmotzer
Burns	Godshall	Millard	Simmons
Buxton	Goodman	Miller	Smith, K.
Caltagirone	Grove	Milne	Smith, M.
Carroll	Hackett	Mirabito	Sonney
Causar	Hahn	Moul	Staback
Christiana	Haluska	Mundy	Stephens
Cohen	Harhai	Murphy	Stern
Conklin	Harhart	Murt	Stevenson
Costa, D.	Harkins	Mustio	Sturla
Costa, P.	Harper	Myers	Swanger
Cox	Harris	Neilson	Tallman
Cruz	Heffley	Neuman	Taylor
Culver	Helm	O'Brien, M.	Thomas
Curry	Hennessey	O'Neill	Tobash
Daley	Hess	Oberlander	Toepel
Davis	Hickernell	Parker	Toohil
Dean	Hornaman	Pashinski	Turzai
Deasy	Hutchinson	Payne	Vereb
DeLissio	James	Payton	Vitali
Delozier	Josephs	Peifer	Vulakovich
DeLuca	Kampf	Perry	Waters
Denlinger	Kauffman	Petrarca	Wheatley
DePasquale	Kavulich	Petri	White
Dermody	Keller, F.	Pickett	Williams
DiGirolamo	Keller, M.K.	Preston	Youngblood
Donatucci	Keller, W.	Pyle	
Dunbar	Killion	Quigley	Smith, S., Speaker
Ellis	Kirkland	Quinn	

NAYS—15

Aument	Cutler	Lawrence	Metzgar
Boyd	Davidson	Mackenzie	Mullery
Clymer	Gillen	Maloney	Truitt
Creighton	Grell	Metcalfe	

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—4

Day	Evans, J.	Hanna	Watson
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A majority of the members required by the rules having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the motion was agreed to.

DECISION OF CHAIR RESCINDED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the Chair rescinds the statement earlier that the bill has been considered on three different days.

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

Mr. MILLER offered the following amendment  
No. A12025:

Amend Bill, page 2, line 3, by striking out "AND" and inserting ; providing for relationship to table games; further providing

Amend Bill, page 75, line 7, by inserting after "RAFFLES"  
.vertical wheel games

Amend Bill, page 75, line 8, by inserting after "THAT"  
.except for vertical wheel games.

Amend Bill, page 76, by inserting between lines 7 and 8  
"Vertical wheel game." A game in which a participant places a coin or token on a color, number or word or purchases a ticket containing a color, number or word and watches a spinning vertical wheel until the pointer of the wheel rests on a section of the wheel designating a winner.

Amend Bill, page 76, by inserting between lines 8 and 9  
Section 1.1. The act is amended by adding a section to read:  
Section 104. Relationship to table games.  
A vertical wheel game is not a "table game" as defined in 4 Pa.C.S. § 1103 (relating to definitions). The designation of a vertical wheel game under this act does not preclude the authorization of a vertical wheel game as a table game under 4 Pa.C.S. Pt. II (relating to gaming).

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. On the amendment, the Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Miller.

Mr. MILLER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

As was stated by the minority leader last week, I was asked to go over this amendment, withdraw it so it could be rewritten to make sure that it does not conflict in any way with our casinos. The amendment has been rewritten, and we have taken great care to make sure that our fire companies and other nonprofits will be able to use the Big Six wheel, vertical wheels.

I should note that this in no way would allow roulette wheels or anything like that, but this is very important to our volunteer fire companies and all other volunteer groups out there as part of their fundraising efforts, and I would ask for an affirmative vote.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Dermody.

Mr. DERMODY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, we urge members to support the Miller amendment. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—179

Adolph	Evans, D.	Kotik	Ravenstahl
Baker	Everett	Krieger	Readshaw
Barbin	Fabrizio	Kula	Reed
Barrar	Farry	Longietti	Reese
Benninghoff	Fleck	Maher	Roae
Bishop	Frankel	Mahoney	Rock
Bloom	Freeman	Major	Roebuck
Boback	Gabler	Mann	Ross
Boyle, B.	Galloway	Markosek	Sabatina
Boyle, K.	Geist	Marshall	Saccone
Bradford	George	Marsico	Sainato
Brennan	Gerber	Masser	Samuelson
Briggs	Gergely	Matzie	Santarsiero
Brooks	Gibbons	McGeehan	Santoni
Brown, R.	Gillen	Miccarelli	Saylor
Brown, V.	Gillespie	Micozzie	Scavello
Brownlee	Gingrich	Millard	Schmotzer
Burns	Godshall	Miller	Smith, K.
Buxton	Goodman	Milne	Smith, M.
Caltagirone	Grell	Mirabito	Sonney
Carroll	Grove	Moul	Staback
Causer	Hackett	Mullery	Stephens
Christiana	Haluska	Mundy	Stern
Cohen	Harhai	Murphy	Stevenson
Conklin	Harkins	Mustio	Sturla
Costa, D.	Harper	Myers	Swanger
Costa, P.	Harris	Neilson	Tallman
Cox	Heffley	Neuman	Taylor
Cruz	Helm	O'Brien, M.	Thomas
Culver	Hennessey	O'Neill	Tobash
Curry	Hess	Oberlander	Toepel
Daley	Hornaman	Parker	Toohil
Davidson	Hutchinson	Pashinski	Truitt
Davis	James	Payne	Turzai
Dean	Josephs	Payton	Vereb
Deasy	Kampf	Peifer	Vitali
DeLissio	Kauffman	Perry	Vulakovich
Delozier	Kavulich	Petrarca	Waters
DeLuca	Keller, F.	Petri	Wheatley
DePasquale	Keller, M.K.	Pickett	White
Dermody	Keller, W.	Preston	Williams
DiGirolamo	Killion	Pyle	Youngblood
Donatucci	Kirkland	Quigley	
Dunbar	Knowles	Quinn	Smith, S.,
Ellis	Kortz	Rapp	Speaker
Evankovich			

NAYS—18

Aument	Cutler	Hickernell	Metcalfe
Bear	Denlinger	Lawrence	Metzgar
Boyd	Emrick	Mackenzie	Murt
Clymer	Hahn	Maloney	Simmons
Creighton	Harhart		

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—4

Day	Evans, J.	Hanna	Watson
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The majority having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the amendment was agreed to.

