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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

**THE SPEAKER (MIKE TURZAI)
PRESIDING**

PRAYER

HON. WILL TALLMAN, member of the House of Representatives, offered the following prayer:

Let us pray:

"Our Father, which art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name."

Lord, I just ask You to make each and every one of us here in this chamber realize how hallowed Your name is, higher than any other name. And, Lord, we just ask You to give us Your wisdom and discernment on how we conduct business here today. And we thank You for the gift of Your son. 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 Monday, April 13, 2015, will be postponed until printed.

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEES, CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED

HB 17, PN 1184 (Amended) By Rep. MARSICO

An Act amending the act of July 8, 1978 (P.L.752, No.140), known as the Public Employee Pension Forfeiture Act, further providing for definitions, for disqualification and forfeiture of benefits and for restitution for monetary loss; and repealing a retroactivity provision.

JUDICIARY.

HB 299, PN 1185 (Amended) By Rep. MARSICO

An Act amending Title 20 (Decedents, Estates and Fiduciaries) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in powers of attorney, further providing for general provisions and for durable powers of attorney.

JUDICIARY.

HB 367, PN 1186 (Amended) By Rep. MARSICO

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in bonds and recognizances, amending provisions relating to professional bondsmen; and providing for authorization to conduct business within each county, for forfeited undertaking, for private cause of action and for third party sureties.

JUDICIARY.

HB 665, PN 1187 (Amended) By Rep. MARSICO

An Act amending Titles 20 (Decedents, Estates and Fiduciaries) and 57 (Notaries Public) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in powers of attorney, further providing for general provisions; and, in Revised Uniform Law on Notarial Acts, further providing for short form certificates, for implementation of power of attorney and for durable powers of attorney.

JUDICIARY.

HB 743, PN 880 By Rep. METCALFE

An Act amending Title 62 (Procurement) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in contract clauses and preference provisions, requiring Commonwealth agencies to procure flags that are manufactured in the United States and to give preference to American-made products; and imposing a penalty.

STATE GOVERNMENT.

HB 787, PN 1188 (Amended) By Rep. MARSICO

An Act amending the act of July 8, 1978 (P.L.752, No.140), known as the Public Employee Pension Forfeiture Act, further providing for definitions, for disqualification and forfeiture of benefits and for restitution.

JUDICIARY.

HB 874, PN 1069 By Rep. MARSICO

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in assault, further providing for the offenses of harassment, stalking and threat to use weapons of mass destruction.

JUDICIARY.

**RESOLUTION REPORTED
FROM COMMITTEE**

HR 140, PN 790 By Rep. PAYNE

A Resolution urging the Congress of the United States to defeat H.R. 707 and any other legislation which would prohibit states from authorizing and conducting Internet gaming.

GAMING OVERSIGHT.

SENATE MESSAGE

**RECESS RESOLUTION
FOR CONCURRENCE**

The clerk of the Senate, being introduced, presented the following extract from the Journal of the Senate, which was read as follows:

In the Senate,
April 13, 2015

RESOLVED, (the House of Representatives concurring), Pursuant to Article II, Section 14 of the Pennsylvania Constitution, that when the Senate recesses this week, it reconvene on Monday, April 20, 2015, unless sooner recalled by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate; and be it further

RESOLVED, Pursuant to Article II, Section 14 of the Pennsylvania Constitution, that when the House of Representatives recesses this week, it reconvene on Monday, April 20, 2015, unless sooner recalled by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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

On the question,
Will the House concur in the resolution of the Senate?
Resolution was concurred in.
Ordered, That the clerk inform the Senate accordingly.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION
INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

No. 242 By Representatives SIMS, COHEN, KINSEY, KIM, HENNESSEY, SCHWEYER, DONATUCCI, BROWNLEE, V. BROWN, FARINA, SCHREIBER, THOMAS, Mc CARTER, McNEILL, FRANKEL, O'BRIEN, ROSS, BOYLE, WHEELAND, CALTAGIRONE, C. PARKER, YOUNGBLOOD, WATSON, SCHLOSSBERG and GINGRICH

A Resolution supporting the goals and ideals of the "National Day of Silence" to bring attention to anti-lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender name-calling, bullying and harassment faced by individuals in schools.

Referred to Committee on RULES, April 14, 2015.

**HOUSE BILLS
INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

No. 32 By Representatives GRELL, CALTAGIRONE, GODSHALL, MILLARD, DIAMOND, GINGRICH, GOODMAN, PICKETT, COHEN, GILLEN and DELOZIER

An Act amending the act of February 1, 1974 (P.L.34, No.15), known as the Pennsylvania Municipal Retirement Law, in general provisions, further providing for definitions, for general powers of board, for retirement funds and accounts and for management and investment of fund and interest credits; and providing for Statewide Municipal Police Officers Pension Plan.

Referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, April 14, 2015.

No. 36 By Representatives GRELL, WATSON, McGINNIS, IRVIN, SAYLOR, LAWRENCE and COX

An Act amending Title 71 (State Government) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in Independent Fiscal Office, further providing for scope of chapter, for definitions and for duties of office; providing for actuarial notes; abolishing the Public Employee Retirement Commission; and making a related repeal.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, April 14, 2015.

No. 855 By Representatives GODSHALL, DeLUCA, COHEN, McNEILL, WATSON and PICKETT

An Act amending the act of December 22, 2011 (P.L.586, No.127), known as the Gas and Hazardous Liquids Pipelines Act, further providing for the title of the act; in preliminary provisions, further providing for definitions; in pipeline operators, further providing for registry of pipeline operators; in commission authority and enforcement, further providing for general powers of commission, for civil penalties, for jurisdiction and authority of commission and providing for certification of pipeline safety program and application for interstate agent status; replacing the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission with the Department of Environmental Protection; and making editorial changes.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, April 14, 2015.

No. 911 By Representatives BARRAR, SAINATO, BOBACK, CAUSER, COHEN, DELOZIER, EVERETT, GREINER, HACKETT, HARKINS, A. HARRIS, JAMES, JOZWIAK, MALONEY, MARSHALL, McGINNIS, MENTZER, MILLARD, RAPP, ROZZI, SACCONI, TALLMAN, PETRI, TOOHL, FARRY, PASHINSKI, RADER, DAVIDSON and MAHONEY

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for emergency telephone service.

Referred to Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, April 13, 2015.

No. 960 By Representatives LONGIETTI, HARKINS, V. BROWN, DRISCOLL, KOTIK, PASHINSKI, McNEILL, COHEN, DeLUCA, MURT and GIBBONS

An Act amending the act of July 5, 1984 (P.L.587, No.119), known as the Rail Freight Preservation and Improvement Act, further providing for the Rail Freight Advisory Committee.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, April 14, 2015.

No. 964 By Representatives McGINNIS, BLOOM, DIAMOND, EVERETT, GABLER, GILLESPIE, GROVE, JAMES, KAUFFMAN, METCALFE, ROAE, SACCONI, SAYLOR, TRUITT and WARD

An Act amending the act of August 31, 1971 (P.L.398, No.96), known as the County Pension Law, providing for Independent Defined Contribution Retirement Savings Program; and making editorial changes.

Referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, April 14, 2015.

No. 965 By Representatives GODSHALL, KILLION, TOEPEL, METZGAR, BARRAR, CAUSER, PICKETT, MILLARD, QUIGLEY and MURT

An Act amending the act of June 25, 1982 (P.L.633, No.181), known as the Regulatory Review Act, further providing for definitions, for proposed regulations and procedures for review, for final-form regulations and final-omitted regulations and procedures for review and for procedures for subsequent review of disapproved final-form or final-omitted regulations by the commission.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, April 14, 2015.

No. 969 By Representatives NEUMAN, COHEN, CALTAGIRONE, V. BROWN, DUNBAR, McNEILL, D. COSTA, DRISCOLL, KOTIK, YOUNGBLOOD, TRUITT, KAVULICH, BISHOP, DONATUCCI, MILLARD, READSHAW, BOBACK, W. KELLER, SCHLOSSBERG, SCHWEYER, CUTLER, M. K. KELLER, MATZIE, SABATINA, BROWNLIEE, MURT, HARRAI, McCARTER, B. MILLER and GIBBONS

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in computer offenses, providing for the offense of phishing and for protection from liability under certain circumstances.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, April 14, 2015.

No. 970 By Representatives CAUSER, BAKER, CONKLIN, D. COSTA, GABLER, MILLARD, MOUL, MURT, PEIFER, REGAN and SABATINA

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in snowmobiles and all-terrain vehicles, further providing for restricted account, for Snowmobile and ATV Advisory Committee, for designation of snowmobile or ATV roads, for operation on private or State property, for operation by persons under age sixteen, for mufflers and noise control and for enforcement personnel and procedures.

Referred to Committee on TOURISM AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, April 14, 2015.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER. Turning to leaves of absence, there are no requests for leave from the majority whip.

The minority whip requests leaves of absence for Representative BISHOP from Philadelphia for the day, Representative GALLOWAY from Bucks County for the day, and Representative SANTARSIERO of Bucks County for the day. Without objection, those leaves are granted.

