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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

THE SPEAKER (SAMUEL H. SMITH) PRESIDING

PRAYER

HON. JERRY STERN, member of the House of Representatives, offered the following prayer:

Let us bow our heads:

Dear God and creator of all, today we come before You in humble respite of our legislative efforts. We ask that You grant us wisdom and forbearance as we make diligent application to the tasks and bills before us.

As we gather today, let us be mindful of the many people gathered here this afternoon in this beautiful building and room known as the House of Representatives. Grant safe travels to those who are visiting today, and keep them safe as they return back to their homes.

Bless our nation, dear God, and may Your influence guide us in the decisions that we must make to protect the most vulnerable among us and to pass laws that will deter and punish those who would prey on others that violate the laws of this Commonwealth.

Be with our troops this morning serving around the globe and here in this country, plus their families. Give them strength and comfort during these difficult days of war and conflict around the world.

I pray a special blessing on our President of these United States that we may be able to live our lives in peace and in accord with one another. Grant our Congress discernment on the issues of our day.

Thank You for those who work for us in any capacity, either here in the House or back in our district offices, and continue to acknowledge their needs. Heal those that are broken and hurting today, either physically or emotionally. Supply those things necessary for those who are in need.

We pray especially today, dear Lord, for Representative Barbin as he has lost his mother. We pray, dear Lord, You would just be with him and strengthen him today and his family.

Let us approach You this day and be thankful for the beauty of the day itself, for this is the day that You have made, dear Lord.

Continue to meet the needs of our Speaker and our House leadership on each side of the aisle with the many topics and issues that we will face today and this week and the weeks ahead. When we struggle with answers and solutions, have us

come to You in prayer and seek the wisdom that You can give us from on high.

Allow us to make a difference in the life of someone today that is for their good. Help us to lift others up when they may be down, to give a hand and steady someone, to love one another unconditionally as this command fulfills the law and the prophets.

I pray these things in Jesus' name. Amen.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

JOURNAL APPROVAL POSTPONED

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the approval of the Journal of Thursday, October 17, 2013, will be postponed until printed.

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE, CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED

HB 1205, PN 1510

By Rep. BARRAR

An Act amending the act of August 26, 1971 (P.L.351, No.91), known as the State Lottery Law, further providing for statement of purpose, for powers and duties of secretary and for disposition of funds; and providing for instant lottery game to benefit veterans.

VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY
PREPAREDNESS.

HB 1742, PN 2551 (Amended)

By Rep. BARRAR

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for the exclusion of veterans' benefit payments from income for Commonwealth programs.

VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY
PREPAREDNESS.

HOUSE BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

No. 1775 By Representatives KAMPF, KOTIK, B. BOYLE, WATSON, CORBIN, TOEPEL, GODSHALL, ROCK, GROVE, SWANGER, CLYMER, EVERETT, COHEN, GINGRICH, READSHAW, FLECK, R. MILLER, HEFFLEY, MURT and DENLINGER

An Act selecting, designating and adopting the phrase "Ubi libertas vivit, hic patria mihi" as the official Latin motto of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, October 21, 2013.

No. 1777 By Representatives WHITE, NEILSON, KOTIK, K. BOYLE, BROWNLEE, HARKINS, CRUZ, V. BROWN, PAINTER, DAVIS, KULA and DEASY

An Act amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), known as the Pennsylvania Election Code, in district election officers, further providing for compensation of district election officers.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, October 21, 2013.

No. 1778 By Representatives PETRI, COHEN, DUNBAR, EVERETT, HEFFLEY, JAMES, LAWRENCE, McGEEHAN, MILLARD, MURT, SWANGER, WATSON, R. MILLER, GILLEN and FARRY

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in judicial boards and commissions, further providing for composition of jury selection commission; in facilities and supplies, further providing for county judicial center or courthouse; and, in juries and jurors, further providing for challenging compliance with selection procedures.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, October 21, 2013.

No. 1780 By Representatives VEREB, TURZAI, CALTAGIRONE, KAMPF, KOTIK, MILLARD, MURT, PAINTER, PASHINSKI, SAYLOR, SWANGER, TOEPEL, R. MILLER and MILNE

An Act amending Title 74 (Transportation) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in turnpike, providing for toll road conversions.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, October 21, 2013.

No. 1781 By Representatives GILLESPIE, DeLUCA, EVERETT, GODSHALL, GROVE, C. HARRIS, MURT, PASHINSKI, PETRI, STEPHENS and R. MILLER

An Act amending Title 74 (Transportation) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for conversion of interstates in this Commonwealth to toll roads and for studies on the impact of conversion on associated highways and local roads.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, October 21, 2013.

No. 1782 By Representative PYLE

An Act designating a bridge on that portion of S.R. 128 over Buffalo Creek, Freeport Borough, Armstrong County, as the Freeport Firemen's Bridge.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, October 21, 2013.

No. 1785 By Representatives LUCAS, HAGGERTY, CALTAGIRONE, FARINA, GERGELY, HARKINS, KORTZ, MULLERY, PYLE and ROZZI

An Act amending Title 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for Sunday hunting prohibition.

Referred to Committee on GAME AND FISHERIES, October 21, 2013.

No. 1786 By Representatives CALTAGIRONE, BISHOP, GODSHALL, DAVIDSON, KOTIK, ROZZI, MCNEILL, PAINTER, COHEN, DeLUCA, V. BROWN, WATSON and DENLINGER

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

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, October 21, 2013.

No. 1787 By Representatives CALTAGIRONE, GODSHALL, DAVIDSON, ROZZI, MCNEILL, PAINTER, COHEN, DeLUCA, V. BROWN, WATSON and DENLINGER

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in general provisions, adding definitions for "attendance officer" and "habitually truant"; and, in licensing of drivers, further providing for persons ineligible for licensing, license issuance to minors, junior driver's license, learners' permits, for notice of change of name or address, for suspension of operating privilege and for driving while operating privilege is suspended or revoked.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, October 21, 2013.

No. 1788 By Representatives CALTAGIRONE, GODSHALL, DAVIDSON, ROZZI, MCNEILL, CARROLL, SCHLOSSBERG, PAINTER, COHEN, DeLUCA, V. BROWN, WATSON and DENLINGER

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

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, October 21, 2013.

No. 1789 By Representatives CALTAGIRONE, GODSHALL, DAVIDSON, ROZZI, MCNEILL, CARROLL, SCHLOSSBERG, PAINTER, COHEN, DeLUCA, V. BROWN, WATSON and DENLINGER

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in magisterial district judges, further providing for jurisdiction and venue.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, October 21, 2013.

No. 1790 By Representatives CALTAGIRONE, GODSHALL, DAVIDSON, ROZZI, MCNEILL, PAINTER, COHEN, DeLUCA, V. BROWN, WATSON and DENLINGER

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

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, October 21, 2013.

No. 1791 By Representatives CALTAGIRONE, PARKER, JAMES, DAVIS, ROZZI, GRELL, BRADFORD, D. COSTA, SABATINA, COHEN, MAHONEY, MURT and READSHAW

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

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, October 21, 2013.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER. The Speaker turns to leaves of absence, and the majority whip indicates there are no requests for leaves of absence.

The Speaker recognizes the minority whip, who requests a leave of absence for the gentleman, Mr. HAGGERTY, from Lackawanna County for the day. Without objection, the leave will be granted.

MASTER ROLL CALL

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

The following roll call was recorded:

PRESENT—201

Adolph	English	Knowles	Petri
Aument	Evankovich	Kortz	Pickett
Baker	Evans	Kotik	Pyle
Barbin	Everett	Krieger	Quinn
Barrar	Fabrizio	Kula	Rapp
Benninghoff	Farina	Lawrence	Ravenstahl
Bishop	Farry	Longietti	Readshaw
Bizzarro	Fee	Lucas	Reed
Bloom	Fleck	Mackenzie	Reese
Boback	Flynn	Maher	Regan
Boyle, B.	Frankel	Mahoney	Roe
Boyle, K.	Freeman	Major	Rock
Bradford	Gabler	Maloney	Roebuck
Briggs	Gainey	Markosek	Ross
Brooks	Galloway	Marshall	Rozzi
Brown, R.	Gergely	Marsico	Sabatina
Brown, V.	Gibbons	Masser	Saccone
Brownlee	Gillen	Matzie	Sainato
Burns	Gillespie	McCarte	Samuelson
Caltagirone	Gingrich	McGeehan	Sankey
Carroll	Godshall	McGinnis	Santarsiero
Causar	Goodman	McNeill	Saylor
Christiana	Greiner	Mentzer	Scavello
Clay	Grell	Metcalfe	Schlossberg
Clymer	Grove	Metzgar	Schreiber
Cohen	Hackett	Miccarelli	Simmons
Conklin	Hahn	Micozzie	Sims
Corbin	Haluska	Millard	Smith
Costa, D.	Hanna	Miller, D.	Snyder
Costa, P.	Harhai	Miller, R.	Sonney
Cox	Harhart	Milne	Stephens
Cruz	Harkins	Mirabito	Stern
Culver	Harper	Miranda	Stevenson
Cutler	Harris, A.	Molchany	Sturla

Daley, M.	Harris, J.	Moul	Swanger
Daley, P.	Heffley	Mullery	Tallman
Davidson	Helm	Mundy	Taylor
Davis	Hennessey	Murt	Thomas
Day	Hickernell	Mustio	Tobash
Dean	James	Neilson	Toepel
Deasy	Kampf	Neuman	Toohil
DeLissio	Kauffman	O'Brien	Truitt
DeLozier	Kavulich	O'Neill	Turzai
DeLuca	Keller, F.	Oberlander	Vereb
Denlinger	Keller, M.K.	Painter	Vitali
Dermody	Keller, W.	Parker	Waters
DiGirolamo	Killion	Pashinski	Watson
Donatucci	Kim	Payne	Wheatley
Dunbar	Kinsey	Peifer	White
Ellis	Kirkland	Petrarca	Youngblood
Emrick			

ADDITIONS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—1

Haggerty

LEAVES ADDED—4

B. Boyle Cohen Taylor Thomas

LEAVES CANCELED—1

Taylor

The SPEAKER. Two hundred and one members having voted on the master roll call, a quorum is present.

GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. If I could have the members' attention, I would like to introduce some of the guests that are with us today. I would appreciate your courtesy. Thank you.

Located to the left of the rostrum, we would like to welcome Erin Price, Miss MidState 2013. During her year of service with the Miss America Organization, Erin will complete over 500 hours of community service. She currently serves as ambassador for the Children's Miracle Network and as an advocate for the VH1 Save the Music Foundation. She is here with her friend, Thomas Hamilton, who is in the rear of the House, and they are here today as guests of Representative Clymer. Will our guests please rise. Welcome to the hall of the House.

As guests of Representative Fee, we would like to welcome Don Rongione and Rachel Highley from the Bollman Hat Company and American Made Matters, and they are in the rear of the House. Will our guests please rise; straight back the middle. Welcome to the hall of the House.

Also in the rear of the House, we would like to welcome Representative Rosemary Brown's parents, Ken and Marlene Maula, and they are here with their friends, Diane and Laydon Hemsworth. Will our guests please rise. Welcome to the hall of the House.

Additionally in the rear of the House, we would like to welcome Nathan Riedy, executive director of Justice and Mercy, which is headquartered in Lancaster County, and he is

here today as a guest of Representative Denlinger. Will our guest please rise. Welcome to the hall of the House.

And also in the rear of the House, as guests of Representative Miranda, we would like to welcome the Brotherhood of Huntingdon Street: Jamil Ali, Joshua Brockington, Louis Bryant, and Fred Revere. Will our guests please rise; over on the left. Welcome to the hall of the House.

