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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE (MATTHEW E. BAKER) PRESIDING

PRAYER

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The prayer will be offered by Reverend Bond, Rev. James Bond. He is from the Revival Tabernacle, Watsontown, Pennsylvania.

REV. JAMES R. BOND, Guest Chaplain of the House of Representatives, offered the following prayer:

Please join me in prayer.

Heavenly Father, we come to You today desiring Your will in our lives and in the life of this great Commonwealth. You have graced us with Your imperishable traits of mercy and love. We honor and reverence You for allowing this great Holy Experiment, begun by a believer, to continue to flourish even in difficult and trying times. When You asked King Solomon what he desired above all, his response was that he only wanted wisdom and knowledge to lead the people. The esteemed men and women of this great Assembly have that same desire: to lead the citizens of this Commonwealth in wisdom and knowledge. We pray today that You will grant that desire and offer Your help in continuing the rights of freedom, which we have enjoyed these many years. Protect us, Savior, from outside pressures and influences attempting to hinder our progress. Keep us safe from those who would bring harm to this community, State, and nation. Our trust is forever in You.

We continue to humbly invoke Your guidance asking for Your protection of our civil and religious liberties. We are forever indebted to You for clearly delineating Your expectations for each of us in Your Word. We ask today for the strength and will to "...do justly, to love mercy and to walk humbly with our God." Thank You, Almighty God, for giving each of us the ability and freedom to call on Your name, to pray and humble ourselves, to seek Your face, and to turn from our wicked ways. We know as we do so You will "...hear from Heaven and heal our land." Let great leaders arise from this esteemed House and show us the way of contriteness and humility before You. Give them the power to pursue the victory that is surely ahead for those who love You and keep Your commandments.

May Your many blessings be upon this Assembly and upon each individual legislator as he or she turns to seek Your guidance. Grant them the wisdom to act on behalf of the citizens of this great Commonwealth in accordance with Your will and Your Word. We ask these things in the name of Your dear son, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

JOURNAL APPROVAL POSTPONED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the approval of the Journal of Tuesday, October 2, 2012, will be postponed until printed.

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEES, CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED

HB 2492, PN 4184 (Amended) By Rep. HARHART

An Act amending the act of May 1, 1933 (P.L.216, No.76), known as The Dental Law, further providing for definitions, for general powers of the State Board of Dentistry, for fees, for reason for refusal, revocation or suspension of license or certificate, for penalties and for reporting of multiple licensure or certification; and providing for restricted faculty license.

PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE.

SB 1442, PN 2386 By Rep. MARSICO

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, repealing and adding sections related to military justice; and establishing the State Military Justice Fund.

JUDICIARY.

SENATE MESSAGE

HOUSE BILL
CONCURRED IN BY SENATE

The clerk of the Senate, being introduced, returned **HB 2324, PN 3399**, with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendment.

SENATE MESSAGE

AMENDED SENATE BILL RETURNED
FOR CONCURRENCE AND
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES

The clerk of the Senate, being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives by amending said amendments to **SB 444, PN 2433**.

Ordered, That the clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

SENATE MESSAGE

AMENDED SENATE BILL RETURNED
FOR CONCURRENCE AND
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES

The clerk of the Senate, being introduced, informed that the Senate has concurred in the amendments made by the House of Representatives to Senate amendments by further amending House amendments to **SB 1546, PN 2434**.

Ordered, That the clerk present the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

**HOUSE RESOLUTIONS
INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

No. 880 By Representatives M. SMITH, B. BOYLE, BRIGGS, BROWNLEE, CALTAGIRONE, D. COSTA, DAVIS, EVERETT, FRANKEL, GEORGE, GOODMAN, HENNESSEY, JAMES, KORTZ, KULA, MANN, MIRABITO, M. O'BRIEN, PARKER, PAYTON, READSHAW, CULVER, THOMAS, SANTONI, SANTARSIERO, MAJOR and HARKINS

A Resolution designating October 11, 2012, as the "Day of the Girl" in Pennsylvania.

Referred to Committee on CHILDREN AND YOUTH, October 3, 2012.

No. 897 By Representatives COHEN, BRIGGS, CALTAGIRONE, DALEY, DeLUCA, FABRIZIO, FREEMAN, HESS, JAMES, JOSEPHS, KULA, PARKER, SCHMOTZER and WATERS

A Resolution expressing support for the new regulations proposed by the Federal Trade Commission to restrict national food and beverage companies from advertising unhealthy foods to children.

Referred to Committee on HEALTH, October 3, 2012.

SENATE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE

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

SB 201, PN 2384

Referred to Committee on AGING AND OLDER ADULT SERVICES, October 3, 2012.

SB 657, PN 671

Referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, October 3, 2012.

SB 991, PN 2413

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, October 3, 2012.

SB 1185, PN 2274

Referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, October 3, 2012.

SB 1352, PN 2414

Referred to Committee on PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, October 3, 2012.

SB 1402, PN 2415

Referred to Committee on GAME AND FISHERIES, October 3, 2012.

SB 1591, PN 2380

Referred to Committee on INSURANCE, October 3, 2012.

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

SB 1255, PN 2170

By Rep. METCALFE

An Act amending Title 25 (Elections) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, enacting the Uniform Military and Overseas Voters Act.

STATE GOVERNMENT.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

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

The Chair recognizes the majority whip, who requests a leave of absence for the gentleman, Mr. TOBASH, from Schuylkill County for the day. Without objection, the leave will be so granted.

The Chair recognizes the minority whip, who requests a leave of absence for the gentleman, Mr. Dwight EVANS, from Philadelphia for the day, and Mr. Brendan BOYLE from Philadelphia for the day. Without objection, the leaves of absence will be so granted.

MASTER ROLL CALL

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

The following roll call was recorded:

PRESENT—196

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

ADDITIONS—0**NOT VOTING—0****EXCUSED—4**

Boyle, B.	Evans, D.	Swanger	Tobash
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LEAVES ADDED—5

Bear	Galloway	Thomas	Tobash
DePasquale			

LEAVES CANCELED—2

Boyle, B.	Tobash
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The SPEAKER pro tempore. One hundred and ninety-six members having voted on the master roll, a quorum is present.

GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Located to the left of the rostrum, the Chair welcomes the wife of our Guest Chaplain, the Reverend Jilline Bond. She and Rev. James Bond are the guests of Representative Culver. Please rise and be recognized.

Located to the left of the rostrum, the Chair welcomes former Hershey Bears hockey players Marc "Shakey" D'Amour, Frederic Cassivi, and Mitch Lamoureux. With them is the current "Voice of the Bears," Scott Stuccio. They are the guests of Representative Payne. Please rise and be recognized.

Located to the left of the rostrum, the Chair welcomes a group of guests from North Central Sight Services: Robert Garrett, president and CEO (chief executive officer); James Snyder, vice president of operations; and Heather Engle, programs and services director. They are the guests of Representative Mirabito. Please rise and be recognized.

Also located to the left of the rostrum, the Chair welcomes Patsy Brown. She is the guest of Representative Culver. Welcome.

Located to the left of the rostrum, the Chair welcomes Natalie Fiato, who is interning with Representative Frank Dermody this semester. Natalie is majoring in political science and Italian at the University of Pittsburgh. Welcome.

Located in the rear of the House, the Chair welcomes students from the Gwynedd Mercy Academy High School U.S. government class: Jenna Raschiatore, Julia Rizzuto, Nicki Petrusky, and Marisa Hoffman. They are guests of Representatives Harper, Bradford, and Murt. Please rise and be recognized.

Located also in the rear of the House, the Chair welcomes Daniel, Patricia, and Emily Scott; and Finn Gunther. They are the guests of Representative Killion. Please rise and be recognized.

Also located in the rear of the House and in the gallery, the Chair welcomes Native American nations from various regions of the Commonwealth. They are the guests of Representative Vanessa Lowery Brown. Please rise and be recognized.

Located in the well of the House, the Chair welcomes guest page P.J. Ferdinand. Seated to the left of the rostrum are his parents, Susan and Peter Ferdinand. They are the guests of Representative Toohil. Please rise and be recognized.

Also located in the well of the House, the Chair welcomes guest page Miles Jones. He is a freshman at Lincoln University. He is the guest of Representative Lawrence. Please rise and be recognized.

UNCONTESTED CALENDAR

RESOLUTIONS PURSUANT TO RULE 35

Mr. MIRABITO called up **HR 796, PN 3879**, entitled:

A Resolution celebrating the 55th anniversary of North Central Sight Services, Inc.

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Ms. V. BROWN called up **HR 861, PN 4071**, entitled:

A Resolution congratulating and recognizing Pennsylvania's American Indian peoples and communities and recognizing the first Saturday in October of every year as "Indigenous Peoples Day" in Pennsylvania.

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Mrs. KULA called up **HR 885, PN 4155**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of October 2012 as "Crime Prevention Month" in Pennsylvania.

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Mr. GILLEN called up **HR 886, PN 4156**, entitled:

A Resolution commemorating the 70th anniversary of the Civil Air Patrol Cadet Program.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolutions?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—196

Adolph	Dunbar	Kirkland	Preston
Aument	Ellis	Knowles	Pyle
Baker	Emrick	Kortz	Quigley
Barbin	Evankovich	Kotik	Quinn
Barrar	Evans, J.	Krieger	Rapp
Bear	Everett	Kula	Ravenstahl
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Brooks	Gerber	Marshall	Sainato
Brown, R.	Gergely	Marsico	Samuelson
Brown, V.	Gibbons	Masser	Santarsiero
Brownlee	Gillen	Matzie	Santoni
Burns	Gillespie	McGeehan	Saylor
Buxton	Gingrich	Metcalfe	Scavello
Caltagirone	Godshall	Metzgar	Schmotzer
Carroll	Goodman	Miccarelli	Simmons
Causser	Grell	Micozzie	Smith, K.
Christiana	Grove	Millard	Smith, M.
Clymer	Hackett	Miller	Sonney
Cohen	Hahn	Milne	Staback
Conklin	Haluska	Mirabito	Stephens
Costa, D.	Hanna	Moul	Stern
Costa, P.	Harhai	Mullery	Stevenson
Cox	Harhart	Mundy	Sturla
Creighton	Harkins	Murphy	Tallman

Cruz	Harper	Murt	Taylor
Culver	Harris	Mustio	Thomas
Curry	Heffley	Myers	Toepel
Cutler	Helm	Neilson	Toohil
Daley	Hennessey	Neuman	Truitt
Davidson	Hess	O'Brien, M.	Turzai
Davis	Hickernell	O'Neill	Vereb
Day	Hornaman	Oberlander	Vitali
Dean	Hutchinson	Parker	Waters
Deasy	James	Pashinski	Watson
DeLissio	Josephs	Payne	Wheatley
DeLozier	Kampf	Payton	White
DeLuca	Kauffman	Peifer	Williams
Denlinger	Kavulich	Perry	Youngblood
DePasquale	Keller, F.	Petrarca	
Dermody	Keller, M.K.	Petri	Smith, S., Speaker
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.	Pickett	
Donatucci	Killion		

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—4

Boyle, B.	Evans, D.	Swanger	Tobash
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The majority having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the resolutions were adopted.

STATEMENT BY MR. MIRABITO

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair at this time recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Mirabito, on unanimous consent regarding HR 796.

Mr. MIRABITO. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Members, kindly take your seats. Members, please clear the aisles.

The gentleman may proceed.