MASTER ROLL CALL

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

The following roll call was recorded:

PRESENT—198

Acosta	Evankovich	Knowles	Rapp
Adolph	Evans	Kortz	Ravenstahl
Baker	Everett	Kotik	Readshaw
Barbin	Fabrizio	Krieger	Reed
Barrar	Farina	Lawrence	Reese
Benninghoff	Farry	Lewis	Regan
Bizzarro	Fee	Longietti	Roae
Bloom	Flynn	Mackenzie	Roebuck
Boback	Frankel	Maher	Ross
Boyle	Freeman	Mahoney	Rozzi
Bradford	Gabler	Major	Sabatina
Briggs	Gainey	Maloney	Saccone
Brown, R.	Gergely	Markosek	Sainato
Brown, V.	Gibbons	Marshall	Samuelson
Brownlee	Gillen	Marsico	Sankey
Burns	Gillespie	Masser	Santora
Caltagirone	Gingrich	Matzie	Saylor
Carroll	Godshall	McCarter	Schemel
Causer	Goodman	McGinnis	Schlossberg
Christiana	Greiner	McNeill	Schreiber
Cohen	Grell	Mentzer	Schweyer
Conklin	Grove	Metcalfe	Simmons
Corbin	Hahn	Metzgar	Sims
Costa, D.	Hanna	Miccarelli	Snyder
Costa, P.	Harhai	Millard	Sonney
Cox	Harhart	Miller, B.	Staats
Cruz	Harkins	Miller, D.	Sturla
Culver	Harper	Milne	Tallman
Cutler	Harris, A.	Moul	Taylor
Daley, M.	Harris, J.	Mullery	Thomas
Daley, P.	Heffley	Murt	Tobash
Davidson	Helm	Mustio	Toepel
Davis	Hennessey	Nesbit	Toohil
Dawkins	Hickernell	Neuman	Topper
Day	Hill	O'Brien	Truitt
Dean	Irvin	O'Neill	Vereb
Deasy	James	Oberlander	Vitali
DeLissio	Jozwiak	Ortitay	Ward
Delozier	Kampf	Parker, C.	Warner
DeLuca	Kaufner	Parker, D.	Waters
Dermody	Kauffman	Pashinski	Watson
Diamond	Kavulich	Payne	Wentling
DiGirolamo	Keller, F.	Peifer	Wheatley
Donatucci	Keller, M.K.	Petrarca	Wheeland
Driscoll	Keller, W.	Petri	White
Dunbar	Killion	Pickett	Youngblood
Dush	Kim	Pyle	Zimmerman

Ellis	Kinsey	Quigley	
Emrick	Kirkland	Quinn	Turzai,
English	Klunk	Rader	Speaker

ADDITIONS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—5

Bishop	Hackett	Santarsiero	Stephens
Galloway			

LEAVES ADDED—2

Miller, D.	Watson
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LEAVES CANCELED—2

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

Members, we would ask all members to please report to the floor. We have a very special guest today, His Excellency, Consul General Prato of our great friend and neighbor, Canada. We are going to go to the uncontested resolution calendar for now, but I do want all the members to please report to the floor. We are going to be addressed today by His Excellency, the Consul General of Canada, and it is quite an honor for our chamber to have him here today.

UNCONTESTED CALENDAR

RESOLUTIONS PURSUANT TO RULE 35

Mr. SCHREIBER called up HR 92, PN 526, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of April 2015 as "Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Month" in Pennsylvania.

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Mr. MURT called up HR 176, PN 970, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of April 2015 as "The Month of the Young Child" in Pennsylvania.

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Mr. EMRICK called up HR 206, PN 1040, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of May 2015 as "Preeclampsia Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

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Mr. SCHREIBER called up HR 218, PN 1116, entitled:

A Resolution designating March 18, 2015, as "Kick Butts Day" in Pennsylvania.

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Mr. SCHREIBER called up HR 219, PN 1117, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of March 2015 as "Save Your Vision Month" in Pennsylvania.

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Mr. CAUSER called up HR 225, PN 1143, entitled:

A Resolution designating April 14, 2015, as "Forest and Paper Products Day" in Pennsylvania.

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Mr. CHRISTIANA called up HR 230, PN 1148, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing April 17, 2015, as "World Hemophilia Day" in Pennsylvania.

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Mr. READSHAW called up HR 231, PN 1149, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing April 14, 2015, as "Architects Day" in Pennsylvania.

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Mr. NEUMAN called up HR 233, PN 1150, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the week of April 19 through 25, 2015, as "STEM Initiative Week" in Pennsylvania.

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Mr. ROEBUCK called up HR 239, PN 1156, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of April 2015 as "Pennsylvania Community College Month" in Pennsylvania.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolutions?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—198

Acosta	Evankovich	Knowles	Rapp
Adolph	Evans	Kortz	Ravenstahl
Baker	Everett	Kotik	Readshaw
Barbin	Fabrizio	Krieger	Reed
Barrar	Farina	Lawrence	Reese
Benninghoff	Farry	Lewis	Regan
Bizzarro	Fee	Longietti	Roae
Bloom	Flynn	Mackenzie	Roebuck
Boback	Frankel	Maher	Ross
Boyle	Freeman	Mahoney	Rozzi
Bradford	Gabler	Major	Sabatina
Briggs	Gainey	Maloney	Saccione
Brown, R.	Gergely	Markosek	Sainato
Brown, V.	Gibbons	Marshall	Samuelson
Brownlee	Gillen	Marsico	Sankey
Burns	Gillespie	Masser	Santora
Caltagirone	Gingrich	Matzie	Saylor
Carroll	Godshall	McCartier	Schemel
Causer	Goodman	McGinnis	Schlossberg
Christiana	Greiner	McNeill	Schreiber
Cohen	Grell	Mentzer	Schweyer
Conklin	Grove	Metcalfe	Simmons
Corbin	Hahn	Metzgar	Sims

Costa, D.	Hanna	Miccarelli	Snyder
Costa, P.	Harhai	Millard	Sonney
Cox	Harhart	Miller, B.	Staats
Cruz	Harkins	Miller, D.	Sturla
Culver	Harper	Milne	Tallman
Cutler	Harris, A.	Moul	Taylor
Daley, M.	Harris, J.	Mullery	Thomas
Daley, P.	Heffley	Murt	Tobash
Davidson	Helm	Mustio	Toepel
Davis	Hennessey	Nesbit	Toohil
Dawkins	Hickernell	Neuman	Topper
Day	Hill	O'Brien	Truitt
Dean	Irvin	O'Neill	Veréb
Deasy	James	Oberlander	Vitali
DeLissio	Jozwiak	Ortitay	Ward
DeLozier	Kampf	Parker, C.	Warner
DeLuca	Kaufner	Parker, D.	Waters
Dermody	Kauffman	Pashinski	Watson
Diamond	Kavulich	Payne	Wentling
DiGrolamo	Keller, F.	Peifer	Wheatley
Donatucci	Keller, M.K.	Petrarca	Wheeland
Driscoll	Keller, W.	Petri	White
Dunbar	Killion	Pickett	Youngblood
Dush	Kim	Pyle	Zimmerman
Ellis	Kinsey	Quigley	
Emrick	Kirkland	Quinn	Turzai,
English	Klunk	Rader	Speaker

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—5

Bishop	Hackett	Santarsiero	Stephens
Galloway			

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

The SPEAKER. I do recognize that there are some members that want to speak on unanimous consent on the uncontested resolutions, but at this time I would like all the members to please take your seats. We have a special guest, an honored guest today.

GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. Today with us is His Excellency, Consul General John F. Prato, who is the consul general from the great nation of Canada. It is our pleasure to welcome him to the hall of our House, along with some of his staff. And with him, if I might, seated right to his left is Royal Canadian Mounted Police Officer Cpl. Stephen Brown. We have asked the consul general to please address our esteemed body.

With exports totaling just over \$12 billion, Canada is Pennsylvania's largest export market. The bilateral trade between the two is \$24.7 billion. There are more than 300,000 jobs in Pennsylvania that are dependent in part upon trade and investment with Canada.

Mr. Prato assumed his responsibilities as consul general in March of 2011, and he is based in New York City. His Excellency, prior to that position, worked as a managing director in the Equity Capital Markets Group at TD Securities, the investment banking division of the TD Bank Financial Group.

CONSUL GENERAL JOHN F. PRATO PRESENTED

The SPEAKER. We are so honored to have you here today. By historical precedent, not many individuals have the opportunity to actually speak from the rostrum, but to have His Excellency here today, we are going to ask the consul general to actually please come to the Speaker's rostrum, accompanied by the Canadian Mounted Police officer. Thank you. Please come join us.

Mr. PRATO. Thank you, Speaker Turzai, for that very kind introduction and for welcoming me here. Distinguished elected members, honorable members, thank you for having me here in your House.

I am going to do something very Canadian, and I am going to apologize to everyone in this room. But I am the luckiest person in the world. To represent Canada in a nation that I love, the United States of America, has truly been the greatest privilege in my life. Now, I have always believed that, but now I know it because I am in the most beautiful legislative building I have ever seen on both sides of the border.

The late great President Theodore Roosevelt said that this was the most handsomest building he had seen. That was in 1906. I venture to say there has never been a more beautiful building ever built since that time, so it is truly an honor.

This is my 16th visit to the Commonwealth since I became responsible for Pennsylvania in 2013. The fact that I have been here 16 times is a reflection of the depth of the relationship between the Commonwealth and Canada. To begin with, Canada is the United States largest trading partner by a wide margin. Thirty-five of the fifty States in this great country, the United States of America, call Canada their number one export market, and it is here in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania that you particularly see the depth of that relationship.

And it means something to the people in your districts. Speaker Turzai was talking about the relationship. Yes, it is \$24.7 billion, but let us put it into context. Canada buys more goods, more goods from the Commonwealth than the U.K., Mexico, China, Japan, and the Netherlands – your top five countries post Canada – combined. We fully buy 30 percent of all the goods that you export. Some 350,000 jobs in the Commonwealth depend on trade with Canada.

If you are in the great city of Philadelphia, where my wife works and we will probably be living after we are done in New York, 167,000 jobs are tied to trade with Canada. If you are in that beautiful city of Pittsburgh, that wrote the manual on North American city renaissance – my God, what has happened in Pittsburgh, what an incredible turnaround – some 66,000 jobs are tied to Canada. If you are in the central part of the State, it is over 50,000 jobs. But while I am here to highlight the incredible ties, I am here also to mention that we can do more. We can do more to expand the trade. Now, the good part about it is that in the course of 2013 and 2014, trade increased by a billion dollars, so we are heading into the right direction. But let us do more to create jobs in your communities. Let us create those jobs that create strong cities, strong towns, that contribute to a tax base, that contribute to healthy communities. That is what trade is with Canada. So while we do a lot in the energy, machinery, innovation, and technology, let us expand and do more.

And that is why I am here, twofold, to highlight that relationship but to tell you we want to create more opportunities on both sides of the border, and those opportunities are apparent in a host of different industries. The good thing about our trade is it is pretty well-balanced between the two. Think about this: My country, which is an energy superpower, now imports natural gas from the Marcellus. That is something new. November 1, 2012, was our first big import of natural gas to the Province of Ontario, and it is growing, and we can do more.