In the well of the House, I would like to welcome guest page Juliana Sanchez, and seated to the left of the rostrum are her parents, Johnny and Edna Sanchez, and her sisters, Savannah and Kelsey, and they are here today as guests of Representative Scavello. Will all our guests please rise. Welcome to the hall of the House.

Additionally to the left of the rostrum, a name that you might find a little more familiar, located to the left of the rostrum, welcome former quarterback of the Buffalo Bills, NFL (National Football League) Hall of Famer and founder of Hunter's Hope Foundation, Jim Kelly. With Jim is Anna Grantham of Hunter's Hope Foundation, and they are here today as guests of Representative Cruz, and Mr. Kelly has been willing to stand with a few members for photos if you would like. They will do that out in the rotunda area outside of the Lieutenant Governor's Office.

If I could, just one other guest that is with us in the rear of the House, as a guest of Representative Clymer, Lisa Andrejko, who is the secretary of Quakertown Community School District. Will our guest please rise. Welcome to the hall of the House.

ALLISON PAIGE BROWN PRESENTED

The SPEAKER. I now invite Representative Mullery to the rostrum for the purpose of presenting a citation to Allison Brown, a gold medal winner at the 2013 Keystone Gymnastics Championship.

If I could have the members' attention.

Mr. MULLERY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

It is my pleasure to stand before the chamber this afternoon to honor Allison Paige Brown. At 7 years old and in her first year of competitive gymnastics, Allison has consistently medaled at competitions throughout the region.

During the 2013 Keystone Gymnastics Championship, Allison won the gold medal in the all-around competition and took home silver medals in the bars, balance beam, and vault events. She also captured a bronze medal in the floor event. Allison's winning performance allowed her to compete in the 2013 State Games of America, which were held this past August in Harrisburg and Hershey. Stepping up and competing against other medal winners, Allison did quite well. She finished fifth with an overall score of 34.950.

Mr. Speaker, as long as Allison does not injure her neck carrying along her glut of medals, I anticipate that her future is certainly bright.

She is joined today by her parents, Allen and Nicole – Nicole is a member of my district office staff – as well as her brothers, Collin and Owen, and her sister, Emersyn.

Please join me in congratulating Allison and welcoming her and her family to the House of Representatives.

The SPEAKER. The House will be at ease for a moment.

The House will come to order.

LUZERNE COUNTY CHAOS SOFTBALL TEAMS PRESENTED

The SPEAKER. If I could invite Representative Boback along with Representative Mullery for the purpose of presenting citations to the Luzerne County Chaos U10 and U12 Softball Teams.

Mr. MULLERY. Thank you once again, Mr. Speaker.

Representative Boback, Representative Pashinski, and I are honored today to be joined by two exceptional groups of athletes – the Luzerne County Chaos U10 and U12 Girls Softball Teams. The U10 team took districts and regionals on their way to the State tournament in Audubon. The U10s went undefeated, capturing the State championship, enabling them to advance to the Mid-Atlantic Regional Tournament in New Jersey. Once in New Jersey, the U10s went 2-2, dropping a heartbreaker to the Hamilton Hurricanes in an elimination game.

State championship members located in the back of the House include Lizzie Mendrzycki, Gabby Rakowski, Aleigha Parnell, Mollie Corbett, Emily Bevan, Gabby Proleika, Cassidy Slusser, Riley Wren, Jess Skladzien, Lindsey Mendygral, Julia Franks. And we have two members of the team up here with us today, the pitcher and shortstop, Sarah Tuzinski, and a third baseman whose name I hope I can pronounce correctly, Lauren Mullery. Those girls were managed by Bernie Tuzinski and coached by Joe Mendygral, Chris Slusser, and Chris Parnell.

The U12 team had an even more impressive run, finishing just shy of a national title. During the July Fourth weekend, the girls went 6-0 in the State tournament, outscoring their opponents 65-2, while their pitching staff surrendered only two hits in six games.

The State champs advanced to the Mid-Atlantic Regional Tournament, where they once again finished undefeated. The Mid-Atlantic crown gained these young ladies an invitation to the World Series in Florida. With the help of \$12,000 in donations from family, friends, and businesses in Luzerne County, the girls finished undefeated in pool play, defeating teams from South Bend, Indiana; Lodi, California; Londonderry, New Hampshire; and Gilchrist, Florida. The girls advanced to the medal round and quickly dispatched Amarillo, Texas. Unfortunately, that is where the undefeated streak and their once-in-a-lifetime dream run ended. The Chaos dropped their next two games to North Carolina and New Jersey, giving them a fourth-place finish in the nation.

Team members in the back of the House include Tiana Wren, Emily Elick, Courtney and Nicole Cragle, Chloe Van Gorder, Tiffany Eustice, Morgan Bienkowski, Sarah Whitesell, Alessia Mangan, Brinley Sobek, Jaden Belles, and we are joined up here today by Madison Stashak and Katie Bonczewski. That team was coached by Cathy and Ed Cragle and managed by Tim Wren.

I would now like to present the microphone to Representative Boback, who would also like to make a few remarks on behalf of these fine young ladies.

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the lady, Ms. Boback, for additional comments relative to the citation.

Ms. BOBACK. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I, too, am proud to be joined with Representative Mullery and Representative Pashinski in honoring the accomplishments of two exemplary groups of young women.

I would first like to formally congratulate members of the Luzerne County Chaos Girls 10-and-Under Softball Team. This team won the 2013 Babe Ruth Softball Championship and advanced to the Mid-Atlantic Regional Championship in New Jersey.

The Luzerne County Chaos Girls 12-and-Under Softball Team also had a great season, capturing the Mid-Atlantic Regional Softball Championship and the State Babe Ruth Softball Championship. The team went on to finish fourth at the Babe Ruth 12-and-Under Softball World Series.

I look forward to seeing what both of these teams will accomplish in the future. Congratulations, ladies, in the front and behind me, on all your hard work.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The House will be at ease for a moment or two.

The House will come to order.

UNCONTESTED CALENDAR

RESOLUTIONS PURSUANT TO RULE 35

Mr. MIRANDA called up **HR 428, PN 2300**, entitled:

A Resolution honoring the Brotherhood of Huntingdon Street for its accomplishments and contributions to its community.

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Mrs. FEE called up **HR 477, PN 2404**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing November 19, 2013, as "American Made Matters Day" in Pennsylvania.

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Mr. ADOLPH called up **HR 486, PN 2445**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the week of October 20 through 26, 2013, as "Respiratory Care Week" in Pennsylvania and commending respiratory therapists for their outstanding contributions to health care.

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Mr. STEVENSON called up **HR 498, PN 2476**, entitled:

A Resolution honoring all Pennsylvania veterans who served during war and peace on the occasion of Veterans Day, November 11, 2013.

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Mr. STEVENSON called up **HR 499, PN 2477**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of November 2013 as "Pulmonary Hypertension Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania and commending the work of the Pulmonary Hypertension Association.

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Mr. GODSHALL called up **HR 507, PN 2495**, entitled:

A Resolution designating October 21, 2013, as "Biomedical Research Day" in Pennsylvania.

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Mr. NEUMAN called up **HR 508, PN 2517**, entitled:

A Resolution designating October 26, 2013, as "Make a Difference Day" in Pennsylvania.

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Mr. COHEN called up **HR 512, PN 2521**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of October 2013 as "National Disability Employment Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolutions?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—201

Adolph	English	Knowles	Petri
Aument	Evankovich	Kortz	Pickett
Baker	Evans	Kotik	Pyle
Barbin	Everett	Krieger	Quinn
Barrar	Fabrizio	Kula	Rapp
Benninghoff	Farina	Lawrence	Ravenstahl
Bishop	Farry	Longietti	Readshaw
Bizzarro	Fee	Lucas	Reed
Bloom	Fleck	Mackenzie	Reese
Boback	Flynn	Maher	Regan
Boyle, B.	Frankel	Mahoney	Roae
Boyle, K.	Freeman	Major	Rock
Bradford	Gabler	Maloney	Roebuck
Briggs	Gainey	Markosek	Ross
Brooks	Galloway	Marshall	Rozzi
Brown, R.	Gergely	Marsico	Sabatina
Brown, V.	Gibbons	Masser	Saccone
Brownlee	Gillen	Matzie	Sainato
Burns	Gillespie	McCarter	Samuelson
Caltagirone	Gingrich	McGeehan	Sankey
Carroll	Godshall	McGinnis	Santarsiero
Causer	Goodman	McNeill	Saylor
Christiana	Greiner	Mentzer	Scavello
Clay	Grell	Metcalfe	Schlossberg
Clymer	Grove	Metzgar	Schreiber
Cohen	Hackett	Miccarelli	Simmons
Conklin	Hahn	Micozzie	Sims
Corbin	Haluska	Millard	Smith
Costa, D.	Hanna	Miller, D.	Snyder
Costa, P.	Harhai	Miller, R.	Sonney
Cox	Harhart	Milne	Stephens
Cruz	Harkins	Mirabito	Stern
Culver	Harper	Miranda	Stevenson
Cutler	Harris, A.	Molchany	Sturla
Daley, M.	Harris, J.	Moul	Swanger
Daley, P.	Heffley	Mullery	Tallman
Davidson	Helm	Mundy	Taylor
Davis	Hennessey	Murt	Thomas
Day	Hickernell	Mustio	Tobash
Dean	James	Neilson	Toepel
Deasy	Kampf	Neuman	Toohil
DeLissio	Kauffman	O'Brien	Truitt
Delozier	Kavulich	O'Neill	Turzai
DeLuca	Keller, F.	Oberlander	Vereb
Denlinger	Keller, M.K.	Painter	Vitali
Dermody	Keller, W.	Parker	Waters
DiGirolamo	Killion	Pashinski	Watson
Donatucci	Kim	Payne	Wheatley
Dunbar	Kinsey	Peifer	White
Ellis	Kirkland	Petrarca	Youngblood
Emrick			

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—1

Haggerty

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

STATEMENT BY MS. HARPER

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the lady from Montgomery County, Ms. Harper, under unanimous consent relative to one of the resolutions just adopted.

Ms. HARPER. Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Will the lady suspend just one minute. I would appreciate if we could hold the conversations down just a little bit, please. Thank you.

The lady may proceed.

Ms. HARPER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker, and members of the House for voting unanimously for Representative Mindy Fee's HR 477, which designates November 19, 2013, as "American Made Matters Day" in the Commonwealth, and boy, does it ever.

Beyond the impact that American manufacturing has on the nation's economy and jobs, American-made goods are still a symbol of quality, innovation, and value. It has been estimated that one manufacturing job generates another 1.6 additional jobs in local businesses. Indeed, high-tech manufacturing jobs are estimated to generate five additional local jobs. Reminding Americans to buy American-made helps us keep good manufacturing jobs here at home where they are sorely needed and keeps the dollars generated by that activity flowing into our towns and cities.

On a personal note, along with Representative Fee, I am delighted to welcome my old college friend, Don Rongione, president of the Bollman Hat Company, whose worldwide headquarters is in Adamstown, Pennsylvania, to the Capitol for this vote. Don, if you will just stand for a second. The Bollman Hat Company has been manufacturing stylish and serviceable headwear in Pennsylvania since just after the Civil War ended. And I have to say my good friend, Don, who is somewhat follicularly challenged, made a good career choice in choosing the Bollman Hat Company for his business career, and a smart fashion choice as well.

Welcome, Don and Bollman Hat Company, and thank you for reminding all of us how important it is to buy American-made goods. Thank you.

STATEMENT BY MR. STEVENSON

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Mercer County, Mr. Stevenson, under unanimous consent relative to one of the resolutions just adopted.