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

Bill as amended was agreed to.

(Bill as amended will be reprinted.)

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 1991, PN 3748**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 10, 1986 (P.L.1398, No.122), known as the Energy Conservation and Assistance Act, further providing for legislative findings and for definitions; providing for verification of eligibility, for fraud reporting to Inspector General and for conflict of interest policy; further providing for weatherization and energy conservation; providing for performance audits by the Auditor General; and making editorial changes.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—197

Adolph	Dunbar	Knowles	Quigley
Aument	Ellis	Kortz	Quinn
Baker	Emrick	Kotik	Rapp
Barbin	Evankovich	Krieger	Ravenstahl
Barrar	Evans, D.	Kula	Readshaw
Bear	Everett	Lawrence	Reed
Benninghoff	Fabrizio	Longietti	Reese
Bishop	Farry	Mackenzie	Roae
Bloom	Fleck	Maher	Rock
Boback	Frankel	Mahoney	Roebuck
Boyd	Freeman	Major	Ross
Boyle, B.	Gabler	Maloney	Sabatina
Boyle, K.	Galloway	Mann	Saccone
Bradford	Geist	Markosek	Sainato
Brennan	George	Marshall	Samuelson
Briggs	Gerber	Marsico	Santarsiero
Brooks	Gergely	Masser	Santoni
Brown, R.	Gibbons	Matzie	Saylor
Brown, V.	Gillen	McGeehan	Scavello
Brownlee	Gillespie	Metcalfe	Schmotzer
Burns	Gingrich	Metzgar	Simmons
Buxton	Godshall	Miccarelli	Smith, K.
Caltagirone	Goodman	Micozzie	Smith, M.
Carroll	Grell	Millard	Sonney
Causer	Grove	Miller	Staback
Christiana	Hackett	Milne	Stephens
Clymer	Hahn	Mirabito	Stern
Cohen	Haluska	Moul	Stevenson



Conklin	Harhai	Mullery	Sturla
Costa, D.	Harhart	Mundy	Swanger
Costa, P.	Harkins	Murphy	Tallman
Cox	Harper	Murt	Taylor
Creighton	Harris	Mustio	Thomas
Cruz	Heffley	Myers	Tobash
Culver	Helm	Neilson	Toepel
Curry	Hennessey	Neuman	Toohil
Cutler	Hess	O'Brien, M.	Truitt
Daley	Hickernell	O'Neill	Turzai
Davidson	Hornaman	Oberlander	Vereb
Davis	Hutchinson	Parker	Vitali
Dean	James	Pashinski	Vulakovich
Deasy	Josephs	Payne	Waters
DeLissio	Kampf	Payton	Wheatley
DeLozier	Kauffman	Peifer	White
DeLuca	Kavulich	Perry	Williams
Denlinger	Keller, F.	Petrarca	Youngblood
DePasquale	Keller, M.K.	Petri	
Dermody	Keller, W.	Pickett	Smith, S.,
DiGirolamo	Killion	Preston	Speaker
Donatucci	Kirkland	Pyle	

NAYS-0

NOT VOTING-0

EXCUSED-4

Day	Evans, J.	Hanna	Watson
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The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 1521, PN 3483**, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for the offense and consequences of possession of a vehicle with false compartments.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, the gentleman, Mr. Neuman, is recognized.  
Mr. NEUMAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I have a couple of questions for the maker of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Will the maker of the bill, Ms. Harper, agree to interrogation? She has so agreed, and you may proceed, sir.

Mr. NEUMAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.  
My first question is, you use the word "integrated" within the definition of the offense, or within the definition of the secret compartment. Can you tell me what "integrated" means?

Ms. HARPER. In this context?

Mr. NEUMAN. Yes.

Ms. HARPER. Included in.

Mr. NEUMAN. So that would be as broad as, for instance, a saddlebag on the side of a motorcycle that was not provided by the manufacturer?

Ms. HARPER. I do not understand the question. Do you want to help me out by trying it again?

Mr. NEUMAN. Yes. I will go back. Secret compartment really just means a compartment. It is not hidden in any way. Is that correct?

Ms. HARPER. Mr. Speaker, would you remind the gentleman that he is not supposed to ask questions that he knows the answer to.

Mr. NEUMAN. Mr. Speaker, I am clearly trying to see—

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Will the gentleman please suspend.

All members are reminded that the purpose of interrogation is to receive answers for which they have no framework or basis for knowing.

Mr. NEUMAN. Mr. Speaker, I am just trying to see why the word "secret" is used to describe compartment; if it has a meaning.

Ms. HARPER. I can answer that question.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentelady may proceed.

Ms. HARPER. There have been a series of cases in Pennsylvania and elsewhere where people have modified motor vehicles, cars or trucks, in order to allow for the delivery of illicit substances. Sometimes these are drugs; sometimes this is money from a criminal enterprise. Sometimes even human beings have been smuggled in secret compartments in vehicles. So the bill is aimed at that type of an offense and that type of a transport.

Mr. NEUMAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Now, into the definition. You use the word "integrated." I am trying to understand how – what that means to the modification of the vehicle. Can it be Velcroed? Can it just be stuck underneath a chair? Can it be actually as broad as being just on the luggage rack? What does integrated into a vehicle mean?

Ms. HARPER. I would suggest to you that the language we used comes from an Illinois statute of the same type, which has been vetted by the Illinois Supreme Court, and I do not believe it would apply to a luggage rack.

Mr. NEUMAN. So if it would not apply to luggage, then it would not apply to compartments that can be easily removed from the vehicle. Is that correct?

Ms. HARPER. I do not understand what the gentleman is aiming at. It is meant to cover those situations where vehicles are altered purposefully in order to conceal illegal or illicit substances or people or weapons or other things like that. It is not meant to be used for a family passenger vehicle with a luggage rack on top.

Mr. NEUMAN. And I understand your intentions and they are good, but I am reading the language literally and you use the word "integrated." You are telling me that – what you are telling

me does not truly meet the definition of "integrated," and I am just trying to clarify that we are not broadening the law to the point where you do not want it to be broadened, but I will move on to my next question.

Ms. HARPER. I would like to answer that one, Mr. Speaker.