When I look at the refineries in this great State, in the Philadelphia area or in Warren; you go to Warren – someone from Warren – what a beautiful part of the world. That refinery, United Refining there, if you ever see the gas stations that it owns, the Kwik Fills, 100 percent North American oil, 100 percent American-made gasoline, right? That oil comes from Canada. They refine it, make gasoline here, and they also ship part of the finished products back to Canada. That is creating great jobs. The same could be said in Philadelphia.

So what I am here to say to you today is that by working together we can create those investment opportunities, right? More Canadian companies should be coming to the Commonwealth, should be hiring people in the Commonwealth, and should be focused on export, and vice versa.

So I am privileged today to be before you. I say this with a great degree of pride and a certain sense of being humble. I am at the tail end of my representation for Canada, so when I say that I am the luckiest person in the world to be in the United States of America, to represent my country in the United States of America, I really mean it.

And while I have talked about trade, I want to end on one key point. When you opened up the paper this morning, you probably saw a lot of very uncomfortable events that are happening in the world. We see what is happening with ISIS (Islamic State of Iraq and Syria) and ISIL (Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant). We saw the beheadings of various Christians from Egypt and Libya. We see what is happening in Yemen. We see what is happening in the Ukraine and Russia. We see what is happening on the existential threats against our great ally and friend, the State of Israel. And then we look at the relationship that two sovereign, proud, independent nations have, Canada and the United States, and we wonder what kind of world would it be if there were more Canada-U.S. relationships?

Ladies and gentlemen, we wrote the book on how two sovereign independent nations can live side by side, providing security and prosperity for its people. And with that, I invite you tonight. We are going to be in the Capitol, the rotunda, for an event, and I would love to see you all and shake your hands and just tell you how lucky I have been to be in your company today.

Thank you. Merci beaucoup.

The SPEAKER. Thank you so much, members.

A great honor to have His Excellency from Canada speak with us here today.

STATEMENT BY MR. MURT

The SPEAKER. Representative Tom Murt is recognized to speak on HR 176, which was passed with the uncontested resolutions.

Representative Murt, the floor is yours.

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

Thank you to my fellow members for their affirmative vote on HR 176. Mr. Speaker, 40 years of research has shown that children receiving high-quality early education are more likely to be prepared for and to do better in school, graduate from high school, attend college or receive job training, and have higher earnings. High-quality early learning saves taxpayers money by reducing the need for special education and remedial instruction, and decreases dropout rates, criminal activity, and incarceration.

Mr. Speaker, children who are school-ready have lower special education needs, experience fewer repeated grades, have higher graduation rates, and far fewer run-ins with law enforcement. When they enter the workforce, they receive higher earnings, as more of these children are prepared to succeed. For these reasons education, law enforcement, military, and business leaders all support expanding access to high-quality early education programs.

Mr. Speaker, high-quality early childhood education also benefits the State's taxpayers. Ninety percent of the State's budget is dedicated to education, human services, and corrections. If we can reduce the need for human services and corrections, all taxpayers will benefit.

Unfortunately, there is still far too much unmet need. Only one in six children is able to access high-quality, publicly funded pre-K, and less than 5 percent of child-care slots for children from birth to age 4 are in the highest quality STAR 4 or accredited programs.

Mr. Speaker, by declaring April "The Month of the Young Child," we are raising awareness of this critical issue. I thank my colleagues for their support. Now, let us put our commitment into action by passing legislation to help our children.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Representative.

STATEMENT BY MR. NEUMAN

The SPEAKER. Representative Neuman of Washington County is recognized to speak on HR 233, which was also already passed with the uncontested resolutions.

Representative Neuman, the floor is yours.

Mr. NEUMAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Thank you for your unanimous support of STEM, making the week of April 18 through 25 "STEM Initiative Week." STEM, standing for Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics, I think is vitally important to be in our schools to prepare our students for a global job market. This initiative wants to raise awareness to help our educators connect with job creators to prepare our students for careers of the future. And we are fortunate here in Pennsylvania: We are the 20th largest economy in the world, we have a global job market right here in Pennsylvania, and we need to continue to promote science, technology, engineering, arts, and mathematics for the next generation so that they can stay here and have good careers.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Representative Neuman.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE CANCELED

The SPEAKER. We will add Representative Santarsiero of Bucks County to the master roll for today.

CALENDAR**RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO RULE 35**

Mr. FRANKEL called up **HR 114, PN 698**, entitled:

A Resolution commemorating the 60th anniversary of the National Association of Social Workers.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolution?

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes Representative Frankel on the resolution.

Mr. FRANKEL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I would ask my colleagues for their support of HR 114 commemorating the 60th anniversary of the National Association of Social Workers.

Social workers are an essential part of all of our communities and the largest group of mental health providers in the United States. These tireless professionals help solve and cope with a wide range of problems in stressful situations in their everyday lives, including poverty, discrimination, abuse, addiction, physical and mental illness, educational problems, divorce, and disability.

Given the wide range of tasks undertaken by social workers, they can be employed in a variety of settings, including mental health clinics, corporations, schools, and hospitals. The National Association of Social Workers is the largest membership organization of professional social workers in the world, with 132,000 members, and I am proud to say that my wife and my daughter are members of the NASW.

NASW was established in 1955 after the consolidation of seven social work organizations. NASW's primary functions include promoting the professional development of its members, establishing and maintaining professional standards of practice, advancing sound social policies, and providing services that protect its members and enhance their professional status.

The organization has also been at the forefront of every major social change in our nation during the past 60 years – from the Civil Rights Act of 1964, to the establishment of Medicare, to the Lilly Ledbetter Fair Pay Act of 2009.

Mr. Speaker, there are over 40,000 degreed social workers and roughly 11,000 licensed social workers in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the demand for this line of work is expected to grow greatly over the next decade.

I am happy that this chamber will vote on this resolution today, because today is NASW's Pennsylvania Legislative Advocacy Day. I invite all of my colleagues to talk to the members of the NASW – they will be visiting your offices throughout the Capitol – and learn about the work they do in our communities day after day and to understand the challenges these professionals face in the 21st century.

NASW has proven an invaluable asset to our schools, hospitals, human services agencies, and local governments, and I am hopeful this chamber will recognize and commend them on their 60th anniversary.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—199

Acosta	Evans	Kortz	Ravenstahl
Adolph	Everett	Kotik	Readshaw
Baker	Fabrizio	Krieger	Reed
Barbin	Farina	Lawrence	Reese
Barrar	Farry	Lewis	Regan
Benninghoff	Fee	Longietti	Roae
Bizzarro	Flynn	Mackenzie	Roebuck
Bloom	Frankel	Maher	Ross
Boback	Freeman	Mahoney	Rozzi
Boyle	Gabler	Major	Sabatina
Bradford	Gainey	Maloney	Saccione
Briggs	Gergely	Markosek	Sainato
Brown, R.	Gibbons	Marshall	Samuelson
Brown, V.	Gillen	Marsico	Sankey
Brownlee	Gillespie	Masser	Santarsiero
Burns	Gingrich	Matzie	Santora
Caltagirone	Godshall	McCarter	Saylor
Carroll	Goodman	McGinnis	Schemel
Causar	Greiner	McNeill	Schlossberg
Christiana	Grell	Mentzer	Schreiber
Cohen	Grove	Metcalfe	Schweyer
Conklin	Hahn	Metzgar	Simmons
Corbin	Hanna	Miccarelli	Sims
Costa, D.	Harhai	Millard	Snyder
Costa, P.	Harhart	Miller, B.	Sonney
Cox	Harkins	Miller, D.	Staats
Cruz	Harper	Milne	Sturla
Culver	Harris, A.	Moul	Tallman
Cutler	Harris, J.	Mullery	Taylor
Daley, M.	Heffley	Murt	Thomas
Daley, P.	Helm	Mustio	Tobash
Davidson	Hennessey	Nesbit	Toepel
Davis	Hickernell	Neuman	Toohil
Dawkins	Hill	O'Brien	Topper
Day	Irvin	O'Neill	Truitt
Dean	James	Oberlander	Vereb
Deasy	Jozwiak	Ortitay	Vitali
DeLissio	Kampf	Parker, C.	Ward
Delozier	Kaufner	Parker, D.	Warner
DeLuca	Kauffman	Pashinski	Waters
Dermody	Kavulich	Payne	Watson
Diamond	Keller, F.	Peifer	Wentling
DiGirolamo	Keller, M.K.	Petrarca	Wheatley
Donatucci	Keller, W.	Petri	Wheeland
Driscoll	Killion	Pickett	White
Dunbar	Kim	Pyle	Youngblood
Dush	Kinsey	Quigley	Zimmerman
Ellis	Kirkland	Quinn	
Emrick	Klunk	Rader	Turzai,
English	Knowles	Rapp	Speaker
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NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—4

Bishop Galloway Hackett Stephens

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

GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. Turning to visitor recognition, located to the left of the rostrum, the Chair welcomes Danadee Miller-Boyle, the executive director of the United States Department of Agriculture's Farm Service Agency. With her are Merle and Laverne Hunsicker, and Ruth Ann Wehr. These are guests of Representative Doyle Heffley. Will you please rise.

Located to the left of the rostrum and in the rear of the House, the Chair welcomes the family of our colleague, Representative Stephen Kinsey. Please rise and I will introduce everybody. There we are. Now, directly to my left is his mother, Pearl Kinsey. Pearl, can you stand, if you might. Thank you so much. It is great to have you. And this good man, whom we have to thank for his service, is his brother, Capt. Barry Kirby Kinsey. Captain, thank you so much for being with us. These family members are here today to honor Captain Kinsey's retirement from the United States Army. Sir, thank you for your service, and thank you for sharing your brother for his service. The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is a better place for it. Thank you for being with us today.

STATEMENT BY MR. KINSEY

The SPEAKER. Representative Kinsey is recognized on unanimous consent.

Representative, you can come up to the rostrum here, if you would like.