Mr. STEVENSON. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, today I rise to thank my colleagues for their support of HR 498, which seeks to honor all Pennsylvania veterans on Veterans Day, Monday, November 11.

Ninety-five years after the armistice of World War I was signed in Europe—

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman suspend a moment, please. I would appreciate the members' attention. If you could hold the conversations down. Kindly take them to the rear of the House if necessary. Thank you very much.

The gentleman may proceed.

Mr. STEVENSON. In continuing that time-honored tradition, Veterans Day gives us an opportunity to reflect on the sacrifices made by those who served as they responded to our nation's call. Every year on Veterans Day, we say thank you to them as well as to those who did not return to let them know that we will never forget what they have done for us.

When the freedoms we hold dear were challenged, these men and women stepped forward. We owe them the life and liberty we know today. They command the lasting respect and gratitude of the American people.

So let us honor those who proudly wear our country's uniform today as well. They willingly serve the cause of freedom as they follow in the footsteps of those who went before them.

Mr. Speaker, at this time I would also like to acknowledge my colleagues here in the chamber who are fellow veterans and ask them to please stand for a moment and be recognized.

The SPEAKER. Will all veteran members please stand.

Mr. STEVENSON. May God bless the United States, and may He bless all American veterans, those of yesterday, today, and tomorrow.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Speaker thanks the gentleman.

GUEST INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. I would like to take this moment to introduce an additional guest that has just joined us. His name is Kevin Medley. He is seated in the rear of the House. He is a guest of and interning in the office of Representative Vanessa Brown's office, and he is a returning Marine veteran. Will our guest please rise; straight back the middle aisle. Welcome to the hall of the House. Thank you for your service to our country.

STATEMENT BY MR. COHEN

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Philadelphia County, Mr. Cohen, under unanimous consent relative to one of the resolutions just adopted.

Mr. COHEN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I thank you for placing "National Disability Employment Awareness Month" in the agreed-to calendar for rule 35 resolutions.

National Disability Employment Awareness Month is a campaign intended to raise awareness about disability employment issues and to celebrate the many and varied contributions of America's workers with disabilities. HR 512 recognizes the accomplishments of both men and women with disabilities in Pennsylvania whose work helps keep the Commonwealth's economy strong by reaffirming the commitment to ensure equal opportunity for everyone.

Currently 20.7 percent of people with disabilities participate in the labor force in Pennsylvania, as compared with 63.4 percent of able-bodied people. While this is progress – it

has been much lower in the past – much work still needs to be done to get people with disabilities into the labor force.

Three Commonwealth programs – medical assistance for people with disabilities, attendant care, and shared ride transportation programs – demonstrate that people with disabilities are able to become meaningfully engaged in the workplace.

I extend my thanks to the members of the House for supporting HR 512, for recognizing the important contributions of people with disabilities, and for supporting the programs that allow people to be woven into our work culture. The slogan of many disabled people is "Because We Are Equal to the Task." They are equal to many workplace tasks, and it is wonderful to be part of recognizing that today.

Devon Grant, the executive director of the Governor's Cabinet and Advisory Committee for People with Disabilities, is seated in the balcony. I thank him for his outstanding leadership.

The SPEAKER. The Speaker thanks the gentleman.

STATEMENT BY MR. MIRANDA

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Philadelphia County, Mr. Miranda, under unanimous consent relative to one of the resolutions just adopted.

Mr. MIRANDA. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would also like to thank you, my colleagues, for recognizing these Philadelphia trailblazers who had the courage to first change themselves and then change their city.

Just over 7 years ago, 14 former gang members realized that more violence would not make life better for their neighborhood. They came together to create the Brotherhood of Huntingdon Street, a group whose aim was to steer young boys away from gangs, drug dealers, and the violence all too commonly found to inner-city life.

These visionaries have created a nonprofit organization, frequently funded with their own money, which provides athletic and educational opportunities for 8- to 13-year-old children. By hosting street fairs and supporting local camps, the Brotherhood of Huntingdon Street provides something which is so often lacking in our struggling cities, hope – hope for a better future for these children and hope for a safer, more united local community.

The Huntingdon Street group is most visible during their annual community health fair and antiviolenace rally. At their sixth annual event, which was held in August, they even brought back a blast from Philadelphia's athletic past, outdoor boxing matches. As part of their commitment to boxing's proud history in Philadelphia, the Brotherhood of Huntingdon Street sponsors 20 local youth, providing them with the equipment and training to box in a safe and controlled environment.

This resolution recognizes the Huntingdon Street group's contributions to the community through their social, educational, and athletic activities and their educational support to M. Hall Stanton and William Duckery elementary schools. The Brotherhood of Huntingdon Street also focuses on giving our youth a chance for a better future by promoting drug and alcohol prevention and giving the children the courage and wisdom to say no to peer pressure.

Among our guests today is founder Jamil Ali. Mr. Ali is a military veteran who now sees the battle to create a better environment for our inner-city boys as his most important fight. He and the other members work tirelessly to improve the lives and futures of the young boys in this city.

I would just like to give a personal warm thank you to you, gentlemen, because without men like you who are such important role models within north Philadelphia, it would not be an accessible opportunity for a young individual who was raised by a single mother to be here in this immaculate legislative body. So once again, thank you, gentlemen.

The SPEAKER. Is the gentleman from Mercer County, Mr. Stevenson, seeking recognition under unanimous consent relative to one of the other resolutions as well?

Thank you.

UNCONTESTED SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR A

RESOLUTIONS PURSUANT TO RULE 35

Ms. BOBACK called up **HR 518, PN 2528**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the week of October 21 through 25, 2013, as "National Business Women's Week" in Pennsylvania.

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Mr. PYLE called up **HR 522, PN 2529**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of November 2013 as "Alpha-1 Screening Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

On the question,

Will the House adopt the resolutions?

The following roll call was recorded:

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Causar	Goodman	McNeill	Saylor
Christiana	Greiner	Mentzer	Scavello
Clay	Grell	Metcalfe	Schlossberg
Clymer	Grove	Metzgar	Schreiber
Cohen	Hackett	Miccarelli	Simmons
Conklin	Hahn	Micozzie	Sims

Corbin	Haluska	Millard	Smith
Costa, D.	Hanna	Miller, D.	Snyder
Costa, P.	Harhai	Miller, R.	Sonney
Cox	Harhart	Milne	Stephens
Cruz	Harkins	Mirabito	Stern
Culver	Harper	Miranda	Stevenson
Cutler	Harris, A.	Molchany	Sturla
Daley, M.	Harris, J.	Moul	Swanger
Daley, P.	Heffley	Mullery	Tallman
Davidson	Helm	Mundy	Taylor
Davis	Hennessey	Murt	Thomas
Day	Hickernell	Mustio	Tobash
Dean	James	Neilson	Toepel
Deasy	Kampf	Neuman	Toohil
DeLissio	Kauffman	O'Brien	Truitt
DeLozier	Kavulich	O'Neill	Turzai
DeLuca	Keller, F.	Oberlander	Vereb
Denlinger	Keller, M.K.	Painter	Vitali
Dermody	Keller, W.	Parker	Waters
DiGirolo	Killion	Pashinski	Watson
Donatucci	Kim	Payne	Wheatley
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NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—1

Haggerty

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

CALENDAR

RESOLUTIONS PURSUANT TO RULE 35

Mr. GILLEN called up **HR 476, PN 2403**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing and honoring the life and service of United States Chief Warrant Officer 2 Jarett Michael Yoder and paying tribute to his ultimate sacrifice in the line of duty in Nangarhar Province, Afghanistan.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolution?

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Berks County, Mr. Gillen.

Mr. GILLEN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

In the spring of this year, CWO Jarett Yoder lost his life in the crash of his Apache helicopter in Afghanistan. It probably was not until this morning as I met at length with the family that I really understood that not only did the mention of the loss but that the grandeur of the achievements of this young man as well as that of his family in the place that he was nurtured.

I spoke with his grandmother, whom I will introduce in just a moment, Doris. She was the youngest of 14 children. Certainly her family personified the Greatest Generation. She told me in a conversation this morning that five of her brothers served in World War II.

As I spoke with Jarett's mother, she shared a story of her uncle, who while he scrambled his plane at Pearl Harbor to defend the United States, was shot down and killed and his body was never recovered from the Pacific there. It became very evident that Jarett Yoder was nurtured in an environment that was steeped in patriotism, not only a love for family but a love for service and a love for country.

Several weeks ago General Gronski and I stood at a memorial that acknowledged the service and passing of some of our bravest. Commander Gronski headed the 28th Infantry Division, and there Jarett Yoder's name was engraved. It was there, one of his dog tags hung on a rifle with boots below, and we talked about the price of freedom, the empty chair at a dinner table, the empty spot underneath a Christmas tree, the national treasure that it cost, and the tears that flow, and in fact, it cost this family a son, an uncle, a brother, a cousin.

One of his dreams was realized, and that was a dream to fly. But there are other dreams that he did not realize so that we could dream our dreams here today.

I am going to ask his family to stand in just a moment, but I would like to say a word or two about each as they stand. Heather, if you would rise, and we will acknowledge them as a group in just a moment here. She referred to her husband as her hero, someone that she looked up to, someone that she admired because he had a spirit of service in his life. He not only served his country, he served in his marriage relationship and his extended family.

I would ask Jarett's parents to stand up if they would, just a moment please, Gary and Diane. Diane was at Ground Zero. She served with a volunteer fire department. She was asked to come there because of a unique skill set and expertise that she had. While she was serving at Ground Zero in the days after 9/11, she said that Jarett came up as a young teenager to visit and there was an F-16 that flew overhead, as I recall the story that you recited to me just a few minutes ago, and though his father had said that he wanted to be a pilot from the time he was 4 or 5 years old, it was then that he looked up into the sky and he realized he did not want to just be any pilot, he wanted to be a military pilot. He wanted to serve. He wanted to defend his country. And what better example did he have in his house than a mother and dad that ran with the Ruscombmanor Fire Department, with a mom who was an emergency medical technician. He learned the meaning of service in the home that he grew up in.

Amanda, a member of the National Guard herself; her brother, Byron, and Jarett's brother, could not be here today. He is a Bronze Star winner. I mentioned him earlier this year, because when he saw another soldier in distress in Iraq, he threw his literally broken body, his seriously wounded body, on top of another soldier.

Grandmother Doris, we shared a piece of your story already. Thank you for extending the influence of the Greatest Generation into Jarett's life. Other family members I will ask to rise, friends, at the back of the hall: Kayla, Jailyn, the nieces that were as much children to Jarett as anyone else; Diane, Heather's mother; and Eli. I would ask you if you would join me in acknowledging this very special family.

I will leave us with a few closing remarks before my colleague from Berks County comes to the rostrum. In the midst of this remarkable family's service, one day Jarett said to his

parents, when he came of age, he said, it is my turn. It is my turn to serve. It is my turn to put the uniform on. It is my turn to sacrifice.

Two hundred and thirty-seven years ago, another group of patriots determined that it was their turn. It was their turn to respond to duty's call. It was their turn to hearken when honor and country and sacrifice called out their names. Can I speak for a moment about our responsibility, just for a moment.

Sometime today, if you have the opportunity, I would encourage you to do what I am determined to do as well, to get down on my knees and thank God for the United States of America, for Jarett Yoder, and for this inspirational family.

It is 12 years after 9/11, and sometimes we forget what Afghanistan is all about. We have men and women that are still serving and dying in that far-flung battlefield because there was a determined enemy that attacked the United States of America on our own soil and took down buildings and airplanes and killed nearly 3,000 of our citizens, and it still requires national treasure and sacrifice and Jarett Yoders to keep the enemy at bay.