Mr. MIRABITO. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, when we came into the chamber today, we were able to see this beautiful room and we were able to see each other and we probably did not think twice about our ability to do so. One individual with us today who could not see the chamber or who could not see all of us is Bob Garrett, president and CEO of North Central Sight Services. See, Bob grew up in Philadelphia with his brother, sister, and his parents, and his story is one that could happen to any one of our families. As a small boy, he developed cancer of the eye, and both his eyes were removed to prevent the cancer from spreading and to save his life, thus he lost his sight as a young child. But fortunately for all of us, he did not lose his spirit.

Bob went on to attend the Overbrook School for the Blind in Philadelphia, where he graduated in 1970. He received his bachelor of arts degree in sociology at Thiel College, graduating in 1974. And for a few years during college he worked as a camp counselor at Beacon Lodge, a summer camp for children and adults with disabilities. His real work and his passion began after graduation when he became a caseworker at North Central Sight Services, formerly known as the Lycoming County Association for the Blind. In 1986 he became the executive director, and for the last 26 years he has helped build the agency.

GUESTS INTRODUCED

Mr. MIRABITO. Bob is joined today by James Snyder, the vice president of operations, and Heather Engle, the director of programs and services. They are seated to the left of the Speaker, and I would like you to give a warm welcome to our guests.

Mr. Speaker, HR 796 honors North Central Sight Services for the work it has done on behalf of the visually impaired for 55 years. North Central Sight Services began in 1957 as the Lycoming County Association for the Blind, and the philosophy is helping people help themselves; helping people help themselves. The agency provides opportunities for the blind and visually impaired to achieve self-reliance and autonomy through programs, services, and employment opportunities, and the agency serves individuals in Bradford, Centre, Clinton, Lycoming, Potter, Sullivan, Susquehanna, and Tioga Counties.

Throughout its history, North Central Sight Services has tirelessly supported and promoted individuals with macular degeneration, diabetic retinopathy, and other visual impairments by helping them create independent lives and meaningful jobs for these Pennsylvanians. Macular degeneration and diabetic retinopathy are just two of the impairments that afflict thousands, thousands of our citizens in Pennsylvania. And as many of you may know, macular degeneration has a higher incidence among people over age 40, and that is why it is of particular concern to us in Pennsylvania, because as our population ages, the incidence of that ailment will grow. In fact, they estimate that the number of people with macular degeneration will increase by 50 percent by the year 2020, and so true with diabetic retinopathy.

Mr. Speaker, I ask for your support today of this resolution honoring the noble work of North Central Sight Services and urge my colleagues to vote "yes." Thank you.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

The Chair recognizes Representative Vanessa Brown upon unanimous consent on HR 861.

We will go over that temporarily.

RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO RULE 35

Mr. TURZAI called up **HR 856, PN 4068**, entitled:

A Resolution honoring the 100th anniversary of West Philadelphia High School in the City of Philadelphia.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolution?

RESOLUTION RECOMMENDED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who moves that HR 856 be recommitted to the Rules Committee. Without objection, the resolution will be so referred.

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

CALENDAR

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 2409, PN 4164**, entitled:

An Act providing for actions for costs of care of seized animals.

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

BILL RECOMMENDED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who moves that HB 2409, PN 4164, be recommitted to the Appropriations Committee.

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

RULES COMMITTEE MEETING

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

Mr. TURZAI. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

We will have an immediate meeting of the Rules Committee in the majority leader's office; an immediate meeting of the Rules Committee in the majority leader's office. I am going to divert to my colleague, the majority Appropriations chair.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

There will be an immediate Rules Committee meeting in the majority leader's office.

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority Appropriations chair.

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

Mr. Speaker, the House Appropriations Committee will meet as soon as the Rules Committee is over in the majority caucus room. Thank you.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

There will be an Appropriations Committee meeting as soon as the Rules Committee meeting is over in the majority caucus room.

AGING AND OLDER ADULT SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Hennessey, for an announcement.

Mr. HENNESSEY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The House Aging and Older Adult Services Committee will meet in G-50, Irvis Office Building, immediately upon your declaration of recess, to consider SB 201, a bill which would

allow patients a choice in using mail order or their local pharmacies; immediately upon the declaration of recess in G-50, Irvis Office Building. Thank you.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

There will be an immediate meeting of the Aging and Older Adult Services Committee to consider SB 201 in G-50, Irvis Office Building.

The Chair recognizes Representative Major for a caucus announcement. Not at this time?

While the House Rules Committee and the Appropriations Committee meet, the House will come to order.

STATEMENT BY MS. V. BROWN

The SPEAKER pro tempore. We recognize the presence on the floor of Representative Vanessa Brown upon unanimous consent, and she is so recognized on HR 861. You may proceed, Representative Brown.

Ms. V. BROWN. Good morning and thank you, Mr. Speaker, and thank you to all of my colleagues for just indulging me one more time on this House floor for such a wonderful opportunity to recognize some folks that I feel really, really close to, and they are my family. So I just want to thank the House for allowing me to bring my family here today.

So thank you for taking this time to celebrate the true first Pennsylvanians. You may know many of them as Native Americans or American Indians, but today they are eloquently known as indigenous people. The indigenous people were here for years before many others arrived on this continent. I am honored to be able to recognize the members of the indigenous community who took their time to come here to celebrate today.

There is so much to learn from the indigenous community about their rich history, identity, and ancestral legacy.

Pennsylvania was populated by numerous tribes, including the Lenape, Cherokee, Susquehanna, Unami, Minsi, Minquas, Erie, Muscogee, Mohawk, Huron, Allegany, Shawnee, Susquehannock, Oneida, Onondaga, Cayuga and Seneca Indians, and the Wyandot, Chippewa, Mississauga, and Ottawa Indians.

According to the 2010 U.S. Census—

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Will the gentelady please suspend.

Members, please come to order. It is the Chair's understanding there is entirely too much noise and many members and our guests cannot hear.

Ms. V. BROWN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

And after going through all of those names, I really appreciate the silence, so thank you. I am really proud that I got through that.

According to the 2010 U.S. Census, there are approximately 25,000 Pennsylvania residents who claim indigenous ancestry, including 4,000 in Philadelphia alone.

In Pennsylvania we take great pride in preserving the legacy in our bodies of water, with rivers like the Susquehanna and the Allegheny, and towns like Wissahickon and Manayunk. Evidence of their long history abounds throughout Pennsylvania, from the ruins down the Susquehanna in Washington Borough to the burial mounds in McKees Rocks. In fact, artifacts believed to be more than 10,000 years old have

been uncovered in the Indian Caverns of Tyrone. In other words, evidence of the indigenous society goes back to 8000 B.C. (before Christ), and here we are recognizing them today.

So thank you, Mr. Speaker, and all of my colleagues for joining me in honoring the original Pennsylvanians, and a special thanks to those who came here to honor us with their attendance. God bless you.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the lady and welcomes the guests once again. Please rise and be recognized.

The House will be temporarily at ease awaiting the return of the Rules Committee and the Appropriations Committee, whereby we will then resume voting.

The House will be temporarily at ease.

The House will come to order.

STATEMENT BY MR. DiGIROLAMO

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Does the gentleman, Mr. DiGirolamo, seek recognition?

Mr. DiGIROLAMO. Yes, Mr. Speaker, under unanimous consent.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under unanimous consent, the gentleman is so recognized.

Mr. DiGIROLAMO. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Again, in honor of our guests here this morning and just from the wonderful comments of the gentelady from Philadelphia, I think it is appropriate here. I would like to bring up St. Katharine Drexel, who has a motherhouse in my legislative district in Bensalem.

And St. Katharine Drexel is just a wonderful, wonderful story. She had formed and started the Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament back in 1890, and her mission back then – and still it is today, the Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament – was to help those people who were most in need at that time, the African-Americans and Native American Indians here in America, and just a wonderful story. She donated her entire fortune back then of what was \$20 million, but not only the money but dedicated her life and all the sisters' lives to helping those poor people. She started Xavier University, which is in New Orleans, which is the largest predominantly African-American university in the United States, and also started many schools, missions, and hospitals, mainly in the south and southwest, to help the Native American Indians.

So I would just like to bring up the memory of St. Katharine Drexel. Her motherhouse is in my legislative district. She is the second United States citizen to be canonized a saint within the Catholic Church, and I would like to recognize her good work and the continuing good work of the Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

The House will be temporarily at ease.

The House will come to order.

UNCONTESTED SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR A

RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO RULE 35

Mrs. WATSON called up **HR 893, PN 4176**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the week of October 14 through 20, 2012, as "National Teen Driver Safety Week" in Pennsylvania.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolution?

(Members proceeded to vote.)

LEAVE OF ABSENCE CANCELED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the presence of the gentleman, Mr. Brendan Boyle, on the floor of the House. He will be added to the master roll.

CONSIDERATION OF HR 893 CONTINUED

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—197

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

Dean	Hutchinson	Parker	Watson
Deasy	James	Pashinski	Wheatley
DeLissio	Josephs	Payne	White
DeLozier	Kampf	Payton	Williams
DeLuca	Kauffman	Peifer	Youngblood
Denlinger	Kavulich	Perry	
DePasquale	Keller, F.	Petrarca	Smith, S.,
Dermody	Keller, M.K.	Petri	Speaker
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.	Pickett	

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Evans, D.	Swanger	Tobash
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The majority having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the resolution was adopted.

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

The House will come to order.

BILLS REREPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

HB 2249, PN 4173

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, defining the offense of online impersonation; prescribing a penalty; and providing for damages in actions for online impersonation.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 2409, PN 4164

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act providing for actions for costs of care of seized animals.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 2480, PN 4171

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending the act of April 14, 1972 (P.L.233, No.64), known as The Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act, further providing for definitions and for prohibited acts and penalties; and providing for ephedrine and pseudoephedrine and electronic tracking.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 2536, PN 3931

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act repealing the act of December 14, 1967 (P.L.746, No.345), known as the Savings Association Code of 1967, eliminating provisions for incorporation and organization, for names, for offices, for directors, officers, employees and attorneys, for members, for corporate powers, for savings operations, earnings, account insurance and reserves, for investment operations, for amendment of articles, for mergers, consolidations, conversions and reorganizations, for voluntary and involuntary dissolution and distribution of assets upon insolvency, for foreign and Federal associations, for provisions applicable to Department of Banking and for penalties and criminal provisions.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 2591, PN 3980

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Titles 51 (Military Affairs) and 71 (State Government) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for the calculation of military members' State Employees' Retirement System benefits.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 2626, PN 4170

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act establishing the Promoting Employment Across Pennsylvania Program; and providing for tax benefits to qualified companies in the form of withholding tax relief.

APPROPRIATIONS.

SB 341, PN 2452

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Title 3 (Agriculture) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, authorizing an Automotive Fuel Testing and Disclosure Program.

APPROPRIATIONS.

SB 623, PN 2454

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for contracting with veteran-owned small businesses; and imposing duties on the Department of General Services and other Commonwealth purchasing agencies.

APPROPRIATIONS.

SB 1147, PN 2453

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in commercial drivers, further providing for employer responsibilities and for requirement for commercial driver's license; in fees, further providing for annual hauling permits; in rules of the road, further providing for vehicles required to stop at railroad crossings; in powers of department and local authorities, further providing for applicability and uniformity of title; in liquid fuels and fuels tax, further providing for disposition and use of tax; in size, weight and load, further providing for conditions and security and for permit for movement during course of manufacture and providing for egg movement permits.

APPROPRIATIONS.