Mr. KINSEY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Not enough can be said about our military veterans, many who leave their homes, their families, and their friends, all to protect and defend the citizens of the United States of America. Their dedication to serve has caused these men and women to miss out on many events with family and friends, events such as birthdays, holidays, anniversaries, weekend camping trips, hunting and fishing trips, ball games, and summer picnics – all of the things that other people take for granted, time and events that our veterans can never get back.

Mr. Speaker, it takes an extraordinary person to take that brave step to meet the challenges of serving in our Armed Forces. Capt. Barry Kirby Kinsey entered the United States Army shortly after high school. He quickly rose to the rank of staff sergeant. In 2006 he was commissioned as a second lieutenant in the United States Army Corps of Engineers from the Officer Candidate School in Fort Benning, Georgia.

Just a few years ago Captain Kinsey was responsible for the execution of all USACE construction activities in support of the United States Army Corps of Engineers mission in Iraq and Kuwait. In fact, Mr. Speaker, Capt. Barry Kinsey has been deployed three times to Iraq and two times to Kuwait.

Captain Kinsey is the recipient of the Iraq Campaign Medal, the Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, the Overseas Service Ribbon, the Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, the Army Service Ribbon, the Noncommissioned Officer Professional Development Ribbon, and the Army Good Conduct Medal.

Mr. Speaker, Captain Kinsey has served in the United States Army for 24 years 11 months and 12 days, retiring April 1, 2015.

Mr. Speaker, I thank you, and I ask my colleagues to join me in welcoming my family and my younger brother to the hall of the House. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Members of Representative Kinsey's family, please just join us up here on the rostrum.

GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. I just want to introduce a few other folks while we are gathering the family.

Located in the rear of the House, the Chair welcomes a group of students from the Community College of Allegheny County: Cassie Gartin – please stand – Emily Burks, Hashim Ahmed, Jennifer Alspaugh, Lianna Coholich, and Megan McMonagle. These students reside in the districts of Representatives Maher, Markosek, Dan Miller, Readshaw, Deasy, and my own legislative district. Welcome to the hall of the House.

Located in the rear of the House, the Chair welcomes members of the Hanover Chamber of Commerce. This group recently received a five-star accreditation from the United States Chamber of Commerce, the highest ranking, and they are the guests of Representative Kate Klunk. Please rise, and welcome.

With Representative Kinsey are, actually, not only his brother, the captain, but his sister and two other brothers. Five of the five siblings are all here today, and it was great to have them up here with their mother, Pearl.

Located in the rear of the House, the Chair welcomes Dr. Michael Hartman, an anesthesiologist with Lehigh Valley Health Network and a member of the Pennsylvania Association of Nurse Anesthetists. He is the guest of Representative Doyle Heffley. Will you please rise. Thank you.

Also located in the rear of the House, the Chair welcomes Karen Musser, Joel Snyder, Mark Hackenberg, and Mark Johnson from RGS Associates in Lancaster, Pennsylvania. They are the guests of Representatives Zimmerman and Mentzer. Please rise. Thank you.

Located in the well of the House, the Chair welcomes guest page Aidan Cunningham, a freshman from Wallenpaupack High School. Aidan's family is seated in the rear of the House, and they are the guests of Representative Mike Peifer. Please stand.

Also located in the well of the House, the Chair welcomes guest pages Nora Shelly and Alex Cominsky. They stopped by my office today with their host, Representative Sheryl Delozier. These two students attend Trinity High School. Welcome. Thanks for being with us.

**PALMYRA HIGH SCHOOL
FIELD HOCKEY TEAM PRESENTED**

The SPEAKER. The Speaker invites Representative Mauree Gingrich to the rostrum for the purpose of presenting a citation to the Palmyra Area Field Hockey Team. Chairwoman Gingrich, please come to the rostrum with your guests.

I turn the floor over to Chairwoman Mauree Gingrich.

Mrs. GINGRICH. Thank you, Mr. Speaker and colleagues.

Good morning.

I am proud to introduce to you today the Palmyra High School Cougar Field Hockey Team. They are not just any hockey team. They are mine, which makes them very special, but also, they are the 2014 State Field Hockey Cochampions after two grueling scoreless overtimes, with the final score of 1-1, and were named cochampions along with Penn Manor.

The Cougar's success story is certainly unique, and it is a model of perseverance and fortitude. Early in the playoffs, the team's head coach, Kristi Costello, who was pregnant at the time with her first child, was injured in a car accident on the way to school and resulted in a severely shattered kneecap. Her injuries had her immediately hospitalized, confined to bed with therapy, but on top of that, it caused an early emergency delivery of her baby. So Kristi coached the first three final playoff games from her PT (physical therapy) sessions and from the baby nursery. On top of that, they had an injured goalie. Things were not looking good for the team. That combination could have been the end of the road for the Cougars, but when this team heard about the accident, they immediately rallied and said, "We are going to do it. We are going to do it for the coach," and they never lost hope.

Coach Costello had a great coaching staff to be her legs on the field for a while, and the team played on and they played on with the spirit to win. Her dad, Kent Harshman, is her assistant coach and stepped up to the helm until she could get back to the field herself.

So throughout the season, they won 23 games; they scored 101 goals, if I am counting right; they lost only two contests to the Lower Dauphin Falcons; and they finished the season with just one tie, and that was the tie that won them the co-championship for our State. In that final game they fought 90 minutes straight in those grueling overtimes, in the temperature of 30 degrees, right through the exhaustion that you experience in that kind of overtime challenge.

The Cougars just joined Class AAA last year with a very young roster – only four seniors – but they obviously have got a lot of talent. So I figure we are going to see a lot more of them and a lot more strong play, which I am looking forward to.

At this point I would like to introduce to you two incredible young women, who are the cocaptains. They are Katie Dembrowski and Carli Herman, right up here with us; and that dynamic team of coaches, that dynamic team of coaches, Kristi Costello – she was back on the field just this week playing for the first time herself, so I guess that kneecap is finally put back together again – and her dad, Kent Harshman, who filled the role when she needed him, as dads always do. The rest of the team is seated in the back of the chamber, so if you will say hello to everybody back there. What a team. I want to

congratulate all these young women, and I have a feeling that little Camryn Jo – is that her name? – little Camryn Jo is going to be an honorary member of that team forever and sitting on the sidelines a lot.

So it is with great pride I present the citation to the State championship field hockey team from Palmyra Area High School. Congratulations.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you.

CONDOLENCE RESOLUTION

The SPEAKER. Members, we are about to take up a condolence resolution on the death of a former member of the House. The Sergeants at Arms will close the doors of the House and members will please take their seats.

We invite Representative Sheryl DeLozier, but the clerk is going to read the resolution first. Clerk, thank you very much.

The following resolution was read:

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

CONDOLENCE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The House of Representatives of Pennsylvania wishes to honor the memory of the Honorable Daniel Edward Beren, a former member of the House of Representatives of Pennsylvania serving the 153rd Legislative District, who passed away at the age of eighty-five on December 14, 2014; and

WHEREAS, Born in Philadelphia on November 3, 1929, Mr. Beren was a graduate of Cheltenham High School, the Pennington Preparatory School, Baldwin-Wallace College and the Temple University School of Law, and he was a veteran of the United States Army. He was elected to the House of Representatives of Pennsylvania in 1967 and was reelected for four additional terms. To his great credit, he was the author of the first piece of legislation in the nation to offer tax credits to the business community for involvement in social concerns. Now called the Neighborhood Assistance Act, it is lauded as a model throughout the country. Mr. Beren served on numerous committees and served as Chairman of the Montgomery County Republican Party prior to his retirement from public service in 1977. He then practiced law in Harrisburg and Wormleysburg and served as Managing Partner of the Buchanan, Ingersoll and Rooney, P.C., Harrisburg office. He joined his wife, Joan Cranmer Beren, in marriage on July 7, 1956, and enjoyed fifty years of matrimony prior to her passing from idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis (IPF) in 2006, after which Mr. Beren strove to fight the disease. His efforts led to the establishment of the Daniel and Joan Beren PA-IPF Registry. Additionally, he served on the Board of the Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation. A beloved family man and avowed community steward, Mr. Beren exemplified the best qualities of the human experience. He generously gave of himself to enhance the quality of life of his community, and his loss will be felt by the many individuals who knew and loved him; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania proclaim with enduring sorrow the passing of the Honorable Daniel Edward Beren; and extend heartfelt condolences to his son, Day; daughters, Sandra and Jane; six grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and many other family members and friends; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution, sponsored by Representatives Madeleine Dean and Sheryl M. Delozier on January 7, 2015, be transmitted to the family of the Honorable Daniel Edward Beren.

Madeleine Dean, Sponsor
 Sheryl M. Delozier, Sponsor
 Mike Turzai, Speaker of the House
 ATTEST:
 Anthony Frank Barbush, Chief Clerk of the House

On the question,
 Will the House adopt the resolution?

The SPEAKER. Our sponsors will be speaking shortly, but at this time those in favor of the resolution will rise and remain standing as a mark of respect for the deceased former member. Guests, please also rise.

(Whereupon, the members of the House and all visitors stood in a moment of silence in solemn respect to the memory of the Honorable Daniel Edward Beren.)

The SPEAKER. The resolution has been unanimously adopted.

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

REMARKS BY MS. DELOZIER

The SPEAKER. I call upon Representative Sheryl Delozier, who is recognized to speak.

Ms. DELOZIER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I am here today with Representative Dean to remember a man who most of us knew, a lot of us worked with, and the lucky ones called him a friend. I was lucky enough to be all three, and I would have to say even luckier to count him as a constituent as a resident in Wormleysburg.

Dan Beren was many things. To name a few, he was a former legislator for 10 years with the 153d District, he was a veteran, he was a lawyer, he was a mentor, lobbyist, father of three, grandfather of six, great-grandfather of three, and husband to Joan for 50 years.

FAMILY INTRODUCED

Ms. DELOZIER. Today we have with us Dan's daughters, Sandie and Jane; and son-in-law, Julian. Would you please rise to be recognized.