Two weekends ago I spoke to a group of POW (prisoner of war) survivors from the Mukden Japanese camp in China. Several of these men that I visited with after I spoke were survivors of Corregidor that fell in the spring of 1942. Several of these men, including Erwin Johnson, were survivors of the notorious Bataan death march, and I talked about some of our modern heroes, like Jarett Yoder. And these men who knew valor and who knew hardship and who knew service said, these modern patriots who have volunteered are gifted intellectually, physically, and technically, and we are extraordinarily proud of their service. And I do not know if I can offer a higher accolade than what came from the lips of a man who was on the Bataan death march. Thank you.

Representative Maloney.

The SPEAKER. The question is, will the House adopt the resolution?

On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Berks County, Mr. Maloney.

Mr. MALONEY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

You know, being active with young people on many different levels, I get to know many of the teenagers and the young athletes and adults in my community, and I had the honor of knowing Jarett.

Those who join the military and serve our nation are very special people. If you take notice of the people in your community, our future heroes stand out. Jarett was one of these people. I knew him as an athlete at Oley Valley High School. I knew him, me being a PIAA official. I had the honor of officiating him in many track meets. He was a pole vaulter. He was an excellent soccer player. You just knew whenever he put his mind to it, he was going to succeed.

Just a few years ago, down the road at Shippensburg District III championships, he was competing in the pole vault, and I noticed that even though he had broken his ankle previously in another season, he really did not lose a step. He continued his endeavor to improve himself. Another year he snapped his pole vault pole. He damaged his leg and he still continued to compete. I asked Heather this morning about that, and she says that pole, in two pieces, is in their home today, and it has a special meaning for her.

You know, as these young people go forward, we never really know exactly where they will go. We spend a lot of time with them. My daughter went to school with Jarett, and when he told people he wanted to be an Apache helicopter pilot, you just knew he was going to make it happen. This was a young man that many of us had respect for, and as it has been said, that all give some, but some give all.

Today we honor Jarett's life, his service, and his memory. The family Jarett leaves behind in Oley, as with us here today, his parents, Diane and Gary, and his young wife, Heather, among them, I ask all of you to give them our support and our prayers. Jarett will truly be missed. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The question is, will the House adopt the resolution?

On that question, members and all guests will please rise as a sign of respect for our fallen warrior and in prayer for the comfort of the family and friends.

(Whereupon, the members of the House and all visitors stood in a moment of silence in solemn respect to the memory of CWO2 Jarett Yoder.)

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

The following roll call was recorded:

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Davidson	Helm	Mundy	Taylor
Davis	Hennessey	Murt	Thomas
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NOT VOTING-0

EXCUSED-1

Haggerty

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

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Mr. BRADFORD called up **HR 491, PN 2450**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the contributions of Frank "Hank Cisco" Ciaccio to Norristown, Pennsylvania, and honoring his many accomplishments.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolution?

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Montgomery County, Mr. Bradford.

Mr. BRADFORD. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I rise today to offer a resolution honoring the accomplishments of a true Norristown, Montgomery County, original. HR 491 recognizes the professional and community service accomplishments of Frank Ciaccio, better known as the legendary "Hank 'The Rock' Cisco." Long before there was Dwayne "The Rock" Johnson, there was Norristown's Hank Cisco.

Mr. Cisco turns 90 years old next month. He spent a lifetime dedicated to the borough of Norristown and its residents, a commitment of his second only to that of his beloved wife and partner, Dolores. Mr. Cisco was a 24-year member of the Norristown Police Department and upon his retirement became the first juvenile detective in Montgomery County. Additionally, generations of Norristown residents know Mr. Cisco as the local talk show host, a beloved former amateur professional boxer and referee, and the founder of the Norristown Police Athletic League Boxing Program. In a community blessed with tremendous diversity, Hank is beloved in all corners of Norristown.

But as a proud Italian-American, Hank takes special pride in being instrumental in the construction and the continuing viability of the Columbus Memorial on Harding Boulevard. In addition to serving as the executive director of the Montgomery County Safety Committee, Mr. Cisco has the unique distinction

of being the only appointed municipal ambassador in the entire United States, being officially appointed by Norristown Council. In a town without a mayor, we have something better. We have "The Rock," Hank Cisco.

For these and many reasons, I stand to recognize Hank Cisco for his many accomplishments and countless contributions to our community over the past 90 years. As Hank would say, "Keep bobbin' and weaving," for another 90 years.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Speaker thanks the gentleman.

The question is, will the House adopt the resolution?

On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Montgomery County, Mr. Vereb.

Mr. VEREB. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

My colleague who just spoke and I have the privilege of sharing Norristown, which I lose in the reapportionment.

One of the great memories that I have had of Norristown, not only as a legislator but as a child, is that of Hank Cisco. As it was stated, he was called "The Rock." There are not too many 90-year-old folks who are community leaders that have their own TV show, and whether it is cooking, whether it is civil engagement, whether it is students, programs, sports, "Rock" has his own show. He shares the vision and love, pride and commitment, and most importantly, positive interaction with the people of Norristown on the community's behalf. He is an icon for our youth. As a former boxer and teacher, he usually tries to recruit our youth to get involved in boxing, or just as good, get involved in PAL (Police Athletic League) to begin with.

If you are an adult, he will e-mail you to death until you attend one of his monthly Mangioni meetings, which are dinners that involve community leaders who talk shop but also talk about how we can grow Norristown. Hank is a friend, a mentor, and a leader. I am proud to support this resolution and ask for your unanimous support of HR 491 honoring a local community hero.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

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NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—1

Haggerty

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

RULES AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE MEETINGS

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Delaware County, Mr. Adolph, for a committee announcement.

Mr. ADOLPH. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, there will be a meeting of the Rules Committee in the majority leader's conference room immediately, and then following, there will be a House Appropriations Committee meeting in the majority caucus room. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. There will be a meeting of the Rules Committee in the majority leader's conference room, followed by an Appropriations Committee meeting in the majority caucus room.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

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

Ms. MAJOR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Republicans will caucus today at 3 o'clock. I would ask members of our Republican Caucus to please report to our caucus room at 3 o'clock. We would be scheduled to come back on the floor at 3:30.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

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

Mr. FRANKEL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Democrats will caucus at 3 p.m. Democrats will caucus at 3 p.m.

RECESS

The SPEAKER. This House stands in recess until 3:30, unless sooner recalled by the Speaker.

AFTER RECESS

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

The SPEAKER. The House will come back to order just for a moment for a correction on the caucus announcement.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Allegheny County, Mr. Frankel.

Mr. FRANKEL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Let me amend that caucus announcement for Democrats. Democrats will caucus at 2:45; 2:45 Democratic caucus. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The Speaker thanks the gentleman.

RECESS

The SPEAKER. The House now stands in recess until 3:30, unless sooner recalled by the Speaker.

RECESS EXTENDED

The time of recess was extended until 3:45 p.m.; further extended until 4 p.m.

AFTER RECESS

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

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

BILLS REREPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

HB 1632, PN 2512 By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for employment sanctions; and providing for a volunteer emergency responders employer tax credit.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 1656, PN 2276 By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act repealing the act of December 18, 1984 (P.L.1068, No.213), entitled "An act requiring physicians to obtain informed consent from patients for treatment of breast disease."

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 1672, PN 2428 By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act providing for the testing of new, environmentally beneficial and energy efficient technologies within various State agencies.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 1694, PN 2516 By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Title 44 (Law and Justice) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, establishing the Pharmaceutical Accountability Monitoring System; abrogating a regulation; and imposing penalties.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 1706, PN 2513 By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in emergency services, changing implementing authority from the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency to the Office of the State Fire Commissioner; further providing for assistance to volunteer fire companies, ambulance service and rescue squads and for powers and duties; and making editorial changes.

APPROPRIATIONS.

SB 358, PN 1496 By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act requiring the notification of breast density to patients who receive a mammogram.

APPROPRIATIONS.

SB 379, PN 1279 By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act providing for benevolent gestures relating to medical professional liability insurance.

APPROPRIATIONS.

SB 680, PN 1503 (Amended) By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act providing for the capital budget for the fiscal year 2013-2014; itemizing public improvement projects, furniture and equipment projects, transportation assistance projects, redevelopment assistance capital projects, flood control projects, Keystone Recreation, Park and Conservation Fund projects, State forestry bridge projects,

State ATV/Snowmobile Fund projects, Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission projects, Manufacturing Fund projects, Oil and Gas Lease Fund projects, Environmental Stewardship Fund projects, highway bridge projects and State Stores Fund current revenue projects to be constructed or acquired or assisted by the Department of General Services, the Department of Community and Economic Development, the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, the Department of Environmental Protection, the Department of Transportation or the Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission, together with their estimated financial costs; authorizing the incurring of debt without the approval of the electors for the purpose of financing the projects to be constructed, acquired or assisted by the Department of General Services, the Department of Community and Economic Development, the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, the Department of Environmental Protection, the Department of Transportation or the Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission; stating the estimated useful life of the projects; and making appropriations.

APPROPRIATIONS.

**BILL ON CONCURRENCE
REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE**

HB 1481, PN 2160 By Rep. TURZAI

An Act amending the act of May 17, 1921 (P.L.682, No.284), known as The Insurance Company Law of 1921, providing for electronic delivery of information and posting of policies and endorsements and for risk management and own risk solvency assessment.

RULES.

SENATE MESSAGE

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

The clerk of the Senate, being introduced, returned **HB 421, PN 2415**, with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendment in which the concurrence of the House of Representatives is requested.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

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

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

CALENDAR CONTINUED

BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 1296, PN 2422**, entitled:

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

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

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 1502, PN 2508**, entitled:

An Act amending the the act of October 24, 2012, (P.L.1209, No.151), known as the Child Labor Act, further providing for definitions and for occupations and establishment.

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

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **SB 732, PN 1489**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 22, 1983 (P.L.306, No.84), known as the Board of Vehicles Act, further providing for reimbursement for parts and service and for unlawful acts by manufacturers or distributors.

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

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 890, PN 1423**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 6, 1937 (P.L.200, No.51), known as the Pawnbrokers License Act, further providing for definitions, for identity of pledger and for pawn ticket; providing for hold orders and related procedures; and further providing for sale of pledge and for penalties.

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

Ms. **V. BROWN** offered the following amendment
No. **A01523**:

- Amend Bill, page 2, line 10, by striking out "-(1)"
- Amend Bill, page 2, line 12, by striking out the bracket before "the"
- Amend Bill, page 2, lines 12 and 13, by striking out "] paragraph (3) of the definition of "pawnbroker"; or (2)" and inserting or
- Amend Bill, page 3, line 9, by striking out "race;" and inserting physical description; and
- Amend Bill, page 3, lines 10 through 13, by striking out "photocopy of a valid photo identification document" in line 10 and all of lines 11 through 13 and inserting valid photo identification including any of the following:
 - (i) A valid driver's license or identification card issued by the Department of Transportation.
 - (ii) A valid identification card issued by any other agency of the Commonwealth.
 - (iii) A valid identification card issued by the Federal Government.