SB 1345, PN 2285

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act providing for streamlined procedures for reviewing applications for the modification or collocation of wireless communications facilities and wireless support structures.

APPROPRIATIONS.

SB 1480, PN 2074

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act providing for the capital budget for the fiscal year 2012-2013.

APPROPRIATIONS.

**BILLS ON CONCURRENCE
REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE****HB 1916, PN 3298 (Amended)**

By Rep. TURZAI

An Act itemizing public improvement projects for flood protection and flood damage repair to be constructed by the Department of General Services, together with their estimated financial costs; providing for the adoption of specific disaster mitigation or assistance projects or flood assistance projects, together with their estimated financial costs; authorizing the use of interest earnings held by the Commonwealth Financing Authority for funding the projects; and making appropriations.

RULES.

SB 444, PN 2433

By Rep. TURZAI

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 sports drawing; further providing for registration of manufacturers, regulations and for licensing of eligible organizations to conduct games of chance; providing for applicability; and further providing for distribution of proceeds and for enforcement.

RULES.

**RESOLUTION REPORTED
FROM COMMITTEE****HR 888, PN 4144**

By Rep. TURZAI

A Resolution directing the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee to conduct a study to evaluate the delivery of services by for-profit service providers for Intellectual Disability Consolidated Waiver services, Child Welfare, Community-Based Mental Health, Intellectual Disability Community-Based Program and Drug and Alcohol services and to submit a report.

RULES.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE CANCELED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the presence of the gentleman, Mr. Tobash, and he will be added to the master roll.

SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR C**BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION**

The House proceeded to third consideration of **SB 1480, PN 2074**, entitled:

An Act providing for the capital budget for the fiscal year 2012-2013.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration?

Bill was agreed to.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who requests a leave of absence for the gentleman, Mr. TOBASH. Without objection, the leave of absence will be so granted.

CONSIDERATION OF SB 1480 CONTINUED

(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—142

Adolph	DePasquale	Kampf	Peifer
Baker	Dermody	Kavulich	Petri
Barbin	DiGirolamo	Keller, M.K.	Pickett
Barrar	Donatucci	Keller, W.	Preston
Bear	Ellis	Killion	Pyle
Benninghoff	Evans, J.	Kirkland	Quinn
Bishop	Everett	Knowles	Ravenstahl
Boyd	Fabrizio	Kula	Readshaw
Boyle, B.	Farry	Maher	Reed
Boyle, K.	Fleck	Mahoney	Roae
Brennan	Frankel	Major	Roebuck
Briggs	Freeman	Mann	Ross
Brown, R.	Gabler	Markosek	Sabatina
Brown, V.	Geist	Marshall	Samuelson
Brownlee	George	Marsico	Santoni
Burns	Gerber	Masser	Saylor
Buxton	Gergely	McGeehan	Scavello
Caltagirone	Gillespie	Miccarelli	Smith, K.
Carroll	Gingrich	Micozzie	Sonney
Causer	Godshall	Millard	Stern
Christiana	Goodman	Miller	Stevenson
Clymer	Grell	Milne	Sturla
Cohen	Hackett	Mirabito	Tallman
Conklin	Hahn	Moul	Taylor
Costa, D.	Hanna	Mullery	Thomas
Costa, P.	Harhart	Mundy	Toohil
Cruz	Harkins	Murphy	Turzai
Culver	Harper	Murt	Vereb
Curry	Harris	Mustio	Waters
Daley	Heffley	Myers	Watson
Davidson	Helm	O'Brien, M.	Wheatley
Davis	Hennessey	O'Neill	Williams
Day	Hess	Oberlander	Youngblood
Deasy	Hornaman	Parker	
DeLissio	James	Payne	Smith, S.,
Delozier	Josephs	Payton	Speaker

NAYS—55

Aument	Galloway	Longiatti	Rock
Bloom	Gibbons	Mackenzie	Saccone
Boback	Gillen	Maloney	Sainato
Bradford	Grove	Matzie	Santarsiero
Brooks	Haluska	Metcalfe	Schmotzer
Cox	Harhai	Metzgar	Simmons
Creighton	Hickernell	Neilson	Smith, M.
Cutler	Hutchinson	Neuman	Staback
Dean	Kauffman	Pashinski	Stephens
DeLuca	Keller, F.	Perry	Toepel

Denlinger	Kortz	Petrarca	Truitt
Dunbar	Kotik	Quigley	Vitali
Emrick	Krieger	Rapp	White
Evankovich	Lawrence	Reese	

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Evans, D.	Swanger	Tobash
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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 **HB 2536, PN 3931**, entitled:

An Act repealing the act of December 14, 1967 (P.L.746, No.345), known as the Savings Association Code of 1967, eliminating provisions for incorporation and organization, for names, for offices, for directors, officers, employees and attorneys, for members, for corporate powers, for savings operations, earnings, account insurance and reserves, for investment operations, for amendment of articles, for mergers, consolidations, conversions and reorganizations, for voluntary and involuntary dissolution and distribution of assets upon insolvency, for foreign and Federal associations, for provisions applicable to Department of Banking and for penalties and criminal provisions.

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	Donatucci	Killion	Preston
Aument	Dunbar	Kirkland	Pyle
Baker	Ellis	Knowles	Quigley
Barbin	Emrick	Kortz	Quinn
Barrar	Evankovich	Kotik	Rapp
Bear	Evans, J.	Krieger	Ravenstahl
Benninghoff	Everett	Kula	Readshaw
Bishop	Fabrizio	Lawrence	Reed
Bloom	Farry	Longiatti	Reese
Boback	Fleck	Mackenzie	Roae
Boyd	Frankel	Maher	Rock
Boyle, B.	Freeman	Mahoney	Roebuck
Boyle, K.	Gabler	Major	Ross
Bradford	Galloway	Maloney	Sabatina
Brennan	Geist	Mann	Saccone
Briggs	George	Markosek	Sainato
Brooks	Gerber	Marshall	Samuelson

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

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Evans, D.	Swanger	Tobash
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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 1345, PN 2285**, entitled:

An Act providing for streamlined procedures for reviewing applications for the modification or collocation of wireless communications facilities and wireless support structures.

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—193

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

NAYS—4

Freeman	Gillen	Harper	Vitali
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NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Evans, D.	Swanger	Tobash
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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 **HB 2591, PN 3980**, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 51 (Military Affairs) and 71 (State Government) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for the calculation of military members' State Employees' Retirement System benefits.

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

DePasquale	Keller, F.	Petrarca	Smith, S.,
Dermody	Keller, M.K.	Petri	Speaker
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.	Pickett	

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Evans, D.	Swanger	Tobash
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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.

MOTION TO PROCEED TO CONSIDERATION UNDER RULE 24

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader on a motion to proceed.

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

I would move that the following four bills be subject to a motion to proceed. It would be HB 2249, HB 2409, HB 2480, and SB 623. All of those are within a few short hours eligible to be voted, but we can move those bills forward if we do the motion to proceed.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the minority leader, Mr. Dermody, on the motion to proceed.

Mr. DERMODY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, there has been a sufficient amount of time to vet these bills, and I urge the members to support the motion to proceed.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—177

Adolph	DePasquale	Kauffman	Preston
Aument	Dermody	Kavulich	Pyle
Baker	DiGirolamo	Keller, F.	Quigley
Barbin	Donatucci	Keller, M.K.	Quinn
Barrar	Dunbar	Keller, W.	Rapp
Bear	Ellis	Killion	Ravenstahl
Benninghoff	Emrick	Kirkland	Readshaw
Bishop	Evankovich	Knowles	Reed
Bloom	Evans, J.	Krieger	Reese
Boback	Everett	Kula	Rock
Boyd	Fabrizio	Longietti	Roebuck
Boyle, B.	Farry	Maher	Ross
Boyle, K.	Fleck	Mahoney	Sabatina
Bradford	Frankel	Major	Saccone
Brennan	Freeman	Maloney	Sainato
Briggs	Gabler	Mann	Santarsiero

Brooks	Galloway	Markosek	Santoni
Brown, R.	Geist	Marshall	Saylor
Brown, V.	George	Marsico	Scavello
Brownlee	Gerber	Masser	Schmotzer
Burns	Gergely	McGeehan	Simmons
Buxton	Gibbons	Miccarelli	Smith, K.
Caltagirone	Gillespie	Micozzie	Smith, M.
Carroll	Gingrich	Millard	Sonney
Causer	Godshall	Miller	Staback
Christiana	Goodman	Milne	Stephens
Clymer	Grove	Mirabito	Stern
Cohen	Hackett	Moul	Stevenson
Conklin	Hahn	Mundy	Sturla
Costa, D.	Haluska	Murphy	Taylor
Costa, P.	Hanna	Murt	Thomas
Cox	Harhai	Mustio	Toepel
Creighton	Harhart	Myers	Toohil
Cruz	Harkins	O'Brien, M.	Turzai
Culver	Harper	O'Neill	Vereb
Curry	Harris	Oberlander	Waters
Daley	Heffley	Parker	Watson
Davis	Helm	Pashinski	Wheatley
Day	Hennessey	Payne	White
Dean	Hess	Payton	Williams
Deasy	Hickernell	Peifer	Youngblood
DeLissio	Hornaman	Perry	
Delozier	James	Petrarca	Smith, S.,
DeLuca	Josephs	Petri	Speaker
Denlinger	Kampf	Pickett	

NAYS—20

Cutler	Kortz	Metcalf	Roae
Davidson	Kotik	Metzgar	Samuelson
Gillen	Lawrence	Mullery	Tallman
Grell	Mackenzie	Neilson	Truitt
Hutchinson	Matzie	Neuman	Vitali

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Evans, D.	Swanger	Tobash
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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.

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 2409, PN 4164**, entitled:

An Act providing for actions for costs of care of seized animals.

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—192

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

NAYS—5

Evankovich	Metcalf	Metzgar	Perry
Krieger			

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Evans, D.	Swanger	Tobash
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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.

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 2480, PN 4171**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 14, 1972 (P.L.233, No.64), known as The Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act, further providing for definitions and for prohibited acts and penalties; and providing for ephedrine and pseudoephedrine and electronic tracking.

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—193

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

DePasquale	Kavulich	Petrarca	Smith, S.,
Dermody	Keller, F.	Petri	Speaker
DiGirolamo	Keller, M.K.	Pickett	

NAYS—4

Brooks	Krieger	Metcalfe	Roae
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NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Evans, D.	Swanger	Tobash	
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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 2249, PN 4173**, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, defining the offense of online impersonation; prescribing a penalty; and providing for damages in actions for online impersonation.