When I knew we were going to honor Dan, I spoke to many members that knew Dan, Republicans and Democrats, and I found many of the same words to describe him: "a true gentleman," "giving to a fault," "fair," "kind," "respectful," "knowledgeable," "balanced." Many Representatives – and I heard this more than once – many said that even when you did not agree with Dan on an issue, you knew you would get a fair interpretation of the issue. A few other descriptions that came along that told a side of Dan as well as he was called a prince, a cool guy, and such a dresser.

Dan was all of those things, but he was also an advocate, and as is mentioned in the resolution, I had learned that firsthand. Certainly when I ran, he gave me advice and his input and guidance, but one advocacy that he held close to his heart was the idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis, IPF, the disease he lost his wife, Joan, to in 2006. IPF was something he educated people on, and he served on boards and established the Daniel and Joan Beren PA-IPF Registry. And he took this personal issue on like he did everything else in life – with passion, energy, and pride.

Those of us that had the honor of knowing him will miss him, but his family will miss him most. We thank you for letting us borrow so much of his time and energy while he was a Representative and while he worked to educate all of us on issues. He was a role model who has set the bar very high for all of us that have come after him. We will all be better for living up to his standard. We will miss his quiet statesmanship and never forget the impact that he had.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

REMARKS BY MRS. DEAN

The SPEAKER. Representative Dean, the floor is yours. Thank you.

Mrs. DEAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

It is my honor to stand with my colleague today and offer this condolence resolution for Representative Daniel Edward Beren.

I did not know Representative Beren, but I wish I did, because he certainly is a model for me. I am his successor in the 153d. He served in my very seat for 10 years, in Abington.

What I like about his life story and what I like about his service are a couple of things already highlighted, but I want to just hit them again: his commitment to honest government, his work regarding idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis and how he passionately brought a spotlight to that deadly disease, and his progressivism. He was the author, the first-in-the-country author of the Neighborhood Assistance Program, a piece of legislation that I am trying to add to for veterans, investment in veteran housing.

If you read some of the descriptions of him, and one that I like the most was that – here are the words that were used to describe him by one of the authors – he was "gracious, caring, prepared, and respected." What a role model for me; what a role model for all of us.

The family has my deepest sympathy and my honor to serve in his seat. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Representatives.

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the Appropriations chair, Bill Adolph, for an announcement.

Mr. ADOLPH. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, there will be an immediate meeting of the Appropriations Committee in the majority caucus room. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. There will be an immediate meeting of the Appropriations Committee in the majority caucus room.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority caucus chair, Sandra Major, for an announcement.

Ms. MAJOR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to announce Republicans will caucus today at 12:15. I would ask our Republican members to please report to our caucus room at 12:15. We would be prepared to come back on the floor, Mr. Speaker, at 2:15. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Madam Chair.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes the minority caucus chair, Representative Frankel.

Mr. FRANKEL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Democrats will also caucus at 12:15. Democrats will caucus at 12:15. Thank you.

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. The Speaker recognizes Chairman John Taylor for an announcement.

Mr. TAYLOR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The House Transportation Committee will meet in room 205, Ryan Office Building, at 12:10; Ryan Office Building at 12:10. We have a heavy agenda, but we can move it quickly to get members to caucus if they arrive 10 minutes after the Appropriations Committee meeting. Thanks.

The SPEAKER. The Transportation Committee will meet in room 205, Ryan Office Building, at 12:10.

RECESS

The SPEAKER. The House will stand in recess until 2:15, unless sooner called back by the Speaker. Thank you.

AFTER RECESS

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

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER. The majority whip indicates that the good lady from Bucks County, Representative WATSON, will be marked on leave of absence for the day.

And the minority whip has indicated and requested a leave of absence for Representative Dan MILLER of Allegheny County for the day. Those leaves will be granted, without objection.

BILLS REREPORTED FROM COMMITTEE**HB 72, PN 63**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Title 20 (Decedents, Estates and Fiduciaries) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in ownership of property, legal title and equitable estate, further providing for right to dispose of a decedent's remains.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 217, PN 210

By Rep. ADOLPH

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

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 342, PN 1050

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), known as the Pennsylvania Election Code, in nomination of candidates, further providing for number of signers required for nomination petitions of candidates at primaries.

APPROPRIATIONS.

**BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE,
CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED****HB 329, PN 1195** (Amended)

By Rep. TAYLOR

An Act designating a portion of Pennsylvania Route 22 in Mifflin County as the Corporal John S. Valent Memorial Highway.

TRANSPORTATION.

HB 363, PN 1196 (Amended)

By Rep. TAYLOR

An Act designating a portion of Davisville Road in Upper Moreland Township, Montgomery County, from State Route 611, also known as York Road, to Terwood Road as the PFC Robert S. Alexander Memorial Highway.

TRANSPORTATION.

HB 475, PN 1197 (Amended)

By Rep. TAYLOR

An Act designating a portion of State Route 22/322 in Juniata County as the Honorable Daniel F. Clark Memorial Highway.

TRANSPORTATION.

HB 629, PN 729

By Rep. TAYLOR

An Act designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 3005 over the outlet of Lily Lake, Conyngham Township, Luzerne County, as the Senior Officer Eric J. Williams Memorial Bridge.

TRANSPORTATION.

HB 696, PN 810

By Rep. TAYLOR

An Act amending the act of June 26, 2014 (P.L.790, No.77), entitled "An act designating the 700 to 800 block of U.S. Route 13, also known as the Chester Pike, in Prospect Park Borough, Delaware County, as the Officers Luke Arlington Conner and John Horace Callaghan Memorial Highway," further providing for the Officers Luke Arlington Conner and John Horace Callaghan Memorial Highway.

TRANSPORTATION.

HB 720, PN 1198 (Amended)

By Rep. TAYLOR

An Act designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 155 over the Allegheny River, Port Allegany Borough and Liberty Township, McKean County, as the Port Allegany Veterans Memorial Bridge; and designating a bridge on that portion of Local Route T-325 over the Allegheny River, Coudersport Borough, Potter County, as the Lt. William E. Daisley, Jr., Memorial Bridge.

TRANSPORTATION.

HB 735, PN 869 By Rep. TAYLOR

An Act designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 147 over the Wiconisco Creek, Millersburg Borough, Dauphin County, as the Private Warren Snyder Memorial Bridge.

TRANSPORTATION.

HB 863, PN 1047 By Rep. TAYLOR

An Act designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 3006 over Spring Creek, Bellefonte Borough, Centre County, as the Bellefonte Veterans Bridge.

TRANSPORTATION.

HB 866, PN 1199 (Amended) By Rep. TAYLOR

An Act designating a portion of State Route 15 in Lycoming County as the Kelly Rae Mertes DUI Awareness Memorial Highway.

TRANSPORTATION.

SB 79, PN 55 By Rep. TAYLOR

An Act amending the act of July 2, 2014 (P.L.876, No.98), entitled "An act designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 15 over the Yellow Breeches Creek, Carroll Township, York County, as the Glenn Bowers Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge on that portion of 17th Street over the 10th Avenue Expressway, City of Altoona, Blair County, as the Blair County Veterans Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 764 over 31st Street, City of Altoona, Blair County, as the Alvin E. Morrison Memorial Bridge; designating West Erie Avenue from its intersection with North Second Street in Philadelphia City, Philadelphia County, to the point where it meets North Front Street in Philadelphia City, Philadelphia County, as Roberto Clemente Way; designating the interchange at the crossing of State Route 33 and Main Street (State Route 1022) in Palmer Township, Northampton County, as the Charles Chrin Interchange; designating the interchange between the portion of State Route 3009 and State Route 119 in South Union Township, Fayette County, as the Fred L. Lebder Interchange; and designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 711 over the Youghiogheny River in the City of Connellsville, Fayette County, as the Officer Robb McCray Memorial Bridge," further providing for Officer Robb McCray Memorial Bridge.

TRANSPORTATION.

**RESOLUTION REPORTED
FROM COMMITTEE**

HR 168, PN 1200 (Amended) By Rep. TAYLOR

A Resolution urging the Department of Transportation to update its regulation on the documentation required for a name change to a driver's license or identification card.

TRANSPORTATION.

The SPEAKER. Members, we would ask that you please report to the floor. We are going to be moving to the House calendar. Members, please report to the floor. We are moving to votes on the House calendar.

CALENDAR CONTINUED

BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 753, PN 1052**, entitled:

An Act establishing the Pennsylvania Long-term Care Council; providing for its powers and duties; and repealing related provisions of the Public Welfare Code.

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 423, PN 458**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in school health services, providing for administration of epinephrine auto-injectors by school bus drivers.

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 762, PN 1051**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in preliminary provisions, providing for powers and duties of the Secretary of Education.

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 341, PN 363**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 68 (Real and Personal Property) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in general provisions, further providing for definitions; and, in seller disclosures, further providing for disclosure form.

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

LEAVE OF ABSENCE CANCELED

The SPEAKER. The minority whip has requested that the good gentleman, Representative Galloway, please be marked on the master roll call for today and taken off leave of absence. Without objection, that is granted.

Members, if you could please take your seats. We are moving to second consideration of bills with amendments.

BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 34, PN 356**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, extensively revising statutory arbitration; and making editorial changes.

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

Mr. **GRELL** offered the following amendment No. **A00543**:

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 2 and 3, by striking out "the Uniform Arbitration Act" and inserting
statutory arbitration

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 6 through 18; pages 2 through 12, lines 1 through 30; page 13, lines 1 through 23; by striking out all of said lines on said pages and inserting

Section 1. Chapter 73 of Title 42 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a subchapter to read:

Amend Bill, page 13, line 25, by inserting before
"STATUTORY"

REVISED

Amend Bill, page 16, lines 17 through 22, by striking out all of said lines and inserting

(b) Prior agreements.—For an agreement to arbitrate made before the effective date of this subchapter, except as set forth in subsections (c) and (d):

(1) If all the parties to the agreement or to the arbitration proceeding agree in a record that this subchapter governs the agreement, this subchapter governs the agreement.

(2) If paragraph (1) does not apply, Subchapter A (relating to statutory arbitration) governs the agreement.