The law must be read with all of its parts. It requires intent to use the compartment criminally. Thus, one might have a secret compartment and use it noncriminally and would not be covered by this bill at all. So when you read the bill as a whole, if a person has a secret compartment or a compartment added to a vehicle that is being used with the intention of transporting or using it criminally, that is the compartment that we are aiming at. We are not aiming at anything else.

Furthermore, it would not cover even a secret compartment that someone is using lawfully. It is not intended to make that criminal behavior and it certainly would not be criminal behavior under the bill.

Mr. NEUMAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

You brought up a good next point. You use the word "intent," intent to employ false or secret compartment criminally. How does one come about the knowing that a secret compartment is — the intent of using a secret compartment?

Ms. HARPER. As in all criminal offenses, the duty would belong to the State, the district attorney, the prosecutor to prove all elements of a crime, including intent. Intent is sometimes easy to prove, as in circumstances where the secret compartment actually has, as recently discovered in Philadelphia, cocaine in it. It is easy to prove that it is being used criminally because the possession of cocaine is itself a crime.

Now, if the compartment were used to transport the cocaine but the cocaine was not in it but, on the other hand, traces of cocaine were in that compartment, I think it would be easy to prove that the intention was to use the compartment to transport cocaine, and that would be an illegal thing.

Mr. NEUMAN. And, Mr. Speaker, this crime calls for it to become a misdemeanor in the first degree. So you could actually be transporting something illegally, that you would be less than a misdemeanor in the first degree, but then just because you have this possession, you could be charged with something greater than what you are possessing. Is that correct?

Ms. HARPER. I do not think the gentleman is correct in that regard, because many illegal substances, the amount that you have might determine what the grading of the crime is.

On the other hand, this would be a separate crime. So if in fact you were transporting 50 pounds of cocaine, you would still be guilty of the crime of transporting an illegal drug. This would be an extra crime and would also allow for forfeiture of the vehicle.

Mr. NEUMAN. So if I transport, say, a small amount or somebody transports a small amount of marijuana in a secret compartment and it is found and that is graded as a misdemeanor-3, they will also be charged with a misdemeanor-1 just because they have that secret compartment. Is that correct?

Ms. HARPER. Yes. If you are transporting marijuana, which is not legal in Pennsylvania, you would be guilty of the crime of transporting marijuana or possessing marijuana and you would also be guilty, under the facts you presented, of doing it in a secret compartment with the intention to do it criminally.

Mr. NEUMAN. And that would include such minor offenses as transporting alcohol across State lines?

Ms. HARPER. Well, alcohol is not illegal in and of itself, but I guess if you possess the secret compartment for the purpose of transporting it across State lines, which I do not think is illegal either, if you could think of something illegal, you could find a way to make that a crime. I guess I do not understand the gentleman's point.

Mr. NEUMAN. And my next question is, can the operator and owner both be found liable if they are different people with this secret compartment?

Ms. HARPER. The person who would be guilty of the crime would be the person that the prosecutor could prove beyond a reasonable doubt possessed the vehicle with the secret compartment with intention to use it criminally. So I guess it might depend on the specific facts of the case and whether the owner and the possessor of the car were both involved in the illegal activity, which could include transporting people, human beings.

Mr. NEUMAN. So the way I read this, you have to actually be in possession of the vehicle at the time the secret compartment is intended for criminal use. Is that correct?

Ms. HARPER. In order to be guilty of the crime, you would be in possession of the vehicle with intent to use it criminally by transporting something illegal in the compartment; yes.

Mr. NEUMAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I just have one last series of questions. When it comes to— If an officer sees something that can be perceived as a secret compartment, at what point do they have probable cause to search that secret compartment?

Ms. HARPER. The question, as I understand it, Mr. Speaker, is what constitutes probable cause? In Pennsylvania you can stop a vehicle on reasonable suspicion that a crime has been committed or that there is a motor vehicle infraction, but that does not necessarily give you the right to search the vehicle. You can search the vehicle with the consent of the driver or you could also search it if you had probable cause to believe that a crime was committed and the person was involved in it.

"Probable cause" has been defined throughout the years by cases under the Fourth Amendment, and it generally requires somewhat more than a reasonable belief that a crime has been committed by the person that you want to search. There are also other possibilities. I guess if the car is impounded, if the driver is arrested and the car is impounded, the police can do an inventory search of the vehicle and they could also search to make sure that there are not guns in the car within reach of the person whom they have stopped. So that is a little bit of a complicated situation, but it is certainly more than just stopping it for a traffic violation.

Mr. NEUMAN. And within your own definition of "probable cause," the police officer has to have reason to believe that there is criminal activity going on. Well, just having a secret compartment now potentially could be criminal activity. Is that correct?

Ms. HARPER. No, that is not correct at all. You can have a secret compartment in your vehicle. You cannot use it criminally. You cannot do that now, but if you have a secret compartment in your vehicle with intention to use it criminally, that would violate this bill. So it is not true that you cannot have a secret compartment. You are allowed to have a secret compartment. You just cannot use it criminally. Some people have told me that they carry lawful handguns that they like to secure in a secret compartment. That is still legal if you are lawfully carrying it. You can secure that. Other people tell me

that they like to secure perhaps a wallet or a watch in a secret compartment when they get out of the car to go jogging or something. That is legal. There is nothing illegal about that, and this bill would not make that illegal. If, on the other hand, you want to secure cocaine in that secret compartment, that would be illegal, and that is illegal now and it would be illegal under this bill as well.

Mr. NEUMAN. Mr. Speaker, how would you know the intent of the secret compartment if you do not search it, though?

Ms. HARPER. Mr. Speaker, it goes back to the rule in all criminal cases in this nation where the prosecution or the Commonwealth, the State, must prove criminal intent when it is an element of the crime. They must prove criminal intent beyond a reasonable doubt to the satisfaction of a jury. Sometimes it is easy. If the cocaine happens to be in the secret compartment, it is kind of easy to prove that the driver was wanting to use the secret compartment for that purpose so long as they were not able to show that they had no idea it was there. Sometimes it is difficult. If the secret compartment is empty and nothing indicates that it was ever used for criminal activity, it would be very hard to prove that element of the crime.

Mr. NEUMAN. On the bill, Mr. Speaker?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman has concluded his interrogation?