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—196

Adolph	Donatucci	Killion	Pickett
Aument	Dunbar	Kirkland	Preston
Baker	Ellis	Knowles	Pyle
Barbin	Emrick	Kortz	Quigley
Barrar	Evankovich	Kotik	Quinn
Bear	Evans, J.	Krieger	Rapp
Benninghoff	Everett	Kula	Ravenstahl
Bishop	Fabrizio	Lawrence	Readshaw
Bloom	Farry	Longietti	Reed
Boback	Fleck	Mackenzie	Reese
Boyd	Frankel	Maher	Roae
Boyle, B.	Freeman	Mahoney	Rock
Boyle, K.	Gabler	Major	Roebuck
Bradford	Galloway	Maloney	Ross
Brennan	Geist	Mann	Sabatina
Briggs	George	Markosek	Saccone
Brooks	Gerber	Marshall	Sainato
Brown, R.	Gergely	Marsico	Samuelson
Brown, V.	Gibbons	Masser	Santarsiero
Brownlee	Gillen	Matzie	Santoni
Burns	Gillespie	McGeehan	Saylor

Buxton	Gingrich	Metcalf	Scavello
Caltagirone	Godshall	Metzgar	Schmotzer
Carroll	Goodman	Miccarelli	Simmons
Causser	Grell	Micozzie	Smith, K.
Christiana	Grove	Millard	Smith, M.
Clymer	Hackett	Miller	Sonney
Cohen	Hahn	Milne	Staback
Conklin	Haluska	Mirabito	Stephens
Costa, D.	Hanna	Moul	Stern
Costa, P.	Harhai	Mullery	Stevenson
Cox	Harhart	Mundy	Sturla
Creighton	Harkins	Murphy	Tallman
Cruz	Harper	Murt	Taylor
Culver	Harris	Mustio	Thomas
Curry	Heffley	Myers	Toepel
Cutler	Helm	Neilson	Toohil
Daley	Hennessey	Neuman	Truitt
Davidson	Hess	O'Brien, M.	Turzai
Davis	Hickernell	O'Neill	Vereb
Day	Hornaman	Oberlander	Vitali
Dean	Hutchinson	Parker	Waters
Deasy	James	Pashinski	Watson
DeLissio	Josephs	Payne	Wheatley
Delozier	Kampf	Payton	Williams
DeLuca	Kauffman	Peifer	Youngblood
Denlinger	Kavulich	Perry	
DePasquale	Keller, F.	Petrarca	Smith, S.,
Dermody	Keller, M.K.	Petri	Speaker
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.		

NAYS-1

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NOT VOTING-0

EXCUSED-3

Evans, D. Swanger Tobash

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 623, PN 2454**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for contracting with veteran-owned small businesses; and imposing duties on the Department of General Services and other Commonwealth purchasing agencies.

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. Barrar, is recognized.

Mr. BARRAR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, this Senate bill gives procurement opportunity to veteran-owned businesses. It sets a 3-percent goal set by the department of DGS (Department of General Services), and I would ask the members to support our hardworking veterans and vote "yes" on this bill.

This bill has been a top priority for the veteran community for many years, and I would like to thank the Senator who introduced this bill, but also the Representative from the 162d District who also sponsored a companion bill and deserves a lot of credit for moving this bill forward.

Also, I would like to thank the committee staff of the Veterans Affairs and the staffs of the department of DGS and the Governor's Office for helping push this bill forward.

I would ask the members, please vote "yes" on this bill. Thank you.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

REMARKS SUBMITTED FOR THE RECORD

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

Mr. MICCARELLI. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I have a seven-page speech here, which I would like to submit for the record.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman is in order and may submit for the record.

Mr. MICCARELLI. Thank you.

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

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

When people ask us why we run for office, many of us talk about how we want to work hard for those citizens who keep our nation going day in and day out. We talk about wanting to work across the aisle and with the Senate to get things done for the citizens of Pennsylvania. Today, Mr. Speaker, we have a bill in front of us that will allow us to do just that.

SB 623 represents a well-negotiated compromise between the honorable chairman of the Veterans Affairs Committee; members of his committee on both sides; the prime sponsor, Senator Tomlinson; and the Department of General Services. It is also a product of a lot of hard work by Fran Cleaver in the Senate, as well as Rick O'Leary and Sean Harris of our chairman's staff.

Mr. Speaker, I had introduced a bill in the House to extend a similar benefit to our veteran-owned small businesses.

In its previous form, SB 623 provided a 5-percent participation goal within the Department of General Services for veteran-owned small businesses. My legislation provided these same goals but at 3 percent to service-disabled veteran-owned small businesses. Specifically, SB 623 acknowledges that this procurement goal is being extended to our veteran-owned small businesses as a much-needed incentive.

Mr. Speaker, my first priority when I was elected was to get to work on a bill that would provide incentives for veterans to get back in the workforce. We were inspired to do this by two groups, whom I would like to tell you a little bit about today. I was lucky enough to serve with SSgt. Darrell Roberts and Sgt. Rob Schwartz. Darrell was my squad leader and Rob my team leader during our deployment to Kosovo. Upon our return, both of them began work with a group called Helmets

to Hardhats, which helps returning veterans get jobs in the construction industry. Sergeant Roberts, Sergeant Schwartz, and their team at Helmets to Hardhats continue their service to our nation today by helping those returning veterans get jobs when they come home.

Another member of my platoon, SSgt. Jason Leisey, volunteered to be sent to Iraq right after coming home from our tour in Kosovo. While on patrol in April of 2005, his convoy was struck by a suicide bomber. Jason survived the attack, but sadly, his burns were so severe that he lost his left ear and all of the fingers on his left hand. Jason was down but certainly not out. After a year of skin grafts, surgeries, and rehabilitation, Jason finished his degree in finance at Millersville, winning the distinction of Outstanding Financial Student of the Year. Jason was then accepted to a program in Philadelphia known as the Wall Street Warfighters. The Wall Street Warfighters train disabled veterans and offer them job placement in the financial services markets. Two of our own former Pennsylvania Guardsmen, Brooks Hulitt and Harry Gobora, sit on the board of the Warfighters and continue the mission of putting our veterans back to work.

The groups and individuals I have just described show us that our veterans are determined to live the American dream they fought for, and that their brothers and sisters in arms are helping them accomplish their goals.

I urge an affirmative vote on SB 623. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman, Mr. Sainato, is recognized.

Mr. SAINATO. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I, too, would like to echo the sentiments of my colleague, the chairman from Delaware County. I think this is an important piece of legislation. I think that our committee spent a lot of time and effort in getting this thing passed, and I would like to commend the staff on both sides for all the efforts that they put in to get this finally moving and getting ready to go to the Governor. So thank you, Mr. Speaker, and I thank the members of the legislature for taking care of this very important legislation.

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—197

Adolph	Donatucci	Killion	Preston
Aument	Dunbar	Kirkland	Pyle
Baker	Ellis	Knowles	Quigley
Barbin	Emrick	Kortz	Quinn
Barrar	Evankovich	Kotik	Rapp
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Denlinger	Kavulich	Perry	
DePasquale	Keller, F.	Petrarca	Smith, S.,
Dermody	Keller, M.K.	Petri	Speaker
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.	Pickett	

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Evans, D.	Swanger	Tobash
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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.

REMARKS SUBMITTED FOR THE RECORD

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, Mr. Turzai, for a motion to proceed.

Mr. TURZAI. Two points. The first point of order: SB 623, that just passed, I have floor remarks that I would like to submit for the record. In it I do congratulate the work of the good Senator from Bucks County and the good Representative from Delaware County, who spent much effort in working to create the veteran-owned small business program items here in this particular legislation, as well as the good chair from Delaware County as well. I will submit those for the record.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

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

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

With regard to my motion to proceed on SB 1147, for the record I want to briefly outline the importance of this legislation.

The underlying bill provides for more efficient transport of two specific commercial products by establishing an annual hauling permit for the movement of eggs, and by establishing that, an annual permit for movement during the course of manufacture may be issued for the transport of cryogenic liquid on specified highways.

Egg producers/distributors are seeking the same weight exemption that was granted to milk producers/distributors roughly a decade ago. In both cases, time is of the essence in picking up and delivering these perishable agricultural materials.

The weight exemption saves the carriers from using multiple trucks on designated pickup routes thus minimizing the number of commercial trucks on the road. It also ensures that more of the product will be delivered and less will spoil because of untimely pickups and deliveries.

With regard to cryogenic liquid, the legislation adds that product to the list of materials for which an annual permit may be issued authorizing movement on specified highways during the course of manufacture. In both cases, the more efficient transport of materials ultimately will have a positive economic impact.

As amended by the House Transportation Committee, SB 1147 now also includes two other very important provisions. One of these relates to an issue that the honorable gentleman from Blair County, who chairs the House Transportation Committee, has been fighting for for more than a decade: preserving the primacy and uniformity of the State Vehicle Code.

This amendment establishes sanctions against municipalities that enact local ordinances that conflict with the Vehicle Code. Specifically, any municipality that enacts such an ordinance would have its liquid fuels tax allotment and its capital bridge and highway expenditures withheld until the conflicting ordinance is either repealed or substantially amended.

The State Vehicle Code should hold primacy in all laws involving motor vehicles and traffic provisions. Municipalities enacting ordinances that are in conflict with the Vehicle Code create a Balkanized patchwork of traffic laws throughout the State which confuses motorists. This provision guards against that. For example, some communities have established ordinances governing the use of cell phones despite the fact that the Vehicle Code legally permits the devices.

The proposed sanctions would ensure that motorists would not be subjected to uneven and unjust provisions enacted by one or more of the numerous communities of the Commonwealth. Pennsylvania has more municipal governments than most every State in the nation.

It should be noted that PENNDOT supports this strengthening of the existing Vehicle Code uniformity clause via these sanctions.

The other important provision brings Pennsylvania into compliance with Federal Commercial Driver's License, CDL, requirements. Pennsylvania must comply with these requirements by the end of this calendar year or else risk losing up to \$31 million in Federal-aid highway funding.

Specifically, the additional CDL requirements will:

- Hold employers liable for CDL drivers violating Federal, State, or local law pertaining to railroad-highway grade crossings.
- Itemize the three requirements necessary for a person to legally drive a commercial motor vehicle:
 - 1) has been issued a CDL;
 - 2) the CDL is in his immediate possession; and
 - 3) the CDL was issued for the class of commercial motor vehicle operated and contains all applicable license endorsements.

- Clarify that violation of any of six specified requirements relative to commercial motor vehicles stopping at railroad crossings is unlawful.

The addition of these CDL requirements comes as a result of a 2010 audit of Pennsylvania's CDL program by the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, FMCSA. That Federal compliance audit concluded that certain PENNDOT laws are not in alignment with Federal regulations.

It is imperative that we amend the Vehicle Code to include these additional Federal requirements.

Mr. Speaker, this concludes my remarks on SB 1147.

MOTION TO PROCEED TO CONSIDERATION UNDER RULE 24

Mr. TURZAI. Secondly, a motion to proceed on SB 1143. Again, it has been vetted and has had adequate time for discussion, and we would like to move to proceed on SB 1143.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Mr. Turzai, are you referencing SB 1147?

Mr. TURZAI. Yes; 1147. I apologize; 1147.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. On the motion to proceed, the Chair recognizes the minority leader, Mr. Dermody.

Mr. DERMODY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I urge the members to support the motion to proceed.

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—174

Adolph	Denlinger	Kauffman	Preston
Aument	DePasquale	Kavulich	Pyle
Baker	Dermody	Keller, F.	Quigley
Barbin	DiGiroloamo	Keller, M.K.	Quinn
Barrar	Donatucci	Keller, W.	Rapp
Bear	Dunbar	Killion	Ravenstahl
Benninghoff	Ellis	Kirkland	Readshaw
Bishop	Emrick	Knowles	Reed
Bloom	Evankovich	Krieger	Reese
Boback	Evans, J.	Kula	Rock
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Brown, R.	Geist	Marshall	Saylor
Brown, V.	George	Marsico	Scavello
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Burns	Gergely	McGeehan	Simmons
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Caltagirone	Gillespie	Micozzie	Smith, M.
Carroll	Gingrich	Millard	Sonney
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Daley	Helm	Pashinski	Watson
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Day	Hess	Payton	White
Dean	Hickernell	Peifer	Williams
Deasy	Hornaman	Perry	Youngblood
DeLissio	James	Petrarca	
Delozier	Josephs	Petri	Smith, S.,
DeLuca	Kampf	Pickett	Speaker

NAYS—23

Cutler	Hutchinson	Metcalfe	Roae
Davidson	Kortz	Metzgar	Samuelson
Freeman	Kotik	Milne	Tallman
Gillen	Lawrence	Mullery	Truitt
Grell	Mackenzie	Neilson	Vitali
Harhai	Matzie	Neuman	

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Evans, D.	Swanger	Tobash
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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.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **SB 1147, PN 2453**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in commercial drivers, further providing for employer responsibilities and for requirement for commercial driver's license; in fees, further providing for annual hauling permits; in rules of the road, further providing for vehicles required to stop at railroad crossings; in powers of department and local authorities, further providing for applicability and uniformity of title; in liquid fuels and fuels tax, further providing for disposition and use of tax; in size, weight and load, further providing for conditions and security and for permit for movement during course of manufacture and providing for egg movement permits.