(c) Absolute date.—Beginning January 1, 2017:

(1) Except as set forth in paragraph (2), this

Amend Bill, page 16, by inserting between lines 25 and 26

(2) This subchapter does not govern an agreement to arbitrate made by the Commonwealth or a Commonwealth agency prior to the effective date of this subchapter unless the parties have expressly provided in writing to the contrary.

Amend Bill, page 37, line 27, by striking out "3" and inserting
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Amend Bill, page 38, line 1, by striking out the bracket before
"A"

Amend Bill, page 38, line 1, by striking out "] A.1"

Amend Bill, page 38, line 2, by inserting after "arbitration)"
or A.1 (relating to revised statutory arbitration)

Amend Bill, page 38, line 10, by inserting after "to"
revised

Amend Bill, page 39, line 16, by striking out "4" and inserting
3

Amend Bill, page 39, lines 19 through 22, by striking out all of
said lines

Amend Bill, page 39, line 23, by striking out "6" and inserting
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On the question,
Will the House agree to the amendment?

The **SPEAKER**. On that question, the Chair recognizes
Mr. Grell.

Mr. Grell, please wait just a second.

Members, we are proceeding on second consideration. It is
amendment 543 to HB 34. I would ask for everybody's
attention, please. Members, if we could, please take your seats.

We are on amendment 543 to HB 34, and I am going to give the
floor here to Representative Grell, whose amendment it is. So,
members, please take your seats and let us give Representative
Grell our attention.

Representative Grell, on amendment 543.

Mr. **GRELL**. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This amendment to the revised Uniform Arbitration Act is
being offered at the request of the Office of Attorney General to
make sure that none of the changes in the Arbitration Act would
adversely affect one particular piece of litigation, that being the
tobacco settlement litigation, which is currently in process, and
I am not aware of any objections to the amendment.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The **SPEAKER**. Thank you, sir.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

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Delozier	Jozwiak	Parker, C.	Ward
DeLuca	Kampf	Parker, D.	Warner
Dermody	Kaufner	Pashinski	Waters
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NAYS-0

NOT VOTING-0

EXCUSED-5

Bishop Miller, D. Stephens Watson
Hackett

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.

The SPEAKER. The bill as amended will be reprinted.

FORMER MEMBER WELCOMED

The SPEAKER. Members, I would like to introduce a special guest to the House, a member of our judiciary, Supreme Court Justice Corry Stevens and former member of the House of Representatives. Thank you so much for being with us, Justice Stevens.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 272, PN 1048**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of November 29, 2006 (P.L.1471, No.165), known as the Sexual Assault Testing and Evidence Collection Act, further providing for the title of the act, for definitions and for sexual assault evidence collection program; and providing for rights of sexual assault victims.

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

Mr. **MARSICO** offered the following amendment No. **A00490**:

Amend Bill, page 3, by inserting between lines 7 and 8
"Sexual assault evidence." Rape kit evidence collected by a hospital or health care facility under the minimum standards published pursuant to 28 Pa. Code § 117.52(a)(1) (relating to minimum requirements for sexual assault emergency services).

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

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes Representative Marsico.

Mr. MARSICO. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This is an agreed-to amendment to clarify the terms "sexual assault evidence" and "rape kit" used in the existing law, and the bill referred to the same thing. So I would ask for a positive vote.

Once again, this is an agreed-to amendment.

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

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NAYS-0

NOT VOTING-0

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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.

The SPEAKER. The bill as amended will be reprinted.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 400, PN 1182**, entitled:

An Act providing for the Work Experience for High School Students with Disabilities Act; and imposing duties on the Office of Vocational Rehabilitation.

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?

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

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NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—5

Bishop	Miller, D.	Stephens	Watson
Hackett			

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 A

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 72, PN 63**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 20 (Decedents, Estates and Fiduciaries) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in ownership of property, legal title and equitable estate, further providing for right to dispose of a decedent's remains.

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?

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

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NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—5

Bishop	Miller, D.	Stephens	Watson
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The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 217, PN 210**, entitled:

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

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?

The good gentleman, Representative O'Brien, of Philadelphia County.

Mr. O'BRIEN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

As I often am, I am a little bit befuddled. It seems to me that at the dawn of this great Republic—

The SPEAKER. Members, please give Representative O'Brien the opportunity to speak here on the floor. Members, please take your seats. Members, please take your seats and give Representative O'Brien the courtesy of his points.

Representative O'Brien, the floor is yours.

Mr. O'BRIEN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

It seems to me at the dawn of this great Republic at the Boston Tea Party, American patriots disguised themselves as Indians as they threw the tea in the harbor. It seems to me that being a baby boomer, I spent a lot of Saturday afternoons watching a 13-inch black-and-white TV as the bandits came down over the hill to attack the stagecoach, their faces covered with a bandanna. Batman, Robin, the Green Lantern, all part of Americana. And it simply seems to me that this bill is a solution in search of a problem.

Certainly I will be a "no" vote.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Centre County, Mr. Conklin.

Mr. CONKLIN. Will the gentleman, Mr. Regan, the sponsor of this bill, stand for just a couple questions?

The SPEAKER. The good gentleman will stand for interrogation.

Mr. CONKLIN. Just a couple quick questions for the gentleman. Can you tell me what the fiscal impact will be to the counties, because we get a lot of jokes because a lot of us were former county commissioners and chairing the Prison Board for many years and having to charge the taxpayers daily for incarcerating criminals, can you tell me what type of cost you are looking at that is going to cost the taxpayers for the extra incarceration of an individual?

Mr. REGAN. I am being advised by counsel that the cost is minimal.

Mr. CONKLIN. The cost is minimal? So if we are charging anywhere from \$65 to \$45 a day per individual, are you sure you would consider that a minimal cost?

Mr. REGAN. The way the bill is written, it is not a mandatory sentence. It is an option at sentencing for the sentencing judge, so it is not anything that is in stone, that anyone who commits a robbery wearing a mask is going to receive this enhancement. It is an option available to the sentencing judge.

Mr. CONKLIN. When you talk about discretionary extra sentencing, can you give me a little bit of the guidelines. Is it going to be a day? Is it going to be a month? Are the judges going to have some type of guideline? Are they going to add 5 years like concealing — like having a weapon?

Mr. REGAN. Mr. Speaker, I am sorry; I did not hear the question. Could you repeat it, please?

Mr. CONKLIN. I am looking here, and it says, you "...shall provide for a sentencing enhancement..." that it is not an option. What are the sentencing enhancements? How many days? How many months? How many years?

Mr. REGAN. It is merely an option for the sentencing judge.

Mr. CONKLIN. I am sorry. When I see in the sentence "shall," it is not the same as "may."

No further questions.

Mr. REGAN. The word "shall" goes to the guidelines. It is not that the judge has to mandatorily sentence, to enhance the sentence.

Mr. CONKLIN. My question is, does that mandatorily raise the grading of the offense?

Mr. REGAN. It does not; it does not. The guidelines are merely advisory to the sentencing judge.

Mr. CONKLIN. Thank you. No more questions.

May I speak on the bill itself, Mr. Speaker?

The SPEAKER. Sir, do you want to speak on the bill?

Mr. CONKLIN. I do want to thank the gentleman, because I do respect him. He is a good individual, and I know he is trying to do the best.

But many times as we go down this road, one of the things that we battle with day in and day out is overincarceration, overpopulation in our prison system, and at the end of the day, when you look at what he is trying to do – and I do respect his intent on this bill – but it is quite clear that there are really no guidelines within this bill. So you could read it that does the judge decide it is 2 years extra? Does the judge decide it is a month extra? Do we do it for every crime? How much of the face has to be covered? Can we go into Internet crimes since they are not face to face but they are not showing their face?

I understand what he is trying to do, and like most everybody or, shall I say, everybody in this chamber, we all want to be safe, but in this particular incident, I think this is a bill that needs more work. I think it needs some more looking at before we go further with it.

So for that reason I am asking my colleagues to vote "no" on this. I do not see this as a law-and-order "no" vote. I just seem to look at this as a bill that is very open-ended, very loosely put that can be interpreted in many different ways, Mr. Speaker. So I am asking my colleagues, please vote "no" on this one. Give the good gentleman a chance that maybe he can look at it again and we can run this bill at a later date.

Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Representative Jordan Harris, Philadelphia County.

Mr. J. HARRIS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Will the maker of the bill please stand for brief interrogation?

The SPEAKER. The gentleman has agreed to interrogation.

Mr. J. HARRIS. Thank you.

Mr. Speaker, I would like to know the origin of the idea for this bill.

Mr. REGAN. Certainly, Mr. Speaker.

There was a serial robber in my area, specifically Representative Delozier's district, a serial armed robber who was carrying a large caliber handgun and wearing a mask and robbed I think six or seven local establishments. It was a very horrific time for that area that this person was going around and committing these robberies. It really was hard for police because he was wearing a mask and secreting his identity, which made the criminal investigation that surrounded the case much longer. They were very concerned that there was going to be a death, someone was going to be shot during the commission of one of these robberies because the person

seemed unstable. He was wearing a mask, and it was very difficult from a law enforcement perspective to track this individual down.

Additionally, I know from my time in Federal service that when there are bank robberies, the bank tellers, who are the ones who are confronted by masked robbers, are traumatized greatly by that encounter by someone who is wearing a mask during the commission of a robbery. I have had an opportunity to look at victim witness statements, which indicated that people were receiving or experiencing post-traumatic stress disorder and other ailments as a result of having to go through that horrible experience of being robbed by someone wearing a mask. So I think it is a problem that, you know, in an aggravated circumstance where a sentencing judge thinks it is appropriate at sentencing they can impose.

And I will also add that under current law, if someone commits a carjacking, there is a sentencing enhancement that was enacted by this legislature which allows for a sentencing enhancement in the case of a carjacking. So it is not something new. It is something that is in law currently, and I would ask for—

Well, thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, sir.

Mr. J. HARRIS. Mr. Speaker, on the bill?

The SPEAKER. Yes, Mr. Harris. Please, the floor is yours.

Mr. J. HARRIS. Mr. Speaker, I will not make judgment on the maker of the bill's intent. I believe the good gentleman when he says what his intent is. I think the unintended consequence of this bill is that it could be seen that we are pointing out a specific – we could be pointing out a specific religious belief with regards to this legislation. There are many folks in my district who have their face covered for their religious purpose. I think that the unintended consequence for this legislation could seem that we are targeting folks who wear those types of garbs for their religious beliefs.