- (iv) A valid United States passport.
- (v) A valid student identification card.
- (vi) A valid employee identification card.
- (vii) A valid United States Armed Forces identification card.
- (viii) A valid veteran's identification card issued by an agency of the United States Department of Veterans Affairs to an individual enrolled in the Veterans Affairs Health Benefits Program, provided the card contains the name and photograph of the individual.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. On that question, the Chair recognizes the gentelady, Ms. Brown.
Ms. V. BROWN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.
This amendment just cleans up the bill and makes the bill better. Thank you so much.
The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the lady.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—197

Adolph	Evankovich	Knowles	Petrarca
Aument	Evans	Kortz	Petri
Baker	Everett	Kotik	Pickett
Barbin	Fabrizio	Krieger	Pyle
Barrar	Farina	Kula	Quinn
Benninghoff	Farry	Lawrence	Rapp
Bishop	Fee	Longietti	Ravenstahl
Bizzarro	Fleck	Lucas	Readshaw
Bloom	Flynn	Mackenzie	Reed
Boback	Frankel	Maher	Reese
Boyle, K.	Freeman	Mahoney	Regan
Bradford	Gabler	Major	Roae
Briggs	Gainey	Maloney	Rock
Brooks	Galloway	Markosek	Roebuck
Brown, R.	Gergely	Marshall	Ross
Brown, V.	Gibbons	Marsico	Rozzi
Brownlee	Gillen	Masser	Sabatina
Burns	Gillespie	Matzie	Saccone
Caltagirone	Gingrich	McCarter	Sainato
Carroll	Godshall	McGeehan	Samuelson
Causar	Goodman	McGinnis	Sankey
Christiana	Greiner	McNeill	Santarsiero
Clay	Grell	Mentzer	Saylor
Clymer	Grove	Metcalf	Scavello
Conklin	Hackett	Metzgar	Schlossberg
Corbin	Hahn	Miccarelli	Schreiber
Costa, D.	Haluska	Micozzie	Simmons
Costa, P.	Hanna	Millard	Sims
Cox	Harhai	Miller, D.	Smith
Cruz	Harhart	Miller, R.	Snyder
Culver	Harkins	Milne	Sonney
Cutler	Harper	Mirabito	Stephens
Daley, M.	Harris, A.	Miranda	Stern
Daley, P.	Harris, J.	Molchany	Stevenson
Davidson	Heffley	Moul	Sturla
Davis	Helm	Mullery	Swanger
Day	Hennessey	Mundy	Tallman
Dean	Hickernell	Murt	Tobash
Deasy	James	Mustio	Toepel
DeLissio	Kampf	Neilson	Toohil
Delozier	Kauffman	Neuman	Truitt
DeLuca	Kavulich	O'Brien	Turzai
Denlinger	Keller, F.	O'Neill	Vereb
Dermody	Keller, M.K.	Oberlander	Vitali
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.	Painter	Waters
Donatucci	Killion	Parker	Watson

Dunbar	Kim	Pashinski	Wheatley
Ellis	Kinsey	Payne	White
Emrick	Kirkland	Peifer	Youngblood
English			

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—5

Boyle, B. Cohen	Haggerty	Taylor	Thomas
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The majority having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the amendment was agreed to.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the bill on 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 **HB 1285, PN 2429**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, providing for the State Geospatial Coordinating Board.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. On that question, the gentleman, Mr. Vitali, is recognized.

Mr. VITALI. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This amendment would amend the Administrative Code to provide—

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Mr. Vitali, we did not call up an amendment because we understand you are withdrawing.

Mr. VITALI. That would be correct.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. You are welcome to make a comment with regard to your amendment.

Mr. VITALI. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The amendment 3979, which I have filed to this bill, would add a provision to the Administrative Code with regard to duties of the Department of Health, and it would give them the duty, generally, to investigate the problems of health problems related to Marcellus drilling. There is a lot of anecdotal evidence about people getting sick, children getting sick, and other health problems related to drilling, and this would give the Pennsylvania Department of Health the specific duty to assume those responsibilities.

Specifically, it would create a surveillance system where the Department of Health would be empowered to collect, analyze, and disseminate data with regard to health-related issues. It would give the Department of Health the duty to train health-care professionals – doctors, nurses, and others – so they could recognize health-related issues. It would have an

epidemiological study so that an area where drilling is occurring could be compared to a nondrilling area to see if there are health-related consequences to Marcellus drilling. It would also do a long-term study with regard to the health impacts of Marcellus drilling. This would also impose upon health-care providers like doctors the duty to report to the Department of Health problems associated – health problems associated with Marcellus drilling. Finally, what it would do would be require in leases, require in leases for the leasing of land for drilling that the lessor be told that there is a potential health impact with regard to drilling and/or around drilling areas.

Mr. Speaker, right now we do not know the extent of health-care problems related to drilling. These duties would help us better understand that, but because there are germaneness issues associated with that, I have chosen to withdraw the amendment. Although it was timely filed, I have chosen to withdraw this amendment so that we can pick another day to wage that fight. But I am speaking today because I do want members to be aware that this question mark with regard to the health consequences of Marcellus drilling is something this House should be considering, and I urge the members to keep aware of this problem.

So thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

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

SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR B

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 1672, PN 2428**, entitled:

An Act providing for the testing of new, environmentally beneficial and energy efficient technologies within various State 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?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—189

Adolph	Evankovich	Kinsey	Peifer
Aument	Evans	Kirkland	Petrarca
Baker	Everett	Knowles	Petri
Barbin	Fabrizio	Kortz	Pickett
Barrar	Farina	Kotik	Pyle

Benninghoff	Farry	Kula	Quinn
Bishop	Fee	Lawrence	Ravenstahl
Bizzarro	Fleck	Longietti	Readshaw
Boback	Flynn	Lucas	Reed
Boyle, K.	Frankel	Mackenzie	Reese
Bradford	Freeman	Maher	Regan
Briggs	Gabler	Mahoney	Rock
Brooks	Gainey	Major	Roebuck
Brown, R.	Galloway	Maloney	Ross
Brown, V.	Gergely	Markosek	Rozzi
Brownlee	Gibbons	Marshall	Sabatina
Burns	Gillen	Marsico	Saccone
Caltagirone	Gillespie	Masser	Sainato
Carroll	Gingrich	Matzie	Samuelson
Causer	Godshall	McCarter	Sankey
Christiana	Goodman	McGeehan	Santarsiero
Clay	Greiner	McNeill	Saylor
Clymer	Grell	Mentzer	Scavello
Conklin	Grove	Metzgar	Schlossberg
Corbin	Hackett	Miccarelli	Schreiber
Costa, D.	Hahn	Micozzie	Simmons
Costa, P.	Haluska	Millard	Sims
Cox	Hanna	Miller, D.	Smith
Cruz	Harhai	Miller, R.	Snyder
Culver	Harhart	Milne	Sonney
Cutler	Harkins	Mirabito	Stephens
Daley, M.	Harper	Miranda	Stern
Daley, P.	Harris, A.	Molchany	Stevenson
Davidson	Harris, J.	Moul	Sturla
Davis	Heffley	Mullery	Swanger
Day	Helm	Mundy	Tallman
Dean	Hennessey	Murt	Tobash
Deasy	Hickernell	Mustio	Toepel
DeLissio	James	Neilson	Toohil
Delozier	Kampf	Neuman	Turzai
DeLuca	Kauffman	O'Brien	Vereb
Denlinger	Kavulich	O'Neill	Vitali
Dermody	Keller, F.	Oberlander	Waters
DiGirolamo	Keller, M.K.	Painter	Watson
Donatucci	Keller, W.	Parker	Wheatley
Ellis	Killion	Pashinski	White
Emrick	Kim	Payne	Youngblood
English			

NAYS-8

Bloom	Krieger	Metcalfe	Roae
Dunbar	McGinnis	Rapp	Truitt

NOT VOTING-0

EXCUSED-5

Boyle, B.	Haggerty	Taylor	Thomas
Cohen			

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 1656, PN 2276**, entitled:

An Act repealing the act of December 18, 1984 (P.L.1068, No.213), entitled "An act requiring physicians to obtain informed consent from patients for treatment of breast disease."

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	Evankovich	Knowles	Petrarca
Aument	Evans	Kortz	Petri
Baker	Everett	Kotik	Pickett
Barbin	Fabrizio	Krieger	Pyle
Barrar	Farina	Kula	Quinn
Benninghoff	Farry	Lawrence	Rapp
Bishop	Fee	Longietti	Ravenstahl
Bizzarro	Fleck	Lucas	Readshaw
Bloom	Flynn	Mackenzie	Reed
Boback	Frankel	Maher	Reese
Boyle, K.	Freeman	Mahoney	Regan
Bradford	Gabler	Major	Roae
Briggs	Gainey	Maloney	Rock
Brooks	Galloway	Markosek	Roebuck
Brown, R.	Gergely	Marshall	Ross
Brown, V.	Gibbons	Marsico	Rozzi
Brownlee	Gillen	Masser	Sabatina
Burns	Gillespie	Matzie	Saccone
Caltagirone	Gingrich	McCarter	Sainato
Carroll	Godshall	McGeehan	Samuelson
Causer	Goodman	McGinnis	Sankey
Christiana	Greiner	McNeill	Santarsiero
Clay	Grell	Mentzer	Saylor
Clymer	Grove	Metcalfe	Scavello
Conklin	Hackett	Metzgar	Schlossberg
Corbin	Hahn	Miccarelli	Schreiber
Costa, D.	Haluska	Micozzie	Simmons
Costa, P.	Hanna	Millard	Sims
Cox	Harhai	Miller, D.	Smith
Cruz	Harhart	Miller, R.	Snyder
Culver	Harkins	Milne	Sonney
Cutler	Harper	Mirabito	Stephens
Daley, M.	Harris, A.	Miranda	Stern
Daley, P.	Harris, J.	Molchany	Stevenson
Davidson	Heffley	Moul	Sturla
Davis	Helm	Mullery	Swanger
Day	Hennessey	Mundy	Tallman
Dean	Hickernell	Murt	Tobash
Deasy	James	Mustio	Toepel
DeLissio	Kampf	Neilson	Toohil
Delozier	Kauffman	Neuman	Truitt
DeLuca	Kavulich	O'Brien	Turzai
Denlinger	Keller, F.	O'Neill	Vereb
Dermody	Keller, M.K.	Oberlander	Vitali
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.	Painter	Waters
Donatucci	Killion	Parker	Watson
Dunbar	Kim	Pashinski	Wheatley
Ellis	Kinsey	Payne	White
Emrick	Kirkland	Peifer	Youngblood
English			

NAYS-0

NOT VOTING-0

EXCUSED-5

Boyle, B. Haggerty Taylor Thomas
Cohen

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 358, PN 1496**, entitled:

An Act requiring the notification of breast density to patients who receive a mammogram.

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	Evankovich	Knowles	Petrarca
Aument	Evans	Kortz	Petri
Baker	Everett	Kotik	Pickett
Barbin	Fabrizio	Krieger	Pyle
Barrar	Farina	Kula	Quinn
Benninghoff	Farry	Lawrence	Rapp
Bishop	Fee	Longietti	Ravenstahl
Bizzarro	Fleck	Lucas	Readshaw
Bloom	Flynn	Mackenzie	Reed
Boback	Frankel	Maher	Reese
Boyle, K.	Freeman	Mahoney	Regan
Bradford	Gabler	Major	Roae
Briggs	Gainey	Maloney	Rock
Brooks	Galloway	Markosek	Roebuck
Brown, R.	Gergely	Marshall	Ross
Brown, V.	Gibbons	Marsico	Rozzi
Brownlee	Gillen	Masser	Sabatina
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Caltagirone	Gingrich	McCarter	Sainato
Carroll	Godshall	McGeehan	Samuelson
Causser	Goodman	McGinnis	Sankey
Christiana	Greiner	McNeill	Santarsiero
Clay	Grell	Mentzer	Saylor
Clymer	Grove	Metcalfe	Scavello
Conklin	Hackett	Metzgar	Schlossberg
Corbin	Hahn	Miccarelli	Schreiber
Costa, D.	Haluska	Micozzie	Simmons
Costa, P.	Hanna	Millard	Sims
Cox	Harhai	Miller, D.	Smith
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Daley, M.	Harris, A.	Miranda	Stern

Daley, P.	Harris, J.	Molchany	Stevenson
Davidson	Heffley	Moul	Sturla
Davis	Helm	Mullery	Swanger
Day	Hennessey	Mundy	Tallman
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Deasy	James	Mustio	Toepel
DeLissio	Kampf	Neilson	Toohil
Delozier	Kauffman	Neuman	Trutt
DeLuca	Kavulich	O'Brien	Turzai
Denlinger	Keller, F.	O'Neill	Vereb
Dermody	Keller, M.K.	Oberlander	Vitali
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.	Painter	Waters
Donatucci	Killion	Parker	Watson
Dunbar	Kim	Pashinski	Wheatley
Ellis	Kinsey	Payne	White
Emrick	Kirkland	Peifer	Youngblood
English			

NAYS-0

NOT VOTING-0

EXCUSED-5

Boyle, B. Haggerty Taylor Thomas
Cohen

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

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 1632, PN 2512**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for employment sanctions; and providing for a volunteer emergency responders employer tax credit.