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 from Luzerne County, Mr. Carroll, is recognized.

Mr. CARROLL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, SB 1147 among its component parts has a part that increases the weight of trucks to 102,000 pounds on our roads and bridges. Mr. Speaker, by any measurement, our State's roads and bridges need repair. It seems to me the last thing our roads and bridges need are more trucks at 102,000 pounds. Mr. Speaker, for that reason alone I stand opposed to SB 1147 and ask that we take a second look at this measure, and any measure that adds weight to our roads and bridges, before we do a comprehensive transportation funding bill.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman and recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Geist.

Mr. GEIST. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This bill has been worked on for a long time. The history of this House is whether it was for Dairylea or whether it was for PPG (Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company), we have written exceptions on weight limits and permitting for many different industries in the State.

This is a very good pro-business piece of legislation and does not address the funding issue; I admit that. But as a rifle shot on this bill, I stand in support of it and would ask for a "yes" vote.

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—168

Adolph	Donatucci	Killion	Perry
Aument	Dunbar	Kirkland	Petrarca
Baker	Ellis	Knowles	Petri
Barbin	Emrick	Kortz	Pickett
Barrar	Evankovich	Kotik	Preston
Bear	Evans, J.	Krieger	Pyle
Benninghoff	Everett	Kula	Quigley
Bishop	Fabrizio	Lawrence	Quinn
Bloom	Farry	Longietti	Rapp
Boback	Fleck	Mackenzie	Ravenstahl
Boyd	Frankel	Maher	Reed
Boyle, B.	Gabler	Mahoney	Reese
Boyle, K.	Galloway	Major	Roae
Bradford	Geist	Maloney	Rock
Brennan	Gerber	Mann	Roebuck
Brooks	Gergely	Markosek	Ross
Brown, V.	Gibbons	Marshall	Sabatina
Brownlee	Gillespie	Marsico	Saccone
Buxton	Gingrich	Masser	Sainato
Caltagirone	Godshall	Matzie	Santoni
Causer	Goodman	McGeehan	Saylor
Christiana	Grell	Metcalfe	Simmons
Clymer	Grove	Metzgar	Smith, M.
Cohen	Hackett	Miccarelli	Sonney
Conklin	Hahn	Micozzie	Stephens
Costa, D.	Harhai	Millard	Stern
Costa, P.	Harhart	Miller	Stevenson
Cox	Harkins	Milne	Sturla
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Cruz	Harris	Moul	Taylor
Culver	Heffley	Murt	Toepel
Curry	Helm	Mustio	Turzai
Cutler	Hennessey	Myers	Vereb
Daley	Hess	Neilson	Waters
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Day	Hutchinson	O'Brien, M.	Wheatley
Deasy	James	O'Neill	White
Delozier	Josephs	Oberlander	Williams
DeLuca	Kampf	Parker	Youngblood
Denlinger	Kauffman	Payne	
DePasquale	Keller, F.	Payton	Smith, S.,
Dermody	Keller, M.K.	Peifer	Speaker
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.		

NAYS—29

Briggs	George	Mundy	Schmotzer
Brown, R.	Gillen	Murphy	Smith, K.
Burns	Haluska	Pashinski	Staback
Carroll	Hanna	Readshaw	Thomas
Davidson	Hornaman	Samuelson	Toohil
Dean	Kavulich	Santarsiero	Truitt
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Freeman			

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Evans, D.	Swanger	Tobash
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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.

MOTION TO PROCEED TO CONSIDERATION UNDER RULE 24

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority leader on the motion to proceed.

Mr. TURZAI. We would like to do a motion to proceed on SB 341, an issue that has been vetted and in agreement, I believe, from the minority leader.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE CANCELED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the presence of the gentleman, Mr. Tobash, and he will be added to the master roll.

MOTION TO PROCEED TO CONSIDERATION UNDER RULE 24 CONTINUED

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the minority leader, Mr. Dermody, on the motion to proceed.

Mr. DERMODY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.
On this, also, I urge the members to support the motion to proceed. Thank you.

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—179

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

NAYS—19

Cutler	Kortz	Metcalf	Samuelson
Davidson	Kotik	Milne	Tallman
Gillen	Lawrence	Mullery	Truitt
Grell	Mackenzie	Neuman	Vitali
Hutchinson	Matzie	Roae	

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—2

Evans, D.	Swanger
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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.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **SB 341, PN 2452**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 3 (Agriculture) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, authorizing an Automotive Fuel Testing and Disclosure 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?

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

The **SPEAKER pro tempore**. The Chair is in receipt of a request for leave for the gentleman from Philadelphia, Mr. **THOMAS**. Without objection, the leave will be so granted.

CONSIDERATION OF SB 341 CONTINUED

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—195

Adolph	Donatucci	Kirkland	Preston
Aument	Dunbar	Knowles	Pyle
Baker	Ellis	Kortz	Quigley
Barbin	Emrick	Kotik	Quinn
Barrar	Evankovich	Krieger	Rapp
Bear	Evans, J.	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
Brown, V.	Gillespie	Matzie	Santoni
Brownlee	Gingrich	McGeehan	Saylor
Burns	Godshall	Metcalfe	Scavello
Buxton	Goodman	Metzgar	Schmotzer
Caltagirone	Grell	Miccarelli	Simmons
Carroll	Grove	Micozzie	Smith, K.
Causser	Hackett	Millard	Smith, M.
Christiana	Hahn	Miller	Sonney

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

NAYS—2

Everett	Gillen
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NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—3

Evans, D.	Swanger	Thomas
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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.

**FAREWELL ADDRESS
BY MR. VULAKOVICH**

The **SPEAKER pro tempore**. We are honored at this time to welcome to the rostrum Representative Vulakovich, Senator Vulakovich, who will be leaving the House and going to the Senate.

He is welcome to give remarks.

Mr. **VULAKOVICH**. I left kind of rapidly at the end of the session. Things kind of developed very quickly for me and I found myself in a Senate race. I really always regretted the fact that I could not get around to all the members and tell them that I was considering leaving to run in the Senate race, but then on the other hand, I did not know how to phrase it because I thought if I lose, what do I say then? So the good news is I did win and now I can give farewell remarks in such a manner that, you know, I am no longer a member of the House.

I do not have anything prepared. I would if I was leaving this great building and all of you permanently, but I am not. I am just down at the other end of the hall, you might say. So it is just a minor transition for me, moving from one place to another. But I can tell you what comes to my mind is the very first day that I walked onto this House floor, and I just marveled at the grandeur and the beauty, but more so about what it stands for.

And I remember back at my desk where I sat, I was next to Representative Reed and Representative Turzai, and naturally did not know what I was doing, so you would just get an okay and a nod from each one of those, and as you progressed and sometimes they were not around, you would panic and think, well, what do you do now? Those two are not here to tell you, to advise you on what was going on.

I learned a lot in 6 years, almost 6 years, and I grew to get a lot of good relationships with people here. I hope that some of you will think of me well. If I offended anybody during those years, I certainly ask for your forgiveness. That is something I never really ever wanted to do was offend anybody. Sometimes it gets a little heated in here. Sometimes we get a little passionate and we say things or do things that later we regret, and if I did offend anybody, I deeply do apologize. I tried to work in a bipartisan fashion, working with both sides of the aisle. I know that my votes pretty much go one way, but I always try keep an open mind and just pay respect to people that really care about what they do. I learned a lesson a long time ago from a lieutenant in the police department where I served for 27 years. He said that if you want to learn one good lesson, you want to learn to be a good listener, because there are people that will come to you with ideas and you will think, whoa, they are off the chart, but to them, they think it is okay, and to them, it is important. And if it is important to them, because of the nature of your job and the job that we do here every day, they deserve that attention to listen to them. And I found out at times when I thought that I would never give something consideration or totally was against something, all of a sudden after listening to them, I thought, there is something in here; we may be able to pull something out of there that would work the right way.

I have always tried to learn a lesson in everything I have done, to just try to be a little better person. And I think I took this job for the same reasons all of you guys did. You asked the people for their faith in you, not only to come here and work hard like we do – and we are criticized, oftentimes, but no one really realizes the hours we put in and the sacrifices that we make and our families make to let us do our job. They not only hire us for our work, but they hire us for our judgment. That is why they put us in office. Sometimes we have a conflict within ourselves and amongst ourselves sometimes with making that judgment. All you can do is, every Sunday I go to church. I say a prayer twice, beginning of Mass and at the end of Mass, and I ask God for the "...serenity to accept the things I cannot change; courage to change the things I can; and the wisdom to know the difference." It is a good prayer. I rely on it a lot. I try to find wisdom from other people who have been around awhile and tell you, "Hey, you can try that, but I can tell you it does not work, and here is why." That is why you should be a good listener.

I do not want to mention names. I have had interaction with just about everybody here on the floor. I am sure I would forget somebody and somebody would be upset because a name was not mentioned. But I do have to mention one name in particular: John Payne. He sat next to me all those years, and his daughter was my first legislative assistant. And we became very close. In fact, a little secret about me, I am somewhat of a computer illiterate. John used to get the e-mails from his daughter and then advise me what I was supposed to do, because we all know that behind us is that good person who works in the office and has to do everything we need them to do, and that is often a lot.

They take a lot off of us. I wish Pat Geiger was here. I was trying to get ahold of her, but I did not know this was going to be the time for the remarks. Pat is my – well, was my assistant up here in the Irvis Building the last several years, and I could not have asked for a better person, you know, to make sure she covered my back all the time. I brought along with me today my chief of staff, Melissa Farabaugh. Melissa, stand up. She is my chief of staff over on the side of the Senate. Just once again, another person who makes us look good. I cannot say enough about all the staff. The chairmen, the chairmen have always treated me so well, with respect, and their staff, both sides of the aisle, when I would go to them about something, some concern I had, treated me with the greatest respect. We in turn must treat them with likewise respect and remember sometimes they forget to do something or something passes by them, just cut them a little break, because just think how many times things pass by us.

I would like to say in closing that I am on the other side of the building now, but my door will always be open. You do not have to have an appointment to see me. If you ever need anything or you want to talk, I know I am the low man on the totem pole, like I was here for years. I am used to it. I am used to it from my days in grade school. My last name started with a V, and I was always the last one for just about everything, so it does not bother me. But I have a strong voice, and I am not much of an out-in-the-open type of guy, but behind the scenes I do try to work things out. I will always be there for all of you. Like I said, stop over any time. Do not feel like you have to have some appointment or anything like that. If I am free, I have never once been on the phone or just sitting back there talking and used that as an excuse not to meet somebody. I like interaction, and I hope that the relationships that I have formed here over the years will continue.