Secondly, Mr. Speaker, I do not think we should be in the business of trying to enhance time on people who commit crimes because of apparel. It just does not make sense.

I would agree with my colleague that came before me that this is clearly a solution for a problem that is not there. We should be in the business of making those who bring terror to our communities, we should make them pay for the time for committing those crimes. I would agree with that. Mr. Speaker, I just do not believe that this is the way to go about it, and I think it is a cloak-and-dagger way of trying to go at a specific population of this Commonwealth. I think that is not what we should be doing here in this hall, and I will be voting "no" on this bill for those reasons.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, sir.

GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. Members, if we can, please, if I might just interrupt this debate just for a brief moment, and I do apologize.

I would like to introduce the State Champion Bethlehem Catholic Girls Volleyball Team. They are seated in the gallery and are the guests of Representative Samuelson and Representative Hahn. If you could, please, just wave to them and thank them for being here today. Thank you very much for visiting us here in this chamber.

CONSIDERATION OF HB 217 CONTINUED

The SPEAKER. We have two more speakers, please, on the bill, Representative Dean and then the maker of the bill. I, please, ask for everybody's attention to both of these members.

Representative Dean, the floor is yours.

Mrs. DEAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

And I wonder if the good gentleman, the maker of the bill, would stand for brief interrogation?

The SPEAKER. The gentleman has agreed to stand for interrogation.

Mrs. DEAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Just for clarification, when would the accused get notice under your bill of the sentencing enhancement?

Mr. REGAN. I am being told by counsel, Mr. Speaker, that the court is not required to advise, that they can advise at sentencing.

Mrs. DEAN. So postconviction?

Mr. REGAN. Yes.

Mrs. DEAN. Okay.

And then the other thing that I was wondering about, there was some discussion – and I do not think I heard the whole thing – as I read this bill, it is a "shall" provision. The sentencing guidelines "...shall provide for a sentencing enhancement..." It is not discretionary. It is a "shall" clause.

Mr. REGAN. Again, I would say, Mr. Speaker, that the "shall" applies to the guidelines. The guidelines are merely advisory at sentencing.

Mrs. DEAN. Well, I thank you for your answer to that.

My last set of questions has to do with what kinds of apparel do you anticipate would trigger the sentencing enhancement? What apparel would a person have to be wearing?

Mr. REGAN. The intent of the bill, Mr. Speaker, is someone who is purposefully covering their face in order not to be detected by police, by surveillance equipment, by any other means which would detect their identity and would cause them to be arrested. So if someone is wearing, you know, a hood but not pulled it tight over their face, I mean, there is going to be an opportunity for the judge to interpret this, because it is an option for the judge, but I think it should be pretty cut and dried. My intent was that the person is intentionally covering their face so they cannot be identified by employees of the establishment that they are robbing or by surveillance equipment.

Mrs. DEAN. Can you identify beyond a loosely fitting hood what might be some of the apparel that you expect to be criminalizing?

Mr. REGAN. Well, let me just add, Mr. Speaker, that this is going to be – it would end up being a fact question for the judge. So if the prosecution would like to make the presentation that they think this enhancement should be used, they would have to make a fact presentation to the court and the court would make a determination.

Mrs. DEAN. So if a person is wearing a bandanna over his or her mouth, that would probably be a qualifier?

Mr. REGAN. If it is determined that their intention was to hide their identity, then yes, it would be.

Mrs. DEAN. Okay. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

If I may speak on the bill?

The SPEAKER. Representative Dean, you may. The floor is yours.

Mrs. DEAN. Thank you very much.

I, too, admire my colleague who wrote this bill and the intentions that I know he brings with that because he is interested in our safety, in law enforcement, in convictions of those who do wrong. Unfortunately, I just think this misses the mark, because what is the underlying offense? It is the behavior, the robbery. I do not believe that we should criminalize outfits, apparel, or a person holding a piece of paper up to his or her face or a person in some sort of religious garb. Criminalizing apparel is an offshoot of this, and I think it is an unintended consequence. It should not be what is the outcome of our legislation. We need to criminalize criminal behavior. In this case, we are talking about criminalizing robbery.

Unfortunately, I have had the experience of being in a bank robbery. I was not the perpetrator, just to forestall that question. I was a customer. I was not wearing a mask. I was a customer. And to your very point, it is traumatic when you are in a bank robbery, let me tell you, and it was not traumatic because the two guys holding up the bank were wearing hoodies. It was traumatic because of their actions, of their behavior, of the crime they were committing.

So while I believe this is well-intended, I absolutely believe it is unnecessary and it is criminalizing apparel. I will be a "no" vote. Thanks, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Representative.

The prime sponsor of the bill, Representative Regan, the floor is yours.

Mr. REGAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This bill criminalizes not the way someone is dressed. It criminalizes intent – someone intends to hide their identity during the commission of a robbery, someone who makes it more difficult for the police to track them down and arrest them, someone who every time he walks into another establishment to commit an armed robbery wearing a mask, we run the risk of something terrible happening, a tragedy, an accidental discharge or an intentional discharge of a firearm.

Additionally, I think it is important that we recognize victims, and I think this bill does recognize victims and it aids police. And I would ask for my colleagues' full support.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Representative Regan.

Representative Day of Lehigh County. Representative Day.

Mr. DAY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of this action today. Concealing your identity in the commission of a crime aids a criminal, it aids the criminal in what they are doing, and it allows them to possibly evade criminal conviction. This is something that is very obvious to me to be in support of, and that is why I rise today.

California, "shall" provision; Washington, DC, "shall"; Florida, "shall"; Georgia, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Virginia. Obstructing the ability for us to capture these individuals is criminal. We criminalize flight, escape, all other components that add to the underlying criminal action. And to me, I rise in support of this because some of our colleagues today have talked about not to criminalize this activity of concealing your identity on purpose to help with the evasion of the due process of criminal law.

Mr. Speaker, I thank you for the time today, and I urge all my colleagues to vote in favor of this measure.

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—152

Adolph	Gabler	Longietti	Readshaw
Baker	Gergely	Mackenzie	Reed
Barbin	Gibbons	Maher	Reese
Barrar	Gillen	Major	Regan
Benninghoff	Gillespie	Maloney	Roae
Bizzarro	Gingrich	Marshall	Ross
Bloom	Godshall	Marsico	Rozzi
Boback	Goodman	Masser	Sabatina
Boyle	Greiner	Matzie	Sacone
Brown, R.	Grell	McGinnis	Sainato
Burns	Grove	Mentzer	Samuelson
Caltagirone	Hahn	Metcalfe	Sankey
Causar	Hanna	Metzgar	Santarsiero
Christiana	Harhai	Miccarelli	Santora
Corbin	Harhart	Millard	Saylor
Costa, D.	Harper	Miller, B.	Schemel
Cox	Harris, A.	Milne	Schweyer
Culver	Heffley	Moul	Simmons
Cutler	Helm	Mullery	Sonney
Davis	Hennessey	Murt	Staats
Day	Hickernell	Mustio	Tallman
Deasy	Hill	Nesbit	Taylor
Delozier	Irvin	Neuman	Tobash
DeLuca	James	O'Neill	Toepel
Dermody	Jozwiak	Oberlander	Toohil
Diamond	Kampf	Ortitay	Topper
DiGirolamo	Kaufner	Parker, D.	Truitt
Dunbar	Kauffman	Payne	Vereb
Dush	Keller, F.	Peifer	Vitali
Ellis	Keller, M.K.	Petrarca	Ward
Emrick	Keller, W.	Petri	Warner
English	Killion	Pickett	Wentling
Evankovich	Klunk	Pyle	Wheeland
Everett	Knowles	Quigley	White
Farina	Kortz	Quinn	Zimmerman
Farry	Kotik	Rader	
Fee	Krieger	Rapp	Turzai,
Flynn	Lawrence	Ravenstahl	Speaker
Freeman	Lewis		

NAYS—46

Acosta	Davidson	Harris, J.	Pashinski
Bradford	Dawkins	Kavulich	Roebuck
Briggs	Dean	Kim	Schlossberg
Brown, V.	DeLissio	Kinsey	Schreiber
Brownlee	Donatucci	Kirkland	Sims
Carroll	Driscoll	Mahoney	Snyder
Cohen	Evans	Markosek	Sturla
Conklin	Fabrizio	McCarter	Thomas
Costa, P.	Frankel	McNeill	Waters
Cruz	Gainey	O'Brien	Wheatley
Daley, M.	Galloway	Parker, C.	Youngblood
Daley, P.	Harkins		

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—5

Bishop	Miller, D.	Stephens	Watson
Hackett			

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 342, PN 1050**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), known as the Pennsylvania Election Code, in nomination of candidates, further providing for number of signers required for nomination petitions of candidates at primaries.