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	Evankovich	Knowles	Petrarca
Aument	Evans	Kortz	Petri
Baker	Everett	Kotik	Pickett
Barbin	Fabrizio	Krieger	Pyle
Barrar	Farina	Kula	Quinn
Benninghoff	Farry	Lawrence	Rapp
Bishop	Fee	Longietti	Ravenstahl
Bizzarro	Fleck	Lucas	Readshaw

Bloom	Flynn	Mackenzie	Reed
Boback	Frankel	Maher	Reese
Boyle, K.	Freeman	Mahoney	Regan
Bradford	Gabler	Major	Roae
Briggs	Gainey	Maloney	Rock
Brooks	Galloway	Markosek	Roebuck
Brown, R.	Gergely	Marshall	Ross
Brown, V.	Gibbons	Marsico	Rozzi
Brownlee	Gillen	Masser	Sabatina
Burns	Gillespie	Matzie	Saccone
Caltagirone	Gingrich	McCarter	Sainato
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Causer	Goodman	McGinnis	Sankey
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Clay	Grell	Mentzer	Saylor
Clymer	Grove	Metcalfe	Scavello
Conklin	Hackett	Metzgar	Schlossberg
Corbin	Hahn	Miccarelli	Schreiber
Costa, D.	Haluska	Micozzie	Simmons
Costa, P.	Hanna	Millard	Sims
Cox	Harhai	Miller, D.	Smith
Cruz	Harhart	Miller, R.	Snyder
Culver	Harkins	Milne	Sonney
Cutler	Harper	Mirabito	Stephens
Daley, M.	Harris, A.	Miranda	Stern
Daley, P.	Harris, J.	Molchany	Stevenson
Davidson	Heffley	Moul	Sturla
Davis	Helm	Mullery	Swanger
Day	Hennessey	Mundy	Tallman
Dean	Hickernell	Murt	Tobash
Deasy	James	Mustio	Toepel
DeLissio	Kampf	Neilson	Toohil
Delozier	Kauffman	Neuman	Truitt
DeLuca	Kavulich	O'Brien	Turzai
Denlinger	Keller, F.	O'Neill	Vereb
Dermody	Keller, M.K.	Oberlander	Vitali
DiGirolo	Keller, W.	Painter	Waters
Donatucci	Killion	Parker	Watson
Dunbar	Kim	Pashinski	Wheatley
Ellis	Kinsey	Payne	White
Emrick	Kirkland	Peifer	Youngblood
English			

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—5

Boyle, B.	Haggerty	Taylor	Thomas
Cohen			

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.

SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR C

**BILL ON CONCURRENCE
IN SENATE AMENDMENTS**

The House proceeded to consideration of concurrence in Senate amendments to **HB 1481, PN 2160**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of May 17, 1921 (P.L.682, No.284), known as The Insurance Company Law of 1921, providing for electronic delivery of information and posting of policies and endorsements and for risk management and own risk solvency assessment.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. On that question, the gentleman, Mr. Micozzie, is recognized.

Mr. MICOZZIE. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, HB 1481 was amended in the Senate to provide for electronic delivery of information, notices, and documents if both the insurer and the consumer agree to communicate along the electronic format. Insurers are also able to post generic portions of policies and endorsements on their Web site instead of sending them directly to the policyholder. Any insurer that violates this section can have their license suspended or revoked and a \$1,000 fine per violation.

HB 1481 passed the Senate 50 to 0. I ask for support for HB 1481. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

Moved by the gentleman, Mr. Micozzie, that the House concur in the amendments inserted by the Senate.

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

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	Evankovich	Knowles	Petrarca
Aument	Evans	Kortz	Petri
Baker	Everett	Kotik	Pickett
Barbin	Fabrizio	Krieger	Pyle
Barrar	Farina	Kula	Quinn
Benninghoff	Farry	Lawrence	Rapp
Bishop	Fee	Longietti	Ravenstahl
Bizzarro	Fleck	Lucas	Readshaw
Bloom	Flynn	Mackenzie	Reed
Boback	Frankel	Maher	Reese
Boyle, K.	Freeman	Mahoney	Regan
Bradford	Gabler	Major	Roae
Briggs	Gainey	Maloney	Rock
Brooks	Galloway	Markosek	Roebuck
Brown, R.	Gergely	Marshall	Ross
Brown, V.	Gibbons	Marsico	Rozzi
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Caltagirone	Gingrich	McCarter	Sainato
Carroll	Godshall	McGeehan	Samuelson
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Christiana	Greiner	McNeill	Santarsiero
Clay	Grell	Mentzer	Saylor
Clymer	Grove	Metcalfe	Scavello
Conklin	Hackett	Metzgar	Schlossberg
Corbin	Hahn	Miccarelli	Schreiber
Costa, D.	Haluska	Micozzie	Simmons
Costa, P.	Hanna	Millard	Sims
Cox	Harhai	Miller, D.	Smith
Cruz	Harhart	Miller, R.	Snyder
Culver	Harkins	Milne	Sonney
Cutler	Harper	Mirabito	Stephens
Daley, M.	Harris, A.	Miranda	Stern
Daley, P.	Harris, J.	Molchany	Stevenson
Davidson	Heffley	Moul	Sturla
Davis	Helm	Mullery	Swanger
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Dean	Hickernell	Murt	Tobash
Deasy	James	Mustio	Toepel
DeLissio	Kampf	Neilson	Toohil

DeLozier	Kauffman	Neuman	Truitt
DeLuca	Kavulich	O'Brien	Turzai
Denlinger	Keller, F.	O'Neill	Vereb
Dermody	Keller, M.K.	Oberlander	Vitali
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.	Painter	Waters
Donatucci	Killion	Parker	Watson
Dunbar	Kim	Pashinski	Wheatley
Ellis	Kinsey	Payne	White
Emrick	Kirkland	Peifer	Youngblood
English			

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—5

Boyle, B.	Haggerty	Taylor	Thomas
Cohen			

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

Ordered, That the clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

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

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

The SPEAKER. The House will come to order.

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 1481, PN 2160

An Act amending the act of May 17, 1921 (P.L.682, No.284), known as The Insurance Company Law of 1921, providing for electronic delivery of information and posting of policies and endorsements and for risk management and own risk solvency assessment.

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

SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR B

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 1694, PN 2516**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 44 (Law and Justice) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, establishing the Pharmaceutical Accountability Monitoring System; abrogating a regulation; and imposing penalties.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

The SPEAKER. This bill has been considered on three different days and agreed to and is now on final passage.
The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Montgomery County, Mr. Stephens.

Mr. STEPHENS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, regrettably I rise to oppose this bill in its current form. Unfortunately, this bill takes us a step backwards from where our current law enforcement community is relative to schedule II prescription drugs, and given the dire situation in which our Commonwealth finds itself relative to addictions and problems, I will be opposing this bill. I would rather keep the status quo and keep the Attorney General's Office functioning the way it does and allow our law enforcement communities to continue to fight the challenging fight, the good fight, against schedule II prescription drugs and the abuse that comes with them.

So for those reasons, Mr. Speaker, I will be opposing this bill, and unfortunately I do so. And I know the good gentleman has worked hard in putting this bill together. Regrettably I will not be able to support it, but hopefully a bill will come along that I can support that would actually help our law enforcement community. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

Is the gentleman, Mr. Baker, seeking recognition on the final passage of the bill?

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Tioga County, Mr. Baker.

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

This legislation, as most members know, creates a confidential electronic database of controlled substance prescriptions in Pennsylvania. The prescription drug problem has been described by the Office of Drug Control Policy as "our country's fastest growing drug problem." According to the CDC (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention), there were four times as many prescription drug overdose deaths as heroin overdose deaths and twice as many as cocaine overdose deaths.

Prescription monitoring programs serve multiple functions: law enforcement, prevention and intervention. They improve patient care and prescribing practices, help uncover drug diversion, identify doctor shopping, and will provide training of health-care professionals in prevention, identification of drug problems, and referral when appropriate.

Mr. Speaker, Pennsylvania is ranked ninth highest in the rate of drug overdose deaths in all of America. Most of those overdoses were the result of prescription drugs being misused. According to a recently declassified report by the Federal DEA (Drug Enforcement Agency), Cambria County is ranked number one in the death rate. Number two is Philadelphia; Greene County, number three; Lackawanna County, number four; Carbon County, number five; and Westmoreland County reported a record 71 deaths last year alone. Drug overdoses now surpass deaths from automobile accidents in 29 States, including Pennsylvania.

The abuse of legal medications imposes a price above and beyond the lives and health that are ruined as a result. Estimates have it that \$53 billion is expended on treatment, the cost of

funneling offenders through the criminal justice system, and squandered productivity. Pennsylvania, as of May 2013, was ranked number one in the nation for having reported the most armed robberies of pharmacies.

In 2010 the number of deaths from prescription opiates was greater than the number of deaths from heroin and cocaine overdoses combined, and between 2004 and 2012 Pennsylvania State Police reported arrests for driving under the influence of drugs increased 170 percent. And lastly, in 2008 Pennsylvania had the 10th highest prescription drug overdose rate in the entire nation, higher than California, New York, and New Jersey.

Mr. Speaker, 47 other States have passed similar legislation. I ask for the kind bipartisan support of this much-needed piece of legislation to save lives. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Lancaster County, Mr. Cutler.

Mr. CUTLER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of the bill as amended, Mr. Speaker. I want to thank the gentleman from Tioga as well as the gentleman from Bucks, who had previously worked on this issue.

Mr. Speaker, with the addition of the amendments regarding the probable cause and the warrants, we join 15 other States, Mr. Speaker, that protect the privacy rights of other individuals. Those States are Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, Colorado, Georgia, Iowa, Louisiana, Maryland, Minnesota, Montana, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, and Oregon. Mr. Speaker, there are four other States that actually deny law enforcement access, those being Nebraska, Maine, Vermont, and Wisconsin.

Mr. Speaker, I think that we have struck the appropriate balance between law enforcement and the privacy interests of the patients who will be contained in this database.

Mr. Speaker, I appreciate both gentlemen working diligently through this process. I recognize that this bill does not contain the work product that either of us wanted in its entirety, but that is the legislative process. I appreciate each of their efforts as they worked to advocate for what they believe was best, and, Mr. Speaker, I appreciate them respecting my viewpoints on individual privacy as we move this process forward.

Mr. Speaker, I also wanted to briefly address the issue of electronic flagging of this data. I know it is an issue that the gentleman from Tioga worked on diligently and ultimately was not included in the bill, but it is something that I hope that the advisory council that is created in the bill would look at at some point in the future.