Mr. NEUMAN. Yes.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the lady, and you may proceed on the bill.

Mr. NEUMAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker, and thank you to the maker of the bill for answering my questions.

My concern is not about going to a jury and figuring out what is reasonable and what is not reasonable. My concern is, during traffic stops if somebody sees what they call a secret compartment, at what point can they search that secret compartment? At what point is that vehicle impounded because of an officer's suspension?

My concern is that the intentions are good of this bill. If you look at the definition, "integrated" is a huge problem according to my standards. Integrated takes the realm of secret compartment – let us not be fooled. Secret compartment does not mean it has to be hidden. A secret compartment could be in plain view, and if you are using it or if an officer believes you are using it for criminal purposes, they can search it at that point. A secret compartment could be luggage on top of your luggage rack. A secret compartment could be saddlebags on the side of your motorcycle. A secret compartment can be just about anything in your vehicle. It does not have to be hidden; it does not have to be attached. It just has to be integrated, and we do not even know what "integrated" means.

Mr. Speaker, I believe that the intentions of this bill are good. However, I believe that the literal reading of this bill and the actuality will open people up to unreasonable searches and seizures. If we want to address a specific problem, then we need to be more specific in our bills. This bill, in my opinion, is off the mark whenever it comes to the problem that we are trying to solve here.

Mr. Speaker, I want to be clear that the definitions within this bill, the wording within this bill does not meet what Pennsylvanians – what we intend to solve, what the House intends to solve. The maker of the bill has great intentions, and I would like to support a bill that is narrowly tailored to those intentions, but until that happens, until I am assured that our constituents will not have their luggage searched because of an

officer's hunch or I am assured that the people that are traveling on motorcycles will not have their saddlebags searched, I cannot support this bill.

So I ask that people think twice before voting "yes," and I ask that they support me in voting "no" on this legislation. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman and recognizes the gentleman from Montgomery County, Mr. Vereb.

Mr. VEREB. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, in all due respect to the gentleman from Washington's interrogation and commentary, I rise in support of HB 1521.

There are a number of us who have executed these types of searches during drug interdiction, and I know there are a number of law enforcement personnel in this building now and we have prosecutors on both sides of the aisle. The reality of it is, these compartments present an immediate threat and danger to our law enforcement community. We are not talking about luggage cabinets, Mr. Speaker. We want to talk about integration. We are talking about compartments integrated in the gas tanks; we are talking about compartments integrated in the parts of the car that are not designed to be storage areas.

And certainly probable cause and the issue of probable cause in search and seizure are ones that get debated and get put across judges by our district attorneys across the Commonwealth of which they support this legislation and this language.

I would suggest to you HB 1521 is just another step to protect our law enforcement community from the trafficking of illicit and illegal drugs across our Commonwealth. This certainly is a step in the direction to protect our police officers, and not one to violate our citizens' rights, as may have been suggested by the previous speaker.

So I urge a "yes" vote on HB 1521. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman and recognizes the gentleman from Washington County, Mr. Kortz. Allegheny County; correction. Mr. Kortz.

Mr. KORTZ. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

On HB 1521 I recognize the intent of the gentlelady from Montgomery County and I applaud her for her efforts, because none of us want to see the criminals get away with a crime. Obviously, secret compartments – people hiding drugs, hiding weapons – we cannot allow that, and I understand that.

However, in the verbiage – and the gentleman from Washington was talking about the word "integration" – the other verbiage that gives me great concern is "modification." There are a lot of us that ride motorcycles. I am one of them, and what could fall into the modification aspect is if we would not buy the Harley Davidson saddlebags, if we would buy an off-brand saddlebag and attach it to the motorcycle. Now we have made a modification. So under this language, these motorcycles, I mean, we could pull them over, and the language is very broad, I guess is what I am getting at, and any change you would make to a motorcycle, any compartment, any bag in the front on the bars or saddlebags in the back would fall into the category of a modification and an integration. So is the probable cause there? Can a policeman pull over anybody he sees on a motorcycle? We do not want that to happen, naturally. We want the criminals to be prosecuted. We want them to be pulled over, but the language here I think needs to be modified.

I would like to support this. However, it is just way too broad. So I must reluctantly rise to oppose this legislation, and I would plead that maybe we can change or modify the language somewhat to tailor it more towards the criminals, and not just someone that modifies his motorcycle going down the highway.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I would urge a "no" vote.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman and recognizes the gentleman from Montgomery County, Mr. Stephens.

Mr. STEPHENS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I rise in support of this legislation, and I just do think it is important to touch on a couple of the things that have been discussed here today.

When it comes to proving intent, frankly we have to prove intent is— Well, I am not a prosecutor anymore, but when I was a prosecutor, and those prosecutors out there have to continually prove intent on a number of different levels, depending upon the statute that they are prosecuting. And I think it is so important to recognize there are a million different ways to prove intent. You can prove intent through direct evidence, through circumstantial evidence, through a confession, through eyewitness testimony. I mean, you could prove that somebody intended to use a compartment for a criminal purpose in any number of ways, Mr. Speaker, and the beauty of this whole statute is, a jury is going to decide whether or not the prosecutor met its very high burden of proving beyond a reasonable doubt that the individual who is charged intended to use that compartment illegally. So the beauty of this is, it puts the decisionmaking authority about that intent in the hands of the jury and it holds the prosecutor to that very high standard of beyond a reasonable doubt, which, of course, they have to meet for each and every element of every crime in the Crimes Code.

Moreover, when speaking about this issue of modification, to me the notion of adding saddlebags to a motorcycle or adding fuzzy dice to your car certainly is not an integrated modification. An integrated modification is not something that is happening on the outside of the car or something that is easily done. An integrated modification takes a whole lot more than that. These are sophisticated criminals, Mr. Speaker. They cut out compartments; they are hidden. They typically involve a lot of either machining or welding and things along those lines in order to conceal these compartments, and it is very important that we give the prosecutors and our law enforcement community all the tools that they need to go after these folks that are engaging in this illegal activity and modifying these cars so that they can have these hidden compartments to help them ply their trade.

So for that reason, Mr. Speaker, I urge a "yes" vote by my colleagues on this bill. Thank you.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman and recognizes the gentleman from Cambria County, Mr. Barbin.