I am going to miss it here. We have spent a lot of long nights here, not quite as long as some of you older guys and ladies. I heard about the old things till 1:30, 2:30 in the morning. We do not stay that long anymore, but we were there when we were pretty worn out, and that is when times get a little tense. I have to tell you that you leave here and you are tired, but remember the job you are doing and be proud, because you do make so many sacrifices for all those people out there.

And with that, I would just like to say, God bless and see you around. Thank you.

THE SPEAKER (SAMUEL H. SMITH) PRESIDING

COMMEMORATIVE GAVEL PRESENTED

The SPEAKER. Senator, I did want you to know I kind of, I had the Parliamentarian doing a little review, because I did not know if I really was going to allow a sitting Senator to speak from the rostrum, just the sense I might set a bad precedent. So you are, for the record, you are an exception to the rules. So do not let any of your colleagues think that they are somehow, they have, you know, some gift or right to come over here and talk. But under the circumstances, we certainly wanted to afford you the opportunity to make the traditional farewell remarks. Of course, we have a commemorative gavel for you to take with you to, you know, let the people on the other end of the building know that you were also a House member. Do not let them

forget it. I know you will do well over there. I will be working with you and see you around. God bless you.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the lady from Susquehanna County, Ms. Major, for a caucus announcement.

Ms. MAJOR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to announce that Republicans will caucus immediately. I would ask our Republican members to please report to our caucus room immediately, and we would be prepared to come back on the floor at 2:30.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Allegheny County, Mr. Frankel, for a Democratic caucus announcement.

Mr. FRANKEL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Democrats will caucus immediately as well, and I would really like to encourage all members to please get to caucus for not only some bills but some other votes that we need to take. Thank you.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Lancaster County, Mr. Creighton, for a committee announcement.

Mr. CREIGHTON. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to call a meeting of the Local Government Committee, room 39, East Wing; room 39, East Wing, at the call of the Chair. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. There will be a meeting of the Local Government Committee in room 39, East Wing, at the call of the Chair.

GAME AND FISHERIES COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Erie County, Mr. Evans, for a committee announcement.

Mr. J. EVANS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I am calling an immediate meeting of the House Game and Fisheries Committee to consider a bill from the Senate, room 205, Ryan Office Building, immediately at the call of the break, at the call of recess. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. There will be a meeting of the Game and Fisheries Committee in room 205 of the Ryan Office Building at the recess.

INSURANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Delaware County, Mr. Micozzie, for a committee announcement.

Mr. MICOZZIE. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

There will be an Insurance meeting in the Main Capitol Building, B-31, at the recess.

The SPEAKER. There will be a meeting of the Insurance Committee in room B-31 at the recess.

AGING AND OLDER ADULT SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Chester County, Mr. Hennessey, for a committee announcement is recognized.

Mr. HENNESSEY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

There will be an immediate voting meeting of the House Aging and Older Adult Services Committee in room G-50 of the Irvis Office Building, as I said, immediately, to consider SB 201. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. There will be an immediate meeting of the Aging and Older Adult Services Committee in room G-50 of the Irvis Office Building.

VOTE CORRECTION

The SPEAKER. For what purpose does the gentleman from Luzerne, Mr. Pashinski, rise?

Mr. PASHINSKI. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

To correct the record, please.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman may state his correction.

Mr. PASHINSKI. Correct the record, please, on SB 1480. Please register me in the positive.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman's remarks will be noted in the record.

Mr. PASHINSKI. Thank you, sir.

RECESS

The SPEAKER. This House stands in recess until 2:30, unless sooner recalled by the Speaker.

AFTER RECESS

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

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEES, CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED

SB 201, PN 2384

By Rep. HENNESSEY

An Act amending the act of May 17, 1921 (P.L.682, No.284), known as The Insurance Company Law of 1921, in health and accident insurance, providing for coverage of prescriptions.

AGING AND OLDER ADULT SERVICES.

SB 1185, PN 2274

By Rep. CREIGHTON

An Act amending the act of June 24, 1931 (P.L.1206, No.331), known as The First Class Township Code, providing for appointment of township treasurers and election of tax collectors; and further defining the duties and authority of the board of township commissioners.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

SB 1402, PN 2415

By Rep. J. EVANS

An Act amending Title 30 (Fish) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for the definition of "fishing," for organization of commission, for deputy waterways conservation officers and for volunteer program; providing for damage to property; further providing for control of property, for powers and duties of waterways conservation officers and deputies and for enforcement of other laws; providing for unlawful use of computer and for liability for conduct of another and for complicity; further providing for suspension of privileges pending payment of penalties, for misuse of property and waters, for littering, for possession and display of licenses, for lost fishing licenses, for institutional licenses, for exemptions from license requirements, for eel chute licenses, for net permits, for boat and net licenses for boundary lakes, for penalties, for fees, for boating education, for general boating regulations, for chemical testing to determine amount of alcohol or controlled substance and for period of registration; providing for unauthorized operation of boats, for permitting violations and for duties of operators involved in boating accidents; and making editorial changes.

GAME AND FISHERIES.

SB 1572, PN 2322

By Rep. CREIGHTON

An Act amending the act of August 10, 1951 (P.L.1189, No.265), entitled, as amended, "An act regulating the appointment, promotion, suspension, reduction, removal and reinstatement of employes (except superintendents, assistant superintendents, inspectors, chief clerks and school guards) in bureaus of police in cities of the second class; and defining the powers and duties of civil service commissions in such cities for such purposes," further providing for qualifications for appointment in the competitive class of the civil service.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the majority whip, who requests a leave of absence for the gentleman, Mr. BEAR, from Lancaster County for the day. Without objection, the leave will be granted.

SENATE MESSAGE

AMENDED HOUSE BILLS RETURNED
FOR CONCURRENCE AND
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES

The clerk of the Senate, being introduced, returned **HB 1121, PN 4147; HB 1548, PN 4148; and HB 2293, PN 4150**, with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

BILL SIGNED BY SPEAKER

Bill numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the title was publicly read as follows:

HB 2324, PN 3399

An Act amending the act of July 29, 1953 (P.L.1034, No.270), known as the Public Auditorium Authorities Law, further providing for competition in award of contracts.

Whereupon, the Speaker, in the presence of the House, signed the same.

CALENDAR CONTINUED**BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION**

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 1020, PN 4066**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for powers and duties of the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency and for disbursement of fund amounts by agency.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

Mr. **PAYTON** offered the following amendment No. **A13264**:

Amend Bill, page 2, line 4, by striking out "SUGGESTED"

Amend Bill, page 2, line 8, by striking out "MAY" and inserting shall

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Philadelphia County, Mr. Payton.

Mr. PAYTON. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This amendment is to correct a couple of things as per the negotiations. I would ask for the members' support of this amendment. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The question is, will the House agree to the amendment?

On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Adams County, Mr. Tallman.

Mr. TALLMAN. All right. Now we got it.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to ask the maker of the amendment if he would stand for interrogation, please.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman indicates he will stand for interrogation. You may proceed.

Mr. TALLMAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

It is my understanding, you know, being in our committee proceedings on this particular bill, that there were some concerns that were not clearly expressed with the relationship between the counties and PEMA (Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency), and that to keep the bill moving forward, the interested parties were asked to work together on more accurate language. Is this language the result of those discussions?

Mr. PAYTON. Yes, it is, Mr. Speaker.

This is a result of the conversations with representatives from PEMA, County Commissioners Association, APCO (Association of Public Communication Officials), and NENA (National Emergency Number Association), and I believe members have received correspondence from those groups in support of the amendment.

Mr. TALLMAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

And to be clear, this amendment is intended to be a first step in implementing improvements in our 911 systems by requiring PEMA to furnish the counties' industrial standards?

Mr. PAYTON. That is correct, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. TALLMAN. Thank you.

To further clarify, the intent of these efforts is consolidation and regionalization will remain a county prerogative benefiting from this guidance by PEMA, and specifically, PEMA will not be using this language in this legislation as a means to impose its views either directly or by withholding any of the 911 funding to which counties are otherwise entitled.

Mr. PAYTON. Mr. Speaker, the gentleman is correct on all points. We know that changing technologies and operating standards are going to require us to completely overhaul the underlying statute in order to keep our 911 systems on the leading edge in furtherance of public safety. That comprehensive review is underway, but in the meantime, this legislation gives counties more tools they can use today as we begin down the path toward system improvement.

Mr. TALLMAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I urge support for the amendment.

The SPEAKER. The question is, will the House agree to the amendment?

On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Delaware County, Mr. Barrar.

Mr. BARRAR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I would ask the members to support this amendment. This amendment was suggested by PEMA, and it does come at the request of the county association, County Commissioners Association. So I would ask for a positive vote on this. Thank you.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER. The Speaker returns to leaves of absence and recognizes the minority whip, who requests a leave of absence for the gentleman, Mr. GALLOWAY, from Bucks County for the day, and the gentleman from York County, Mr. DePASQUALE, for the day. Without objection, the leaves will be granted.

CONSIDERATION OF HB 1020 CONTINUED

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—194

Table listing names of members who voted 'YEAS' (194 total): Adolph, Aument, Baker, Barbin, Barrar, Benninghoff, Bishop, Bloom, Boback, Boyd, Boyle, B., Boyle, K., Dunbar, Ellis, Emrick, Evankovich, Evans, J., Everett, Fabrizio, Farry, Fleck, Frankel, Freeman, Gabler, Kirkland, Knowles, Kortz, Kotik, Krieger, Kula, Lawrence, Longietti, Mackenzie, Maher, Mahoney, Major, Preston, Pyle, Quigley, Quinn, Rapp, Ravenstahl, Readshaw, Reed, Reese, Roae, Rock, Roebuck.

Table listing names of members who voted 'NAYS', 'NOT VOTING', or 'EXCUSED': Bradford, Brennan, Briggs, Brooks, Brown, R., Brown, V., Brownlee, Burns, Buxton, Caltagirone, Carroll, Causer, Christiana, Clymer, Cohen, Conklin, Costa, D., Costa, P., Cox, Creighton, Cruz, Culver, Curry, Cutler, Daley, Davidson, Davis, Day, Dean, Deasy, DeLissio, Delozier, DeLuca, Denlinger, Dermody, DiGirolamo, Donatucci, Geist, George, Gerber, Gergely, Gibbons, Gillen, Gillespie, Gingrich, Godshall, Goodman, Grell, Grove, Hackett, Hahn, Haluska, Hanna, Harhai, Harhart, Harkins, Harper, Harris, Heffley, Helm, Hennessey, Hess, Hickernell, Hornaman, Hutchinson, James, Josephs, Kampf, Kauffman, Kavulich, Keller, F., Keller, M.K., Keller, W., Killion, Maloney, Mann, Markosek, Marshall, Marsico, Masser, Matzie, McGeehan, Metcalfe, Metzgar, Miccarelli, Micozzie, Millard, Miller, Milne, Mirabito, Moul, Mullery, Mundy, Murphy, Murt, Mustio, Myers, Neilson, Neuman, O'Brien, M., O'Neill, Oberlander, Parker, Pashinski, Payne, Payton, Peifer, Perry, Petrarca, Petri, Pickett, Ross, Sabatina, Saccone, Sainato, Samuelson, Santarsiero, Santoni, Saylor, Scavello, Schmotzer, Simmons, Smith, K., Smith, M., Sonney, Staback, Stephens, Stern, Stevenson, Sturla, Tallman, Taylor, Tobash, Toepel, Toohil, Truitt, Turzai, Vereb, Vitali, Waters, Watson, Wheatley, White, Williams, Youngblood, Smith, S., Speaker.