Mr. Speaker, one of my concerns continues to be the review of the data by the individuals who are either inputting it or will be reviewing it at a later point in time. Mr. Speaker, I understand the health-care professionals' concerns about automatically flagging the abhorrent usage by either patients or the prescribing patterns by physicians. I understand that, but I think that the council is made up of health-care professionals that could put the appropriate parameters in place to assist in the treatment of these individuals. I hope that as technology advances, that is something that the council would look at.

But, Mr. Speaker, I do want to take a closer look also at people who inappropriately access that data. In my prior career as a health-care IT (information technology) professional in the radiology department, we had a system in place that would flag when someone inappropriately accessed a patient's data, for

example, someone who had never come to the X-ray department. Perhaps it was their neighbor who came into the hospital and they wanted to see what they were being admitted for. When there was not a natural nexus between the person accessing that information and the person who was being reviewed, it would throw that flag. It is also something that I hope that the council can take a look at and make recommendations on in order to ensure the privacy information of that information, Mr. Speaker, so that we can maintain that balance between the interests of the State to treat these individuals and prosecute those who break the law, as well as the privacy rights of all of the patients who are contained there.

And I just want to again thank the gentleman from Bucks and the gentleman from Tioga, who worked so hard on this final product and proud to be able to stand here in support of it. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Allegheny County, Mr. Dan Miller.

Mr. D. MILLER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of HB 1694.

Like the gentleman from Lancaster, I, too, wish to commend the work done by those who were previously referenced. I believe this to be an important piece of legislation.

I would also like to share my appreciation for the discussion that occurred regarding the amendment that was referenced by my friend from Lancaster. I hold in my hand the roll call of that vote. Arguably, I think it is a unique collection of our voices, and I think that it does reflect, obviously, the will of this body but also the severity of the issues to the Commonwealth.

This piece of legislation here addresses a key need and a key concern. I want to be sure that my friends who have put forth this bill know that this is something that my family as well has been touched. It is not a story of a constituent. All those, obviously, are very important and very true, but I can share with you that recently this past August my family had a similar issue. We had my 19-year-old cousin who had a prescription pill issue and she passed away. I can tell you that I feel the severity of these concerns and feel that we need to do something here and we need to give more support to law enforcement to get this work done.

I am very pleased that we offer a bill that, while addressing the concerns and needs of law enforcement, also keeps up the concerns of privacy, and I recognize that to be a difficult balance, but I wanted to be sure that everyone knew and the maker of the bill and all those who have done work on this bill knew that I appreciate it, strongly support their bill, and look forward to it passing.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Bucks County, Mr. DiGirolamo.

Mr. DiGIROLAMO. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I rise to support HB 1694. Just to share a short story with you, a little while ago, I and, actually, the majority leader was with me, we did a tour of a drug and alcohol treatment facility in my legislative district. The name of it is Libertae, which just treats women, and women are able to bring their children in for treatment. And as we were leaving, a young lady who was a patient there at the drug and alcohol facility, said to us, she said, "I don't know your names but thank the both of you for saving my life."

Mr. Speaker, if we can get this bill enacted and signed into law, it is absolutely going to save lives across the State of Pennsylvania, and the people whose lives we are going to save do not know the names or will never know the names of the members of the General Assembly here that are going to vote for this bill tonight.

This is a really good bill. There was an amendment that got in last week when we did the bill on second consideration that I would have not liked to see get in. I believe it tied law enforcement's hands a little bit, but with that said, there is a lot to like in this bill. Doctors and prescribers and pharmacists are going to be able to go on their computers now and they are going to be able to see who is doctor shopping and who is pharmacy shopping and, hopefully, not put an end to it but really cut back on the abuse that is going on out there.

And also, Mr. Speaker, which has not been mentioned, there is a treatment component in the bill, where doctors are going to be able to talk to their patients who they see are abusing drugs, are going to be able to talk to them about the dangers of drugs, and be able to talk to them about, hopefully, getting into treatment.

So, Mr. Speaker, with that, it is a good bill. I am going to ask everybody to vote "yes" on this and hopefully, quickly, we can get it over to the Senate and get it to the Governor and would like to especially thank my good friend from Tioga County for working with me on the bill. He is just an incredible individual to work with, and I ask for a "yes" vote. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Washington County, Mr. Neuman.

Mr. NEUMAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I rise in support of HB 1694. I think it is important that we know that this will be a great tool for pharmacists and doctors to be able to use to adequately treat their patients, but we cannot lose sight of the focus that the only way we combat this problem is through education and treatment. We need to get people in treatment and rehabilitate them. This by itself does not solve many problems. This helps us identify problems, and once we identify these problems, we need to get people treatment. So I encourage this legislature to continue to find ways to treat people so that they can fight their addiction and that they can get back to their normal lives.

But I do support this bill. I think we are working our way to helping people, individuals and patients, get treatment, find treatment, and treatment that they need. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

Mr. KRIEGER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

As I reflected this weekend on the debate we had on this floor on Wednesday, I thought on the way home that was a day when we actually did the things we are supposed to do in this House. We had a debate that really mattered. It was about fundamental principles and we voted our consciences, and I want to thank the members for doing that.

I have the roll call in my hand. I think it was 119 votes. A majority of both caucuses decided that if law enforcement is to get access to the information, it must obtain a search warrant upon the determination there was probable cause. And as this bill is considered, if it passes this House and is considered by the Senate, I would ask our colleagues in the Senate to

remember the strong will of this House that anything that comes back to this House must provide that if law enforcement is to have access, it must be upon the issuance of a search warrant upon probable cause.

As the gentleman from Lancaster mentioned a few minutes ago, that is not out of the mainstream. Fifteen States have these databases and require a showing of probable cause. Four additional States have these databases and do not allow law enforcement to have access at all. That is something that has been lost somewhat in this debate. The primary purpose of this database is for physicians and pharmacists to have the ability to take a look at their patients and determine if someone is out there getting pills they should not have.

And I would remind that the problems we have had in getting this bill through and the difficulties with this bill have been with law enforcement access and when we are going to do that. Certainly we want law enforcement to do a good job and have the tools at its disposal. Those tools, however, are bounded by our Constitution and by our Fourth Amendment.

So again, I want to thank the members for their honest debate last Wednesday, and again I would ask our Senate colleagues to take a look at that vote and determine that anything that comes back to this House includes probable cause and the requirement for law enforcement to obtain a search warrant. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Bucks County, Mr. Petri.

Mr. PETRI. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I am very supportive of this bill. I think a number of people are to be congratulated for their hard work and long time on this bill.

You know, Mr. Speaker, I got a call from one of my physicians recently, and he reported he was testifying in a case that took place just across the river in New Jersey. One doctor issued 10,000 prescriptions for narcotics to one patient that was filled by one pharmacy.

In Pennsylvania, Mr. Speaker, did you know that if you are a physician, you are unable to find out from ATF (Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives) – Tobacco, Firearms – the prescription drugs that you have issued? So if you want to self-monitor and know that someone has not stolen your prescription pad or a nurse or some employee is not selling it in order to make money, currently without this bill you have no way to self-regulate. So, Mr. Speaker, this is long overdue and necessary.

Hopefully, the Senate will look at what has taken place and fix the inherent problem that occurred with the drafting of the one amendment that was passed. As I understand the bill currently, a search warrant is now going to be necessary for schedule II drugs, which was never required before, but of course because it did not include III, IV, and V, those are unfettered. So either we are going to require certain activities of law enforcement or we are not. Hopefully, the Senate will resolve that issue, but I urge the members to move the bill forward. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Cambria County, Mr. Barbin.

Mr. BARBIN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I rise in support of HB 1694 for the following reason: Johnstown is a city of 20,000 people. They are going through a heroin epidemic just like every other municipality in this

Commonwealth. Yes, there are some flaws that have been added to the bill because of an amendment, but they can be corrected in the Senate. Right now we have had 7 murders in a city of 20,000 in 1 year, and it is a result of the heroin epidemic. If this bill passes, we will have a little better chance to move forward and some will have a way for law enforcement to have a tool to fix the problem. We can fix the problem with the search warrant in the Senate.

I urge everyone to do something. If we are going to do something, we have got to do it now. We can move it to the Senate. We can fix the problems of law enforcement, and we can actually help all of our communities with the heroin epidemic that is going on.

The SPEAKER. The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Montgomery County, Mr. Stephens, for the second time.

Mr. STEPHENS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I certainly appreciate many of the arguments made by my colleagues who spoke before me, and certainly the good gentleman from Tioga and the gentleman from Bucks have done a terrific job in putting this bill together, but here are some of the serious questions that I think exist as it relates to this bill that are yet unanswered. The bill, for instance, requires a search warrant for schedule II drugs to be reviewed by the Attorney General, but yet the bill also says law enforcement can only use the information gained from the database in order to obtain a search warrant or an arrest warrant. So you need to get a search warrant. You need to get a search warrant to access the database, but you can only use the database to get a search warrant, if you follow me a little bit.

Another instance, Mr. Speaker, is the fact that pharmacists, physicians, and even the Department of Health have greater access to this particular database than law enforcement. Well, why should the Department of Health have greater access to this database when investigating physicians, to look at their licensing provisions, than law enforcement should have? I mean, that just does not seem to make any sense to me.

And then you look at the types of drugs for which a search warrant is now required. Schedule II drugs require search warrants. Schedules III, IV, and V do not. Well, I think it is pretty well conceded that schedule II drugs are the more commonly abused and the more dangerous drugs, yet we have a higher threshold that is required of our law enforcement community to actually investigate those types of problems. It just does not make any sense.

As everyone has acknowledged who has commented about the amendment, it was a mistake to have that amendment added to the bill. It has created inherent inconsistencies in the bill, and in the words of the Office of the Attorney General, it will significantly hamper the ability of law enforcement to reduce prescription drug abuse and the death and destruction that accompanies it.

For that reason, Mr. Speaker, I suggest we get it right. We either get a new bill, we amend this bill, or we take a bill from the Senate. We need to do this but we need to do it right, and that is why I oppose this particular approach. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

Mr. HEFFLEY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I rise in support of HB 1694. While I agree with some of the comments made about the amendment that went in and how it could prevent the bill from doing what it is supposed to do, I rise in support of HB 1694 at this time because we need to move it along in the process and it is something that is much needed.

One of the first things that comes to mind when we talk about this legislation is the trail of five women that came to my office – all had lost sons due to this epidemic. They all lived in the same small town in the district that I represent.

While we cannot stop the people that are currently addicted to these pills, we can prevent the kids that are going to school now, the people that have not been exposed to these drugs now, we can prevent them from access to this. These drugs are very addictive; they are very powerful. As you mix these drugs with alcohol, they become deadly. A lot of families have been destroyed, lives have been destroyed. We require kids to wear helmets when riding bicycles. We require them to meet all kinds of testing in athletics, but yet we let these drugs, which are very harmful and much more addictive than anything that was out there 20 years ago, just flood our streets.

Like many of my colleagues in this House, we have an epidemic, and I call it an epidemic because it is when I see the list of kids that are being sent to jail for burglaries because they are addicted to drugs, and by not putting this in place, we are not giving our doctors and our pharmacists the tools that they need to start combatting this. While it is not perfect for law enforcement, I think if doctors and pharmacists have access to this database, they can stop these drugs from reaching the street at the point of sale. That is why I rise in support HB 1694, and I would ask my colleagues to do so as well. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, the Speaker recognizes the lady from Delaware County, Mrs. Davidson.

Mrs. DAVIDSON. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I rise in support of HB 1694, and I applaud the maker of the bill as well as many of the folks that have worked on this legislation across both sides of the aisle.