Mr. BARBIN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I also rise in opposition to this bill. As has been made very clear by the discussion today, there is not a person in the House who has an objection to helping the police officers put behind bars a criminal that is using a system to circumvent law enforcement procedures. The problem is, this issue forgets the fact that we already have three crimes that the prosecutor can

use in the circumstances that we claim justifies this new crime. Right now if someone is out there and he is using a secret compartment for drug delivery, he can be charged with possession. He can also be charged with intent to deliver. He can also be charged with conspiracy. Now, all of those are serious crimes that are much more serious than the M-1 that the maker of this bill has suggested.

The problem has also been made very clear by the speaker from Montgomery County, the former police officer, who said that what we want to do here is to try to look at those things that are integrated into other parts of the car. The problem is, the language that is used in this bill does not define "integrated." So we are not talking about a compartment that is integrated in the gas tank. We are not talking about a compartment that is integrated into the battery or a compartment that is integrated in something under the car. What we are talking about is anything that has been a modification because there is no definition.

So if we go forward with this bill, someone is going to get pulled over and they are going to say, we think you have got a false compartment. Now, the needs of the law enforcement are many, but since we already have three felony charges that can be used for the particular crime that we are trying to stop, we really do not need this bill, number one, and we certainly do not need a bill that is going to have a problem interpreting it. The last thing we need is a bunch of court appeals over what the definition of "integrated" is.

So I ask that this— We can fix it by sending it back to committee or we should not pass this bill. So I am opposed to the bill in its current form.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

The Chair recognizes the majority leader, Mr. Turzai.

Mr. TURZAI. Thank you very much.

I applaud the maker of this bill, HB 1521, and would ask everybody's support.

I think these are some important concerns. The bill is presently law in these States – Illinois, Ohio, Georgia, Arizona, Utah, California – and is being considered in significant other States, including Pennsylvania in front of us.

Many of you may or may not remember the movie and based on a real-life event and one that has been often repeated in dealing with the drug organizations, "The French Connection." The fact of the matter is, creating compartments in vehicles has been a significant part of the business of moving illegal drugs to and fro within the United States and is part of the commerce in illegal drugs that affect our kids in our communities and our schools.

The fact of the matter is, this is a bill that is actually narrowly tailored and has been found to be so in other jurisdictions similarly situated to Pennsylvania to address this issue. What we are getting at is actually very, very specific here. It is if you actually create these compartments in a vehicle with the design of using it for a criminal purpose. I think it is actually quite well drafted. It is following existing precedent, and it is designed to put an end to, amongst other areas, the trafficking of illegal narcotics in this country that in the end hurt your kids and ours.

Please pass this. This is an important law enforcement tool that is sought by, amongst others, the Office of Attorney General, the Pennsylvania District Attorneys Association, and the Pennsylvania State Police. Thank you very much.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman and recognizes the gentleman from Lancaster County, Mr. Cutler.

Mr. CUTLER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I was wondering if the maker of the bill might stand for brief interrogation.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. She has agreed, and you may proceed, Mr. Cutler.

Mr. CUTLER. Thank you.

First, I would like to thank the prime sponsor, because I know we raised some questions and concerns in committee and the bill had spent some substantial time being reworked there.

But I continue to have some concerns, and I would like to ask specifically regarding manufacturing. The example that I had raised to the gentelady for purposes of legislative intent was, when I was younger my father would typically carry cash under the carpet behind his truck seat. Does tearing up that carpet and using a preexisting area under the carpet constitute a manufacturing of a false compartment?

Ms. HARPER. Mr. Speaker, the bill is not meant to criminalize false compartments. The bill is meant to criminalize false compartments which are used criminally and also to allow for the forfeiture of such vehicles in the event of a conviction.

Mr. CUTLER. Thank you.

And additionally, in regards to the criminalization of the criminal intent related to the use of the false compartment, Mr. Speaker, what crimes would specifically be covered under your law that are not covered under existing law? It is my understanding that the forfeiture for the drug laws would already be encompassed. Are there other illegal items that would now also fall under the forfeiture act?

Ms. HARPER. Yes, Mr. Speaker. Right now under certain drug laws there are forfeiture provisions for certain vehicles used to transport drugs. However, we do not have a general law in that regard. This is more in the nature of instruments of crime as opposed – which is a general law and requires whatever it is to be used with intention to do it criminally or to aid a crime. There are specific drug laws that do allow forfeiture, but this would allow for the use of any secret compartment for any illegal purpose.

And as I stated earlier, they have been used to transport illegal guns; they have been used for drug trafficking, not legal guns, but for drug trafficking; they have been used to transport people for various reasons often connected with illicit sex trade, and they have been used for drugs or other illegal items.

Mr. CUTLER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Briefly on the bill, if I may.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman has concluded his interrogation and may proceed on the bill.

Mr. CUTLER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Thank you to the prime sponsor for helping outline the legislative intent. I, like some of my colleagues, actually have some concerns about the legal hiding of legal substances – for example, cash – and one of my concerns that I have spoken to the sponsor about would be specifically at what length would an innocent person have to prove that cash is not contraband or a legal firearm is not contraband, and therein lies my concern, because individuals may hide firearms or cash because they do not want their personal items to be seen from outside the vehicle.

I fully understand the intent in regards to the false-bottom gas tanks, the false-panel doors, back seats, all of the things that we see on the news when it comes to those areas. I understand that. I personally believe that our existing laws adequately go after the drug forfeiture and the seizure of those cars. I personally would like to see some strengthening in the bill regarding legal items and avoid the circumstance where we are going to have to have otherwise innocent people in legal conduct be defending their innocence in court. And for that reason I will currently be withholding my support from the bill. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman and recognizes the gentleman from Washington County, Mr. Neuman, for the second time.

Mr. NEUMAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I understand the arguments that were made before me by some of the former law enforcers and prosecutors. However, I am not worried about the people that are criminals. We are going to catch them; we are going to prosecute them, and they are going to be put in prison or punished accordingly. Mr. Speaker, I am worried about the people that do not even know that this law exists, and for the ones that are making these – transporting drugs and transporting humans, do you think they are really going to know that now a secret compartment is a misdemeanor-1 and they are not going to put secret compartments in their car? No.