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—6

Table listing names of members who were 'EXCUSED': Bear, DePasquale, Evans, D., Galloway, Swanger, Thomas.

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 second consideration as amended?

Bill as amended was agreed to.

(Bill as amended will be reprinted.)

The House proceeded to second consideration of HB 2470, PN 3738, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176), known as The Fiscal Code, in permit extensions, further providing for existing approval.

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

Mr. EVANKOVICH offered the following amendment No. A13298:

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 30 and 31, by striking out "for " in line 30 and "definitions and" in line 31

Amend Bill, page 2, lines 2 through 16, by striking out all of said lines and inserting

Section 1. Section 1603-I(a) and (b) of the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176), known as The Fiscal Code, added July 6, 2010 (P.L.279, No.46), are amended and the section is amended by adding a subsection to read:

Amend Bill, page 2, lines 22 through 26, by striking out "An approval granted by a " in line 22 and all of lines 23 through 26 and inserting

For any approval by a government agency that is granted for or in effect between the beginning of the extension period and July 2, 2013, whether obtained before or after the beginning of the extension period, the running of the period of the approval shall be automatically suspended until July 2, 2016.

Amend Bill, page 3, line 12, by striking out "3" and inserting 2

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

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Westmoreland County, Mr. Evankovich.

Mr. EVANKOVICH. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, this amendment does two things. It changes the date of the extension period to 2016, which is in line with what was done in the Fiscal Code, Act 85 of 2012. The amendment also changes the definition of the extension period as it was originally outlined in the bill in the original legislation. Specifically, the amendment makes it very clear that any extension, any permit obtained between the extension period of December 31, 2008, and July 2 does not terminate at the end of the extension period, but rather the duration of the permit is suspended during the extension period. This amendment was drafted alongside the Pennsylvania State Association of Township Supervisors and the State Boroughs Association.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—192

Table listing names of members who voted 'YEAS' (192 total). Includes names like Adolph, Aument, Baker, Barbin, Barrar, Benninghoff, Bishop, Bloom, Boback, Boyd, Boyle, B., Boyle, K., Bradford, Brennan, Briggs, Brooks, Brown, R., Brown, V., Brownlee, Burns, Dunbar, Ellis, Emrick, Evankovich, Evans, J., Everett, Fabrizio, Farry, Fleck, Frankel, Freeman, Gabler, Geist, George, Gerber, Gergely, Gibbons, Gillen, Gillespie, Gingrich, Knowles, Kortz, Kotik, Krieger, Kula, Lawrence, Longietti, Mackenzie, Maher, Mahoney, Major, Maloney, Mann, Markosek, Marshall, Marsico, Masser, Matzie, McGeehan, Metcalfe, Pyle, Quigley, Quinn, Rapp, Ravenstahl, Readshaw, Reed, Reese, Roae, Rock, Roebuck, Ross, Sabatina, Saccone, Sainato, Samuelson, Santarsiero, Sabatina, Santoni, Saylor, Scavello.

Table listing names of members who voted 'NAYS' (2 total). Includes names like Buxton, Caltagirone, Carroll, Causer, Christiana, Clymer, Cohen, Conklin, Costa, D., Costa, P., Cox, Creighton, Cruz, Culver, Curry, Cutler, Daley, Davidson, Davis, Day, Dean, Deasy, DeLissio, Delozier, DeLuca, Denlinger, Dermody, DiGirolamo, Donatucci, Godshall, Goodman, Grell, Grove, Hackett, Hahn, Haluska, Hanna, Harhai, Harhart, Harkins, Harris, Heffley, Helm, Hennessey, Hess, Hickernell, Hornaman, Hutchinson, James, Josephs, Kampf, Kauffman, Kavulich, Keller, F., Keller, M.K., Keller, W., Killion, Kirkland, Metzgar, Miccarelli, Micozzie, Millard, Miller, Milne, Mirabito, Moul, Mullery, Mundy, Murphy, Mustio, Myers, Neilson, Neuman, O'Brien, M., O'Neill, Oberlander, Parker, Pashinski, Payne, Payton, Peifer, Perry, Petrarca, Petri, Pickett, Preston, Schmotzer, Simmons, Smith, K., Smith, M., Sonney, Staback, Stephens, Stern, Stevenson, Sturla, Tallman, Taylor, Tobash, Toepel, Toohil, Truitt, Turzai, Vereb, Vitali, Waters, Watson, Wheatley, White, Williams, Youngblood, Smith, S., Speaker.

NAYS—2

Harper Murt

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—6

Bear DePasquale Evans, D. Galloway Swanger Thomas

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 second consideration as amended?

Mr. MIRABITO offered the following amendment No. A1327:

Amend Bill, page 1, line 31, by inserting after "approval" ; and providing for 2012-2013 budget implementation Amend Bill, page 3, by inserting between lines 11 and 12 Section 3. The act is amended by adding an article to read:

ARTICLE XVII-P 2012-2013 BUDGET IMPLEMENTATION SUBARTICLE A PRELIMINARY PROVISIONS

Section 1701-P. Applicability. Except as specifically provided in this article, this article applies to the General Appropriation Act and all other appropriation acts of 2012.

Section 1702-P. (Reserved).

SUBARTICLE B EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS

Section 1733-P. Pennsylvania State Police. The following shall apply to appropriations for the Pennsylvania State Police from the General Appropriation Act:

(1) From funds appropriated to or otherwise available to the Pennsylvania State Police, such amounts as necessary shall be expended by the Pennsylvania State Police to reestablish and relocate in the same location any aviation patrol unit at a regional airport, which unit ceased to operate after January 1, 2012.

(2) (Reserved).

Amend Bill, page 3, line 12, by striking out "3" and inserting
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On the question,
Will the House agree to the amendment?

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Lycoming County, Mr. Mirabito.

Mr. MIRABITO. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, last January the State moved the State Police Aviation Patrol Unit IV from Williamsport to Hazleton. We had an outcry from residents, law enforcement, and emergency personnel, primarily because the unit served citizens in Bradford, Cameron, Clinton, Lycoming, Montour, Northumberland, Potter, Sullivan, Tioga, and Union Counties. For my colleagues here who represent any or all parts of those counties, I hope you will really pay attention to this amendment. The service had been operational at the Williamsport Airport for over 40 years. It serves almost half a million people in a 7,630-square-mile rural area. Recently the unit has become especially important because of the development of the Marcellus Shale with the increased truck traffic and the increased emergency responses that are necessary. In June my colleague and I from Lycoming County were working to get the unit restored, and we stood on this House floor and we had an assurance from the majority leadership that the return of the unit would be included in the final State budget. At that time I withdrew an amendment that I had to the Fiscal Code mandating its return. Unfortunately, later this promise was not fulfilled and it was not included in the Fiscal Code, thus no directive was ever issued to return the aviation unit to Montoursville.

Mr. Speaker, speaking on behalf of 500,000 citizens who live in rural Pennsylvania, I am asking you all to pass amendment 12327. It is a chance to correct a mistake that was made in June. It requires no increase or shifting in funding. It is a good public policy decision, and it is the right thing to do for the safety of all Pennsylvanians. I strongly urge a "yes" vote.

The SPEAKER. The question is, will the House agree to the amendment?

On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Westmoreland County, Mr. Evankovich.

Mr. EVANKOVICH. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, while I fully understand and respect the gentleman's motivation behind offering this amendment, I think we need to remember and make clear that we are not talking about State Police personnel. This amendment seeks to relocate a helicopter, which is currently placed a half an hour away from the proposed location. I respect the gentleman's amendment, but I unfortunately have to stand in opposition. I believe that this amendment would clearly seek to allocate resources for the State Police, whereas that decision should certainly be a State Police Commissioner decision and not necessarily something that should be done in a piecemeal basis by this body. So I respectfully ask the members oppose this amendment.

The SPEAKER. The question is, will the House agree to the amendment?

On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Mirabito, for the second time.

Mr. MIRABITO. I guess I would just like to reiterate to the members, we really are responsible to the people we represent. We should not pass off to people who are not elected a responsibility to make policy decisions, especially when those people come to us in large numbers and tell us that they believe their safety is best served. In fact, because of the location with the elevation of Montoursville, it is actually safer and faster to get the helicopter unit out than it is.

So with all due respect to my colleague, I think people send us to Harrisburg to protect them, and on an issue as this such as public safety where there are so many people in a rural community that are impacted, I would urge you to support it and to vote for the amendment.

The SPEAKER. The question is, will the House agree to the amendment?

The gentleman, Mr. Vereb, from Montgomery County is seeking recognition on the amendment?

The gentleman is in order on the amendment.

Mr. VEREB. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I support the comments of my good colleague from Westmoreland County and ask everyone to oppose this amendment. Those of you from the southeastern part of the State need to understand that the closest State Police helicopter to us is in Reading. We all know that the State Police service our region very well, and we have to leave these decisions to the Commissioner to make. We are the ones who put the financial constraints on them, and I think that the aviation unit knows best where their aircraft can be and best service the needs and emergency services of all of our constituents.

So I urge a "no" vote on the amendment, Mr. Speaker.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—94

Baker	Davis	Keller, F.	Payton
Barbin	Dean	Keller, W.	Petrarca
Bishop	Deasy	Kirkland	Preston
Boback	DeLissio	Kortz	Ravenstahl
Boyle, B.	DeLuca	Kotik	Readshaw
Boyle, K.	Dermody	Kula	Roebuck
Bradford	Donatucci	Longietti	Sabatina
Brennan	Everett	Mahoney	Sainato
Briggs	Fabrizio	Mann	Samuelson
Brown, V.	Frankel	Markosek	Santarsiero
Brownlee	Freeman	Masser	Santoni
Burns	George	Matzie	Schmotzer
Buxton	Gerber	McGeehan	Smith, K.
Caltagirone	Gergely	Mirabito	Smith, M.
Carroll	Gibbons	Mullery	Staback
Cohen	Goodman	Mundy	Sturla
Conklin	Haluska	Murphy	Toohil
Costa, D.	Hanna	Myers	Vitali
Costa, P.	Harhai	Neilson	Waters
Cruz	Harkins	Neuman	Wheatley
Culver	Hornaman	O'Brien, M.	White
Curry	James	Parker	Williams
Daley	Josephs	Pashinski	Youngblood
Davidson	Kavulich		

NAYS—100

Adolph	Geist	Maier	Rapp
Aument	Gillen	Major	Reed
Barrar	Gillespie	Maloney	Reese
Benninghoff	Gingrich	Marshall	Roae
Bloom	Godshall	Marsico	Rock
Boyd	Grell	Metcalfe	Ross
Brooks	Grove	Metzgar	Saccone
Brown, R.	Hackett	Miccarelli	Saylor
Causar	Hahn	Micozzie	Scavello
Christiana	Harhart	Millard	Simmons
Clymer	Harper	Miller	Sonney
Cox	Harris	Milne	Stephens
Creighton	Heffley	Moul	Stern
Cutler	Helm	Murt	Stevenson
Day	Hennessey	Mustio	Tallman
Delozier	Hess	O'Neill	Taylor
Denlinger	Hickernell	Oberlander	Tobash
DiGirolamo	Hutchinson	Payne	Toepel
Dunbar	Kampf	Peifer	Truitt
Ellis	Kauffman	Perry	Turzai
Emrick	Keller, M.K.	Petri	Vereb
Evankovich	Killion	Pickett	Watson
Evans, J.	Knowles	Pyle	
Farry	Krieger	Quigley	Smith, S.,
Fleck	Lawrence	Quinn	Speaker
Gabler	Mackenzie		

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—6

Bear	Evans, D.	Swanger	Thomas
DePasquale	Galloway		

Less than the majority having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the negative and the amendment was not agreed to.