I so understand, as a former drug and alcohol professional for the coordinating office of drug and alcohol abuse programs in Philadelphia at the height of the crack cocaine epidemic, I understand the pain and the disease of addiction, and at this time many of my friends that are still professionals in the field talk about the rise in prescription drug abuse in our Commonwealth. The deaths have already been counted here on the House floor. So it is very important that this legislation move forward, Mr. Speaker, so that we can save the lives of folks that are being addicted to prescription drugs.

I supported the amendment on probable cause because I do believe that privacy should be protected and that we should only prosecute people when there is a need to prosecute them and there is probable cause. I do believe and I continue to believe, though, Mr. Speaker, that doctors who overprescribe, routinely and deliberately overprescribe prescription drugs should be prosecuted. I understand from the Attorney General's Office that that language is very wanted and needed in the legislation and it may be entered in on the Senate side. When it comes back for concurrence, I hope that that piece of it is there, and I also hope that probable cause remains in the legislation not only to protect those that are addicted to drugs that might be subject to search and seizure but also those doctors that have not routinely and

deliberately overprescribed medication to their patients. I think the system as it is set up, Mr. Speaker, will allow us to be able to catch when there are mistakes made and also to help the people who have been overprescribed prescription medications.

So the bill is not perfect, but it has taken us a long way forward, and I support and applaud the makers of the bill.

The SPEAKER. The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, the Speaker recognizes the maker of the bill, the gentleman, Mr. Baker, for the second time.

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

Very quickly, just a point of clarification in that the gentleman from Montgomery mentioned a missive, an e-mail from the Attorney General's Office as well as the district attorney's office, and later in that missive it says that they are in fact supportive of passage of this bill, and that although it is not perfect, they intend to make some changes, hopefully, in the Senate and bring it back for concurrence in Senate amendments.

So I do ask the members to kindly support the legislation. It is supported broadly by the law enforcement community, the medical community, and the drug and alcohol community.

So I also want to thank my good friend from Bucks County for his passion and his good work on this bill. This has been a bill that has been worked on for about 5 years or more and different individuals have worked on it. I want to thank staff for their hard work as well.

Let us get this done, send it over to the Senate. I am certain they are going to make some changes, and then we will get another vote later. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE CANCELED

The SPEAKER. The Speaker returns to leaves of absence and recognizes the presence on the floor of the gentleman from Philadelphia County, Mr. John Taylor. Without objection, his name will be added back to the master roll call.

CONSIDERATION OF HB 1694 CONTINUED

On the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—191

Adolph	English	Kirkland	Petrarca
Aument	Evankovich	Knowles	Petri
Baker	Evans	Kortz	Pickett
Barbin	Everett	Kotik	Pyle
Barrar	Fabrizio	Krieger	Quinn
Benninghoff	Farina	Kula	Rapp
Bishop	Farry	Lawrence	Ravenstahl
Bizzarro	Fee	Longiotti	Readshaw
Bloom	Fleck	Lucas	Reed
Boback	Flynn	Mackenzie	Reese
Boyle, K.	Frankel	Maher	Regan
Bradford	Freeman	Mahoney	Rock
Briggs	Gabler	Major	Roebuck
Brown, R.	Gainey	Maloney	Ross
Brown, V.	Galloway	Markosek	Rozzi
Brownlee	Gergely	Marshall	Sabatina
Burns	Gibbons	Marsico	Saccone
Caltagirone	Gillen	Masser	Sainato

Carroll	Gillespie	Matzie	Samuelson
Causser	Gingrich	McCarter	Sankey
Christiana	Godshall	McGeehan	Santarsiero
Clay	Goodman	McGinnis	Saylor
Clymer	Greiner	McNeill	Scavello
Conklin	Grell	Mentzer	Schlossberg
Corbin	Grove	Miccarelli	Schreiber
Costa, D.	Hackett	Micozzie	Simmons
Costa, P.	Hahn	Millard	Sims
Cox	Haluska	Miller, D.	Smith
Cruz	Hanna	Miller, R.	Snyder
Culver	Harhai	Milne	Sonney
Cutler	Harhart	Mirabito	Stern
Daley, M.	Harkins	Miranda	Stevenson
Daley, P.	Harper	Molchany	Sturla
Davidson	Harris, A.	Moul	Swanger
Davis	Harris, J.	Mullery	Tallman
Day	Heffley	Mundy	Taylor
Dean	Helm	Murt	Tobash
Deasy	Hennessey	Mustio	Toepel
DeLissio	Hickernell	Neilson	Toohil
Delozier	James	Neuman	Turzai
DeLuca	Kampf	O'Brien	Vereb
Denlinger	Kauffman	O'Neill	Vitali
Dermody	Kavulich	Oberlander	Waters
DiGirolo	Keller, M.K.	Painter	Watson
Donatucci	Keller, W.	Parker	Wheatley
Dunbar	Killion	Pashinski	White
Ellis	Kim	Payne	Youngblood
Emrick	Kinsey	Peifer	

NAYS—7

Brooks	Metcalfe	Roae	Truitt
Keller, F.	Metzgar	Stephens	

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—4

Boyle, B.	Cohen	Haggerty	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 present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

LABOR AND INDUSTRY COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Monroe County, Mr. Scavello, for a committee announcement? Mr. SCAVELLO. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

There will be a voting meeting for the House Labor and Industry Committee on Wednesday, October 23, 10 a.m., room 205, Ryan Office Building.

The SPEAKER. There will be a Labor and Industry Committee meeting on Wednesday, October 23, at 10 a.m., in room 205, Ryan Office Building.

COMMITTEE MEETING CANCELED

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Butler County, Mr. Metcalfe, for the purpose of a committee announcement.

Mr. METCALFE. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I just wanted to let the members know that tomorrow morning the State Government Committee meeting that was scheduled has been canceled and they should be getting an official notice over their e-mail, but I just wanted to give them a heads-up to it before everyone left for the day.

STATEMENT BY MR. PAINTER

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the gentleman from Montgomery County, Mr. Painter, under unanimous consent.

Mr. PAINTER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I just wanted to announce to my colleagues the birth of my first granddaughter, Kaitlin Anh, on July 18. Thank you so much.

The SPEAKER. Congratulations and thank you.

BILLS RECOMMITTED

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the majority leader, who moves that the following bills be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations:

HB 890;
HB 1285;
HB 1296;
HB 1502; and
SB 732.

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

BILLS REMOVED FROM TABLE

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

HB 21;
HB 1425;
HB 1426;
HB 1529;
HB 1530;
HB 1574;
HB 1575;
HB 1617;
HB 1644; and
SB 277.

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

CALENDAR CONTINUED

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 665, PN 1495**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of August 15, 1961 (P.L.987, No.442), known as the Pennsylvania Prevailing Wage Act, further providing for definitions; further providing for specifications; and providing for protection of workmen.

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

BILL TABLED

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the majority leader, who moves that HB 665 be removed from the active calendar and placed on the tabled calendar.

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

BILL REMOVED FROM TABLE

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the majority leader, who moves that HB 665 be removed from the tabled calendar and placed on the active calendar.

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 796, PN 1496**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of August 15, 1961 (P.L.987, No.442), known as the Pennsylvania Prevailing Wage Act, raising the threshold for applicability; further providing for specifications; and providing for protection of workmen.

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

BILL TABLED

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the majority leader, who moves that HB 796 be removed from the active calendar and placed on the tabled calendar.

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

BILL REMOVED FROM TABLE

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the majority leader, who moves that HB 796 be removed from the tabled calendar and placed on the active calendar.

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

BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to second consideration of **SB 1, PN 1308**, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 74 (Transportation) and 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in Title 74, providing for organization; in sustainable mobility options, further providing for definitions and for department authorization; providing for fees and taxes; further providing for the Public Transportation Trust Fund, for application and approval process, for report to Governor and General Assembly, for coordination and consolidation, for operating program, for asset improvement program, for programs of Statewide significance and for capital improvements program; establishing the Alternative Energy Capital Investment Program; providing for local tax for mass transportation and for multimodal transportation funding; in airport operation and zoning, providing for first class city consolidated car rental facility; in aviation development, further providing for tax on jet fuels; in turnpike, further providing for definitions and for electronic toll collection; in turnpike commission standards of conduct, further providing for annual report and for code of conduct; in public-private transportation partnerships, further providing for public-private transportation partnership agreement; providing for traffic signals, for the bridge bundling program, for local bridge maintenance and for public utility facilities; in Title 75, in registration of vehicles, providing for suspension of registration upon unpaid tolls; in financial responsibility, further providing for required financial responsibility; in fees, further providing for limitation on local license fees and taxes and for collection and disposition of fees and moneys; providing for fee for local use; further providing for driver's license and learner's permit, for certificate of title, for security interest, for information concerning drivers and vehicles, for certified copies of records and for certificate of inspection; in motor carriers road tax identification markers, further providing for definitions, for identification markers and license or road tax registration card required, for false statements and penalties and for exemptions; providing for uncollectible payments and for emergency proclamations; in general provisions, further providing for obedience to traffic-control devices; in size, weight and load, further providing for restrictions on use of highways and bridges and for permit for movement during course of manufacture; in powers of department and local authorities, further providing for regulation of traffic on Pennsylvania Turnpike; in Pennsylvania Turnpike, further providing for definitions, for lease of Interstate 80 and related agreements and for deposit and distribution of funds; in liquid fuels and fuels tax, making editorial changes, further providing for definitions, for liquid fuels and fuels permits, bond or deposit of securities, for imposition of tax, exemptions and deductions, for taxpayer, for distributor's report and payment of tax, for determination and redetermination of tax, penalties and interest due, for examination of records and equipment, for retention of records by distributors and dealers, for discontinuance or transfer of business, for suspension or revocation of permits, for lien of taxes, penalties and interest, for collection of unpaid taxes, for reports from common carriers, for reward for detection of violations, for refunds, for violations and for diesel fuel importers and transporters; prohibiting use of dyed diesel fuel on highways; violations and penalties, for uncollectible checks; providing for emergency assistance in a timely manner and for an electric vehicle road fee; in State highway maintenance, further providing for dirt and gravel road maintenance; in supplemental funding for municipal highway maintenance, further providing for supplemental funding for municipal highway maintenance; in taxes for highway maintenance and construction, further providing for imposition of tax and for allocation of proceeds; in motor carriers road tax, further providing for definitions

and for records; providing for recordkeeping; further providing for surety bond for payment of taxes, for penalty and interest for failure to report or pay tax, for manner of payment and recovery of taxes, penalties and interest, for determination, redetermination and review, for timely mailing treated as timely filing and payment; providing for method of filing and timeliness, for uncollectible payments, for emergency assistance in a timely manner; providing for the permit for the movement of raw milk; and making a related repeals.

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

BILL TABLED

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the majority leader, who moves that SB 1 be removed from the active calendar and placed on the tabled calendar.

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

BILL REMOVED FROM TABLE

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the majority leader, who moves that SB 1 be removed from the tabled calendar and placed on the active calendar.

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

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **SB 638, PN 1309**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of May 22, 1933 (P.L.853, No.155), known as The General County Assessment Law, further providing for subjects of taxation enumerated.

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

BILL TABLED

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the majority leader, who moves that SB 638 be removed from the active calendar and placed on the tabled calendar.

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

BILL REMOVED FROM TABLE

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the majority leader, who moves that SB 638 be removed from the tabled calendar and placed on the active calendar.

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

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS PASSED OVER

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

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER. Seeing no further business before the House, the Speaker recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Bizzarro, from Erie County, who moves that this House do adjourn until Tuesday, October 22, 2013, at 11 a.m., e.d.t., unless sooner recalled by the Speaker.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Motion was agreed to, and at 4:56 p.m., e.d.t., the House adjourned.