The people that are going to be harmed by this bill are the ones we are not intending to punish. If we want to punish criminals, let us punish criminals. Let us not punish innocent people, and I consider punishment going to court whenever you are innocent. I do not want to have to wait till a jury tells me that the intent was not proper or the search and seizure was not proper, whenever you already lost your vehicle, you already lost your fees to an attorney. I want criminals to be punished, and I think this bill unduly punishes people that it is not intended to punish. So for that, Mr. Speaker, I must oppose this bill. Thank you.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman and recognizes the maker of the bill, Ms. Harper.

Ms. HARPER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This bill was suggested to me by a constituent who is a Federal law enforcement officer. His regular patrol is along I-95 in Philadelphia. He told me how frustrating it is to be along I-95 in Philadelphia where there is regular trafficking of guns, drugs, and even people up and down the coast, the Atlantic coast of our country, and how sometimes he would catch the person, but they would have the secret compartment but not have anything in it, and he would have to let them go to do it again.

So I approached our staff and had a bill drafted. We have amended it so that we use Illinois's language, because the State of Illinois has had this law for quite a while and their Supreme Court has vetted the exact language that we used.

Mr. Speaker, the reason for the bill is evident from the local newspapers, and just this past Memorial Day weekend in Philadelphia there was a drug bust. Criminal intent was established because there was an informant of a Mexican drug cartel, and as a result of that, 16 vehicles, \$300,000 in cash, and cocaine with an estimated street value of \$2.8 million was seized because we had an informant who told us what the district attorney later explained. Cocaine is being transported

via the Pennsylvania Turnpike in secret compartments to be distributed in Philadelphia, all over the city, and in New Jersey.

The District Attorneys Association has endorsed this bill as another tool that they need. In addition, the Judiciary Committee reported this bill unanimously. Mr. Speaker, those people who mischaracterize the bill as either being aimed at or possibly used by someone who simply has a secret compartment for a lawful reason are just plain wrong. That is not what the bill does, and it cannot do it unless the Commonwealth can prove criminal intent, criminal intent beyond a reasonable doubt, to a jury.

For that reason, Mr. Speaker, the fears of those who oppose the bill are not founded in reality, but the fears of those who want the bill and want a tool to go after those who use our highways for trafficking in guns, drugs, and human beings are founded, and we should pass this bill now, get it to the Senate, and make it the law of Pennsylvania, as it is in Illinois.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the lady and recognizes the gentleman from Dauphin County, Mr. Marsico.

Mr. MARSICO. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I rise to support this bill, HB 1521, and commend the prime sponsor for her leadership. This gives law enforcement another tool to fight crime.

The police must – I think you must understand this – the police must have probable cause to search. It is that simple. The police enforcement authorities must have probable cause. With that, I want to say also that the Office of Attorney General supports this bill, the Chiefs of Police, and the State Police as well, along with the Pennsylvania District Attorneys Association.

Once again, a crime, there must be a suspect or probable cause that a crime has been committed, and I think that is the bottom line here. And once again, it gives our law enforcement authorities the tool to fight crime. Thank you.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On the question recurring,  
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS-114

Adolph	Everett	Killion	Ravenstahl
Baker	Fabrizio	Knowles	Readshaw
Barrar	Farry	Kotik	Reed
Benninghoff	Fleck	Lawrence	Rock
Bishop	Freeman	Longiotti	Ross
Bloom	Galloway	Major	Sainato
Boback	Geist	Marshall	Samuelson
Boyd	Gerber	Marsico	Santarsiero
Boyle, B.	Gibbons	Masser	Santoni
Boyle, K.	Gillespie	Matzie	Saylor
Bradford	Gingrich	Miccarelli	Scavello
Brennan	Godshall	Micozzie	Sonney
Briggs	Goodman	Millard	Staback
Brown, R.	Grell	Miller	Stephens
Buxton	Grove	Milne	Stern
Caltagirone	Hackett	Mirabito	Stevenson
Christiana	Hahn	Moul	Swanger
Clymer	Harhai	Murt	Tallman
Cohen	Harkins	O'Neill	Taylor

Costa, D.	Harper	Oberlander	Tobash
Culver	Harris	Payne	Toepel
Curry	Heffley	Peifer	Toohil
Daley	Helm	Perry	Turzai
Davis	Hennessey	Petrarca	Vereb
Deasy	Hess	Petri	Vitali
Delozier	Hickernell	Pickett	Vulakovich
DeLuca	Kampf	Pyle	
DePasquale	Kauffman	Quigley	Smith, S.,
DiGirolamo	Keller, M.K.	Quinn	Speaker

NAYS-83

Aument	Dunbar	Krieger	Payton
Barbin	Ellis	Kula	Preston
Bear	Emrick	Mackenzie	Rapp
Brooks	Evankovich	Maher	Reese
Brown, V.	Evans, D.	Mahoney	Roae
Brownlee	Frankel	Maloney	Roebuck
Burns	Gabler	Mann	Sabatina
Carroll	George	Markosek	Saccone
Causar	Gergely	McGeehan	Schmotzer
Conklin	Gillen	Metcalfe	Simmons
Costa, P.	Haluska	Metzgar	Smith, K.
Cox	Harhart	Mullery	Smith, M.
Creighton	Hornaman	Mundy	Sturla
Cruz	Hutchinson	Murphy	Thomas
Cutler	James	Mustio	Truitt
Davidson	Josephs	Myers	Waters
Dean	Kavulich	Neilson	Wheatley
DeLissio	Keller, F.	Neuman	White
Denlinger	Keller, W.	O'Brien, M.	Williams
Dermody	Kirkland	Parker	Youngblood
Donatucci	Kortz	Pashinski	

NOT VOTING-0

EXCUSED-4

Day	Evans, J.	Hanna	Watson
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The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 2390, PN 3604**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in taxicabs and limousines in cities of the first class, further providing for definitions, for contested complaints, for driver certification program, for power of authority to issue certificates of public convenience, for certificate and medallion required, for additional certificates and medallions, for wages and for civil penalties.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?  
 Agreeable to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays will now be taken.