On the question recurring,

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

Bill as amended was agreed to.

(Bill as amended will be reprinted.)

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **SB 79, PN 2431**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in bases of jurisdiction and interstate and international procedure, providing for foreign depositions and subpoenas; and repealing provisions relating to foreign depositions.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

Bill was agreed to.

UNCONTESTED SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR A CONTINUED

RESOLUTIONS PURSUANT TO RULE 35

Mr. ROEBUCK called up **HR 895, PN 4178**, entitled:

A Resolution honoring the 100th anniversary of West Philadelphia High School in the City of Philadelphia.

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Mr. KAVULICH called up **HR 900, PN 4183**, entitled:

A Resolution designating October 7, 2012, as "National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Service Day" in Pennsylvania.

On the question,

Will the House adopt the resolutions?

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

Delozier	Kauffman	Payton	White
DeLuca	Kavulich	Peifer	Williams
Denlinger	Keller, F.	Perry	Youngblood
Dermody	Keller, M.K.	Petrarca	
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.	Petri	Smith, S.,
Donatucci	Killion	Pickett	Speaker

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—6

Bear	Evans, D.	Swanger	Thomas
DePasquale	Galloway		

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

FAREWELL ADDRESS BY MR. CURRY

The SPEAKER. If I could have the members' attention. I want to afford one of the other members that will be retiring at the end of this session the opportunity to make some farewell remarks. I would like to welcome to the podium, from Montgomery County, the gentleman, Mr. Curry.

Mr. CURRY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Well, the time has come to say farewell. I want to tell you how much I have enjoyed working with you, how the camaraderie in this House for the most part has been great. I have to tell you I had probably a very unusual experience beginning with my first term. As I walked through the Capitol and to my office, people would step aside. They would hold the door and kind of nod or bow, and it was very unusual. I thought, you know, I am just a State Representative; they are acting like I am the Governor. But I found out that I had a twin up here who had been here for a while, and he was the Speaker of the House. They thought for a while and mixed us up that the Honorable Matthew Ryan and Lawrence Curry were really two people. We had this confusion everywhere, not just in the Capitol. I remember being a guest at a Phillies ball game, and I wanted to go down the back aisle to buy something for my grandson at the store that was down at the end of that aisle. I went rushing down and someone came up and said, "Hi, Matt." That was the Governor. And I wondered if I could have played that a little better and a little longer, but I did not. But he was a real statesman, and I know we have all missed him.

I have had an opportunity to represent my district and to try to get through here some of the things that I thought would improve the quality of life in that part of eastern Montgomery County, and in some instances, for the whole State. So I welcomed that opportunity, and I appreciate those of you who came forward and helped me.

I want to mention, this session really becomes a major thank-you. First off, I have to thank my wife, Shirley. Mr. Speaker, you might get a replacement here. Her love and encouragement and a healthy dose of nagging, I would not be standing here without that in this chamber today. I am sure of that, as you just have demonstrated giving your thanks to her. The last year or so has been really very trying having to drive back and forth. Since I had the stroke, she just jumped in and

took everything under control, under her wing, and has made it possible for me to continue to get to hearings and to work on some legislation. So as you could imagine, and as we all should be, I am deeply indebted to my wife for her support.

I am deeply indebted to the members of this House and on both sides of the aisle. I have worked with Republican chairmen on the committees that I served, and of course, the Democratic leadership, the Democratic members have also been very helpful and supportive. I would like to thank my staff in Jenkintown, the district office. They get all of the flak, and not just from me, but they call that office as a place to unload on everything that goes wrong, from a SEPTA (Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority) train running late to an airport delay, traffic problems, and eventually they get around to Harrisburg. But they have taken that and they have handled it well. I want to thank my staff up here in my office. Nancy Porvaznik has been able to put up with me for the whole time we were here and has kept me on time, getting to the floor with the papers that I needed. She has been a tremendous help and has made it possible for me to function. Anne MacHaffie in my district office has done research, and particularly, followed very closely the research as it evolved on bisphenol A and its use in plastic. She is something of a chemist and was concerned when she saw some of the results of that chemical when it melted into the contents of plastic bottles or plastic containers. We tried to get that bill here into the House. We had a chance to talk about it, but in the end, the Food and Drug Administration took that issue over and has banned it in all children's products. So in a sense, our raising that issue at least had that effect.

I want to thank one of the committee chairmen that I work with and share governance with, and that is Tim Hennessey. Tim was the assistant district attorney in Montgomery County when I was a county commissioner. He was a good district attorney. He and I were able to confer on a host of issues, and he gave me some education in the criminal justice system so that I could better understand some of my responsibilities as a county commissioner. And up here as chairman of the Committee on Aging, he has given some direction and been counsel on some of the legislation that I want to see passed. It has been a pleasure working with him and with his staff, Sharon Schwartz and Erin Raub, and my own staff, who has been helpful on those issues and doing pretty serious research.

This chamber will face some difficult challenges in the years to come. We need, if anything, to put blatant partisanship aside. And as we face those serious challenges that come up that affect the people of Pennsylvania – not just us but the people of Pennsylvania – then we have to have some mutual respect and the ability to compromise without selling our own position or giving in. This chamber has the ability to compromise and will be a key to addressing the needs of Pennsylvania in the future.

I would like to share with you a quote that I think is helpful about governance. It is a quote that comes from John Kennedy. He wrote, "...let us not be blind to our differences" between us "but let us also direct attention to our common interests and to the means by which those differences can be resolved." And I think we can do that, and I think we have leadership now that believes we need to focus on issues, focus on the problems, and with compromise work out some solutions. They are not easy. They are difficult. Our constituents have to come to understand just how complicated some of these things can be. But in the end, working together, this group can get that job done.

Again, thank you. It has been a pleasure working with you. It has been exciting. I look forward to seeing you some time in the near future.

COMMEMORATIVE GAVEL PRESENTED

The SPEAKER. Thank you for your thoughtful words that are always a good reminder for each of us that carries on with this work. As is the custom, I have a commemorative gavel for you to kind of remember a portion of your service here in the Pennsylvania House of Representatives. Godspeed with you.

Mr. CURRY. Thank you so much.

SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR D

RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO RULE 35

Mr. JAMES called up **HR 894, PN 4177**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the important working relationship between the National Black Caucus of State Legislators (NBCSL) and the National Black Police Association (NBPA).

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolution?

REMARKS SUBMITTED FOR THE RECORD

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

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This resolution recognizes the important working relationship between the National Black Caucus of State Legislators and the National Black Police Association.

The National Black Caucus of State Legislators is composed of over 600 African-American State legislators and Representatives from over 120 corporations and labor unions across the country.

One of our former colleagues, Representative David P. Richardson, was one of the founding members of the organization. Representative Thaddeus Kirkland is the group's current vice chairman, and Representative Ron Waters is on the board of directors. I was fortunate to serve on the board for 15 years.

The organization serves as a national network and clearinghouse for the discussion, dissemination, and exchange of ideas and information among African-American State legislators and their staffs.

NBCSL provides research, training, and educational services which help to improve the effectiveness and quality of African-American State legislators and their staff.

The National Black Police Association, founded in 1972, is a nationwide organization of African-American police associations dedicated to the promotion of justice, fairness, and effectiveness in law enforcement. I, along with former Representative Alphonso Deal, were founding members of this group.

The organization serves as an advocate for minority police officers and establishes a national network for the training and education of all police officers and others interested in law enforcement.

In addition, NBPA serves as a mechanism to recruit minority police officers on a national scale and works toward police reform in order to eliminate police corruption, police brutality, and racial discrimination.

Through HR 894, we recognize and honor these two vital organizations for their committed working relationship in hopes of helping to improve their communities.

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

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, J.	Krieger	Rapp
Benninghoff	Everett	Kula	Ravenstahl
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Bloom	Farry	Longietti	Reed
Boback	Fleck	Mackenzie	Reese
Boyd	Frankel	Maher	Roae
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Bradford	Geist	Maloney	Ross
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Briggs	Gerber	Markosek	Saccone
Brooks	Gergely	Marshall	Sainato
Brown, R.	Gibbons	Marsico	Samuelson
Brown, V.	Gillen	Masser	Santarsiero
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Burns	Gingrich	McGeehan	Saylor
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Causar	Grove	Micozzie	Smith, K.
Christiana	Hackett	Millard	Smith, M.
Clymer	Hahn	Miller	Sonney
Cohen	Haluska	Milne	Staback
Conklin	Hanna	Mirabito	Stephens
Costa, D.	Harhai	Moul	Stern
Costa, P.	Harhart	Mullery	Stevenson
Cox	Harkins	Mundy	Sturla
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Cruz	Harris	Murt	Taylor
Culver	Heffley	Mustio	Tobash
Curry	Helm	Myers	Toepel
Cutler	Hennessey	Neilson	Toohil
Daley	Hess	Neuman	Truitt
Davidson	Hickernell	O'Brien, M.	Turzai
Davis	Hornaman	O'Neill	Vereb
Day	Hutchinson	Oberlander	Vitali
Dean	James	Parker	Waters
Deasy	Josephs	Pashinski	Watson
DeLissio	Kampf	Payne	Wheatley
DeLozier	Kauffman	Payton	White
DeLuca	Kavulich	Peifer	Williams
Denlinger	Keller, F.	Perry	Youngblood
Dermody	Keller, M.K.	Petrarca	
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.	Petri	Smith, S.,
Donatucci	Killion	Pickett	Speaker

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—6

Bear	Evans, D.	Swanger	Thomas
DePasquale	Galloway		

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

SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR E

RESOLUTION

Mr. DERMODY called up **HR 888, PN 4144**, entitled:

A Resolution directing the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee to conduct a study to evaluate the delivery of services by for-profit service providers for Intellectual Disability Consolidated Waiver services, Child Welfare, Community-Based Mental Health, Intellectual Disability Community-Based Program and Drug and Alcohol services and to submit a report.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolution?

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

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—6

Bear Evans, D. Swanger Thomas
DePasquale Galloway

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

The SPEAKER. For what purpose does the gentleman from Montgomery County, Mr. Briggs, rise?

Mr. BRIGGS. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to House rule 53, I rise to call up House Discharge Resolution No. 4, a resolution that would bring to the floor HR 520, a resolution calling for special counsel to investigate why the Pennsylvania Attorney General's Office, "...with apparent probable cause consisting of credible eyewitness accounts of sexual abuse of children in its possession, failed to protect those children and others coming into contact with Mr. Sandusky...."

The SPEAKER. The gentleman was not recognized for the purpose of calling anything up. The gentleman was asked, for what purpose do you rise?

Mr. BRIGGS. I rise pursuant to House rule 53. I rise—
The SPEAKER. The gentleman is out of order then.

PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY

Mr. BRIGGS. Parliamentary inquiry.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman may state his parliamentary inquiry.

Mr. BRIGGS. When would I be in order to make that motion?

The SPEAKER. The answer to the gentleman's question is that he would be recognized whenever the Speaker recognizes him for that purpose.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS PASSED OVER

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

RECESS

The SPEAKER. The House stands in recess till the call of the Chair.

(Pursuant to rule 15, the House adjourned at 11 p.m., e.d.t.)