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—194

Adolph	Dunbar	Kirkland	Preston
Aument	Ellis	Knowles	Pyle
Baker	Emrick	Kortz	Quigley
Barbin	Evankovich	Kotik	Quinn
Barrar	Evans, D.	Krieger	Rapp
Bear	Everett	Kula	Ravenstahl
Benninghoff	Fabrizio	Lawrence	Readshaw
Bishop	Farry	Longietti	Reed
Bloom	Fleck	Mackenzie	Reese
Boback	Frankel	Maher	Roae
Boyd	Freeman	Mahoney	Rock
Boyle, B.	Gabler	Major	Roebuck
Boyle, K.	Galloway	Maloney	Ross
Bradford	Geist	Mann	Sabatina
Brennan	George	Markosek	Saccone
Briggs	Gerber	Marshall	Sainato
Brooks	Gergely	Marsico	Samuelson
Brown, R.	Gibbons	Masser	Santarsiero
Brownlee	Gillen	Matzie	Santoni
Burns	Gillespie	McGeehan	Saylor
Buxton	Gingrich	Metcalfe	Scavello
Caltagirone	Godshall	Metzgar	Schmotzer
Carroll	Goodman	Miccarelli	Simmons
Causer	Grell	Micozzie	Smith, K.
Christiana	Grove	Millard	Smith, M.
Clymer	Hackett	Miller	Sonney
Cohen	Hahn	Milne	Staback
Conklin	Haluska	Mirabito	Stephens
Costa, D.	Harhai	Moul	Stern
Costa, P.	Harhart	Mullery	Stevenson
Cox	Harkins	Mundy	Sturla
Creighton	Harper	Murphy	Swanger
Cruz	Harris	Murt	Tallman
Culver	Heffley	Mustio	Taylor
Curry	Helm	Myers	Tobash
Cutler	Hennessey	Neilson	Toepel
Daley	Hess	Neuman	Toohil
Davidson	Hickernell	O'Brien, M.	Truitt
Davis	Hornaman	O'Neill	Turzai
Dean	Hutchinson	Oberlander	Verab
Deasy	James	Parker	Vitali
DeLissio	Josephs	Pashinski	Vulakovich
Delozier	Kampf	Payne	Waters
DeLuca	Kauffman	Payton	Wheatley
Denlinger	Kavulich	Peifer	White
DePasquale	Keller, F.	Perry	Williams
Dermody	Keller, M.K.	Petrarca	
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.	Petri	Smith, S.,
Donatucci	Killion	Pickett	Speaker

NAYS—2

Brown, V.	Youngblood
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NOT VOTING—1

Thomas
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EXCUSED—4

Day	Evans, J.	Hanna	Watson
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The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 646, PN 3509**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 2, 1993 (P.L.345, No.48), entitled "An act empowering the General Counsel or his designee to issue subpoenas for certain licensing board activities; providing for hearing examiners in the Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs; providing additional powers to the Commissioner of Professional and Occupational Affairs; and further providing for civil penalties and license suspension," further providing for definitions and for civil penalties.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?  
 Agreeable to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays will now be taken.

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—197

Adolph	Dunbar	Knowles	Quigley
Aument	Ellis	Kortz	Quinn
Baker	Emrick	Kotik	Rapp
Barbin	Evankovich	Krieger	Ravenstahl
Barrar	Evans, D.	Kula	Readshaw
Bear	Everett	Lawrence	Reed
Benninghoff	Fabrizio	Longietti	Reese
Bishop	Farry	Mackenzie	Roae
Bloom	Fleck	Maher	Rock
Boback	Frankel	Mahoney	Roebuck
Boyd	Freeman	Major	Ross
Boyle, B.	Gabler	Maloney	Sabatina
Boyle, K.	Galloway	Mann	Saccone
Bradford	Geist	Markosek	Sainato
Brennan	George	Marshall	Samuelson
Briggs	Gerber	Marsico	Santarsiero
Brooks	Gergely	Masser	Santoni
Brown, R.	Gibbons	Matzie	Saylor
Brown, V.	Gillen	McGeehan	Scavello
Brownlee	Gillespie	Metcalfe	Schmotzer
Burns	Gingrich	Metzgar	Simmons
Buxton	Godshall	Miccarelli	Smith, K.
Caltagirone	Goodman	Micozzie	Smith, M.
Carroll	Grell	Millard	Sonney
Causer	Grove	Miller	Staback
Christiana	Hackett	Milne	Stephens
Clymer	Hahn	Mirabito	Stern
Cohen	Haluska	Moul	Stevenson

Conklin	Harhai	Mullery	Sturla
Costa, D.	Harhart	Mundy	Swanger
Costa, P.	Harkins	Murphy	Tallman
Cox	Harper	Murt	Taylor
Creighton	Harris	Mustio	Thomas
Cruz	Heffley	Myers	Tobash
Culver	Helm	Neilson	Toepel
Curry	Hennessey	Neuman	Toohil
Cutler	Hess	O'Brien, M.	Truitt
Daley	Hickernell	O'Neill	Turzai
Davidson	Hornaman	Oberlander	Vereb
Davis	Hutchinson	Parker	Vitali
Dean	James	Pashinski	Vulakovich
Deasy	Josephs	Payne	Waters
DeLissio	Kampf	Payton	Wheatley
Delozier	Kauffman	Peifer	White
DeLuca	Kavulich	Perry	Williams
Denlinger	Keller, F.	Petrarca	Youngblood
DePasquale	Keller, M.K.	Petri	
Dermody	Keller, W.	Pickett	Smith, S.,
DiGirolamo	Killion	Preston	Speaker
Donatucci	Kirkland	Pyle	

NAYS-0

NOT VOTING-0

EXCUSED-4

Day	Evans, J.	Hanna	Watson
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The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 2043, PN 3660**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for powers and duties of Municipal Police Officers' Education and Training Commission.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS-197

Adolph	Dunbar	Knowles	Quigley
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Bear	Everett	Lawrence	Reed
Benninghoff	Fabrizio	Longietti	Reese
Bishop	Farry	Mackenzie	Roae
Bloom	Fleck	Maher	Rock
Boback	Frankel	Mahoney	Roebuck
Boyd	Freeman	Major	Ross
Briggs, B.	Gabler	Maloney	Santarsiero
Boyle, K.	Galloway	Mann	Saccone
Bradford	Geist	Markosek	Sainato
Brennan	George	Marshall	Samuelson
Briggs	Gerber	Marsico	Santarsiero
Brooks	Gergely	Masser	Santoni
Brown, R.	Gibbons	Matzie	Saylor
Brown, V.	Gillen	McGeehan	Scavello
Brownlee	Gillespie	Metcalfe	Schmotzer
Burns	Gingrich	Metzgar	Simmons
Buxton	Godshall	Miccarelli	Smith, K.
Caltagirone	Goodman	Micozzie	Smith, M.
Carroll	Grell	Millard	Sonney
Causser	Grove	Miller	Staback
Christiana	Hackett	Milne	Stephens
Clymer	Hahn	Mirabito	Stern
Cohen	Haluska	Moul	Stevenson
Conklin	Harhai	Mullery	Sturla
Costa, D.	Harhart	Mundy	Swanger
Costa, P.	Harkins	Murphy	Tallman
Cox	Harper	Murt	Taylor
Creighton	Harris	Mustio	Thomas
Cruz	Heffley	Myers	Tobash
Culver	Helm	Neilson	Toepel
Curry	Hennessey	Neuman	Toohil
Cutler	Hess	O'Brien, M.	Truitt
Daley	Hickernell	O'Neill	Turzai
Davidson	Hornaman	Oberlander	Vereb
Davis	Hutchinson	Parker	Vitali
Dean	James	Pashinski	Vulakovich
Deasy	Josephs	Payne	Waters
DeLissio	Kampf	Payton	Wheatley
Delozier	Kauffman	Peifer	White
DeLuca	Kavulich	Perry	Williams
Denlinger	Keller, F.	Petrarca	Youngblood
DePasquale	Keller, M.K.	Petri	
Dermody	Keller, W.	Pickett	Smith, S.,
DiGirolamo	Killion	Preston	Speaker
Donatucci	Kirkland	Pyle	

NAYS-0

NOT VOTING-0

EXCUSED-4

Day	Evans, J.	Hanna	Watson
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The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

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

**CALENDAR CONTINUED**

**RESOLUTION**

Mr. TALLMAN called up **HR 660, PN 3340**, entitled:

A Resolution encouraging the Governor to request that the Independent Regulatory Review Commission and all Commonwealth agencies with guidelines, regulations, licenses, certifications or criteria that require a high school diploma deem a postsecondary degree from



an accredited institution of higher education as satisfying the requirement.

On the question,  
Will the House adopt the resolution?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—197

Adolph	Dunbar	Knowles	Quigley
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Baker	Emrick	Kotik	Rapp
Barbin	Evankovich	Krieger	Ravenstahl
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Dermody	Keller, W.	Pickett	Smith, S., Speaker
DiGirolamo	Killion	Preston	
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NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—4

Day	Evans, J.	Hanna	Watson
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The majority having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the resolution was adopted.

COMMITTEE MEETING POSTPONED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair at this time recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Miller, for a committee announcement.

Mr. MILLER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

It is just a reminder to the House Labor and Industry Committee members, we had a meeting scheduled for 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. That meeting is postponed. It will be at the call of the Chair. So you will hear a meeting called tomorrow off of the floor at the call of the Chair. But the 9 o'clock meeting is postponed.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

VOTE CORRECTION

The SPEAKER pro tempore. For what purpose does the gentleman, Mr. Thomas, rise?

Mr. THOMAS. Mr. Speaker, my button on HB 2390 did not record, and my vote should have been a "no" vote.

STATEMENT BY MR. THOMAS

Mr. THOMAS. And, Mr. Speaker, I was trying to get your attention at the time, because I at least wanted to share with everybody that in the case of *Ward v. Philadelphia Parking Authority*, they are in settlement now on the question of whether we should even be doing this in light of the Americans with Disabilities Act, and that under the Americans with Disabilities Act, there is a real possibility that this should have been done anyway rather than having a created situation where people have to pay to make cabs and limousines available to people physically disabled. Thank you.

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

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

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

Mr. BENNINGHOFF. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I wish to make a committee announcement.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman is in order to make a committee announcement, and you may proceed.

Mr. BENNINGHOFF. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

As follow-up to an e-mail we sent, I want to remind the members that the House Finance Committee will have a voting meeting on Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. in 205 Ryan Office Building, and we will consider HB 2470 and SB 1263. That is, again, Wednesday at 10:30 a.m., 205 Ryan Building, House Finance Committee.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

The Finance Committee will meet on Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. in 205 Ryan.

For the information of the members, there will be no further votes for this evening.

**BILL RECOMMITTED**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who moves that SB 276 be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

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

**BILLS REMOVED FROM TABLE**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who moves that the following bills be removed from the tabled calendar and placed on the active calendar:

HB 1596;  
HB 1659;  
HB 2267; and  
SB 1464.

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

**BILL REMOVED FROM TABLE**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who moves that HB 2234 be removed from the tabled calendar and placed on the active calendar.

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

**BILL TABLED**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who moves that HB 2234 be removed from the active calendar and placed on the tabled calendar.

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

**HOUSE BILLS  
INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

**No. 2369** By Representatives TRUITT, HESS, KILLION, REED and GROVE

An Act amending the act of May 15, 1933 (P.L.565, No.111), known as the Department of Banking Code, further providing for general scope of supervision and exercise of discretion, for assessment of expenses of department upon institutions, for disclosure of information forbidden, penalty and exceptions, for examination of corporations or persons affiliated with institutions and for orders by department; and providing for implementation of the Consumer Financial Protection Act of 2010.

Referred to Committee on COMMERCE, June 18, 2012.

**No. 2486** By Representative McGEEHAN

An Act designating the bridge carrying Torresdale Avenue, State Route 1004, over the Pennypack Creek, in Philadelphia County, as the Paul W. Kauffman Memorial Bridge.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, June 18, 2012.

**BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS PASSED OVER**

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

**ADJOURNMENT**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentlelady, Ms. Brownlee, from Philadelphia, who moves that this House now adjourn until Tuesday, June 19, 2012, at 11 a.m., e.d.t., unless sooner recalled by the Speaker.

On the question,  
Will the House agree to the motion?  
Motion was agreed to, and at 5:18 p.m., e.d.t., the House adjourned.