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?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—198

Acosta	Evankovich	Klunk	Rapp
Adolph	Evans	Knowles	Ravenstahl
Baker	Everett	Kortz	Readshaw
Barbin	Fabrizio	Kotik	Reed
Barrar	Farina	Krieger	Reese
Benninghoff	Farry	Lawrence	Regan
Bizzarro	Fee	Lewis	Roae
Bloom	Flynn	Longietti	Roebuck
Boback	Frankel	Mackenzie	Ross
Boyle	Freeman	Maher	Rozzi
Bradford	Gabler	Mahoney	Sabatina
Briggs	Gainey	Major	Sacone
Brown, R.	Galloway	Maloney	Sainato
Brown, V.	Gergely	Markosek	Samuelson
Brownlee	Gibbons	Marshall	Sankey
Burns	Gillen	Marsico	Santarsiero
Caltagirone	Gillespie	Masser	Santora
Carroll	Gingrich	Matzie	Saylor
Causar	Godshall	McCarter	Schemel
Christiana	Goodman	McGinnis	Schlossberg
Cohen	Greiner	McNeill	Schreiber
Conklin	Grell	Mentzer	Schweyer
Corbin	Grove	Metcalfe	Simmons
Costa, D.	Hahn	Metzgar	Sims
Costa, P.	Hanna	Miccarelli	Snyder
Cox	Harhai	Millard	Sonney
Cruz	Harhart	Miller, B.	Staats
Culver	Harkins	Milne	Sturla
Cutler	Harper	Moul	Tallman
Daley, M.	Harris, A.	Mullery	Taylor
Daley, P.	Harris, J.	Murt	Thomas
Davidson	Heffley	Mustio	Tobash
Davis	Helm	Nesbit	Toepel
Dawkins	Hennessey	Neuman	Toohil
Day	Hickernell	O'Brien	Topper

Dean	Hill	O'Neill	Truitt
Deasy	Irvin	Oberlander	Vereb
DeLissio	James	Ortitay	Vitali
Delozier	Jozwiak	Parker, C.	Ward
DeLuca	Kampf	Parker, D.	Warner
Dermody	Kaufer	Pashinski	Waters
Diamond	Kauffman	Payne	Wentling
DiGirolamo	Kavulich	Peifer	Wheatley
Donatucci	Keller, F.	Petrarca	Wheeland
Driscoll	Keller, M.K.	Petri	White
Dunbar	Keller, W.	Pickett	Youngblood
Dush	Killion	Pyle	Zimmerman
Ellis	Kim	Quigley	
Emrick	Kinsey	Quinn	Turzai,
English	Kirkland	Rader	Speaker

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—5

Bishop	Miller, D.	Stephens	Watson
Hackett			

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

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

CALENDAR CONTINUED

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 447, PN 1037**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 6, 1951 (P.L.69, No.20), known as The Landlord and Tenant Act of 1951, providing for death of a tenant.

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

Mr. **SCHWEYER** offered the following amendment No. **A00448**:

Amend Bill, page 1, line 5, by inserting after "thereto," in recovery of possession,

Amend Bill, page 1, line 5, by inserting after "for" termination of lease due to

Amend Bill, page 1, line 5, by inserting after "tenant" ; and, in tenement buildings and multiple dwelling premises, providing for eviction for unlawful discharge of firearm in occupied structure

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 8 through 10, by striking out all of said lines and inserting

Section 1. The act of April 6, 1951 (P.L.69, No.20), known as The Landlord and Tenant Act of 1951, is amended by adding sections to read:

Amend Bill, page 1, line 11, by inserting after "514."

Termination of Lease due to

Amend Bill, page 2, by inserting between lines 13 and 14

Section 506-A. Eviction for Unlawful Discharge of a Firearm in an Occupied Structure.—(a) The conviction of a tenant for unlawful discharge of a firearm in any portion of an occupied structure in

violation of 18 Pa.C.S. § 2707.1 (relating to discharge of a firearm into an occupied structure) shall constitute forfeiture of the lease for breach of its conditions and shall be grounds for removal of the tenant and recovery of possession by the landlord in accordance with section 501.

(b) Failure of the landlord to remove the tenant and recover possession under subsection (a) shall not act as a waiver of the landlord's rights with regard to the same or any other tenant relating to any subsequent act or violation.

(c) The term "occupied structure" shall have the meaning given to it under 18 Pa.C.S. § 2707.1 and, for the purposes of this section, shall include any portion of a single-family dwelling, apartment, multiple dwelling premises or tenement building.

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

The SPEAKER. Representative Schweyer.
Mr. SCHWEYER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I rise today to ask for an affirmative vote for amendment 448 to HB 447. This amendment would strengthen the Landlord and Tenant Act to allow a landlord to terminate a lease with a tenant if that tenant is convicted – and the key word there, sir, is "convicted" – of an unlawful discharge of a firearm. To be clear, this amendment is designed to go after those convicted of a homicide, firearms discharges during a drug deal, shooting at a police officer, those sorts of things, Mr. Speaker.

Under current law, specifically subsection 250.505-A, Pennsylvania outlines the ability of a landlord to terminate a lease with a tenant based on acts relating to illegal drugs. So in other words, landlords can terminate leases already by Pennsylvania law if the person is convicted of the sale, manufacturing, or distribution of illegal drugs.

Now, Mr. Speaker, during my time as a municipal official, I learned how powerful of a tool this can actually be, especially in areas where single-family homes were converted into multiunit facilities. Our law enforcement officers would often ask neighbors of someone under suspicion of selling, manufacturing, or distributing drugs. They were able to tell those potential witnesses that if convicted, their neighbors would not be able to move back into those apartments. Amendment 448 would take essentially that same framework and extend the right to terminate a lease for instances where a tenant is convicted of an unlawful discharge of a firearm.

Mr. Speaker, this amendment will provide comfort to neighbors who are considering testifying against another neighbor, give our code and building enforcement officers another tool to help weed out problem tenants, and more clearly define the responsibilities of a tenant.

Because this amendment has been specifically written to say convicted – not suspected – and unlawful, my colleagues should know that this would not infringe upon anyone's Second Amendment freedoms, and it would in no way reduce or inhibit a person's constitutional right to bear a firearm or defend him or herself. Again, we are talking about assault with a deadly weapon, attempted homicide, and firearms discharge during a drug transaction.

Mr. Speaker, this is a simple, commonsense change to the Landlord and Tenant Act, and I respectfully urge a "yes" vote. Thank you, sir.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman and recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Petri, on the amendment.

Mr. PETRI. Mr. Speaker, I must rise to oppose this amendment for some simple reasons. Number one, every lease already has a provision in it that the landlord is allowed to evict somebody for any unlawful activity. Mr. Speaker, if we start delineating all the items that must be placed in a lease or in law in order to allow somebody to be evicted, we would have to add every crime under the Crimes Code, and you would effectively reduce the effectiveness of the plain language of every lease that says that if the tenant commits an unlawful activity – it does not matter what it is, it could be disturbing the peace – they are evicted, if the landlord does what the landlord is supposed to do.

So this is unnecessary. It weakens the landlord's lease, because it makes it seem as though if it is not enumerated in statute, it is not something that the landlord can do. It flies in the face of logic and it is not necessary. I therefore ask the members respectfully to vote "no."

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman and recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Barbin, on the amendment.

Mr. BARBIN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I respectfully disagree with the last speaker.

I represent an Act 47 municipality in Johnstown. We have gone over this issue many times with the problems we are currently having with heroin overdoses in our city. I think it is true in a lot of third-class municipalities like Allentown, there are procedures that you can go to the district attorney and ask a landlord to evict a tenant who is involved in drug activities, but it is not something that is well-known, and it is not something that is used day to day for purposes of eviction. So I just disagree that the current landlord-tenant law provides help.

Right now our Act 47 municipalities need that help. This will provide additional abilities to city managers, to mayors, and to district attorneys to get landlords to cooperate to evict people who should not be in our third-class cities. So I will be voting for this amendment.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman and recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Schweyer, for the second time.

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

I would just like to point out that this mirrors language that is already in the Landlord and Tenant Act that focuses on drug convictions. And if this body and if the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania historically has been so concerned about drug offenses that we are allowing landlords to terminate a lease based on somebody being convicted of dealing heroin or manufacturing methamphetamines, then why would we object to terminating a lease based upon shooting at a cop, based upon trying to shoot your spouse, or discharging a weapon during an unlawful entry?

I mean, Mr. Speaker, we already have language that says we can terminate a lease if somebody is manufacturing drugs. All this does is strengthens the Landlord and Tenant Act to say, once again, you are able to terminate a lease if somebody is

convicted of an unlawful discharge of a firearm. Furthermore, Mr. Speaker, this language, again, strengthens the whole Landlord and Tenant Act, and frankly, I think it is a very fine addition to the Landlord and Tenant Act.

Thank you, sir.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—83

Acosta	Dawkins	Harhai	Pashinski
Barbin	Dean	Harkins	Petrarca
Bizzarro	Deasy	Harris, J.	Ravenstahl
Boyle	DeLissio	Kavulich	Readshaw
Bradford	DeLuca	Keller, W.	Roebuck
Briggs	Dermody	Kim	Rozzi
Brown, R.	Donatucci	Kinsey	Sabatina
Brown, V.	Driscoll	Kirkland	Sainato
Brownlee	English	Kortz	Samuelson
Burns	Evans	Kotik	Santarsiero
Caltagirone	Fabrizio	Longietti	Schlossberg
Carroll	Farina	Mahoney	Schreiber
Cohen	Flynn	Markosek	Schweyer
Conklin	Frankel	Matzie	Sims
Costa, D.	Freeman	McCarter	Snyder
Costa, P.	Gainey	McNeill	Sturla
Cruz	Galloway	Millard	Vitali
Daley, M.	Gergely	Mullery	Waters
Daley, P.	Gibbons	Neuman	Wheatley
Davidson	Goodman	O'Brien	Youngblood
Davis	Hanna	Parker, C.	

NAYS—115

Adolph	Grell	Marshall	Regan
Baker	Grove	Marsico	Roae
Barrar	Hahn	Masser	Ross
Benninghoff	Harhart	McGinnis	Saccone
Bloom	Harper	Mentzer	Sankey
Boback	Harris, A.	Metcalfe	Santora
Causar	Heffley	Metzgar	Saylor
Christiana	Helm	Miccarelli	Schemel
Corbin	Hennessey	Miller, B.	Simmons
Cox	Hickernell	Milne	Sonney
Culver	Hill	Moul	Staats
Cutler	Irvin	Murt	Tallman
Day	James	Mustio	Taylor
Delozier	Jozwiak	Nesbit	Thomas
Diamond	Kampf	O'Neill	Tobash
DiGirolamo	Kaufner	Oberlander	Toepel
Dunbar	Kauffman	Ortitay	Toohil
Dush	Keller, F.	Parker, D.	Topper
Ellis	Keller, M.K.	Payne	Truitt
Emrick	Killion	Peifer	Vereb
Evankovich	Klunk	Petri	Ward
Everett	Knowles	Pickett	Warner
Farry	Krieger	Pyle	Wentling
Fee	Lawrence	Quigley	Wheeland
Gabler	Lewis	Quinn	White
Gillen	Mackenzie	Rader	Zimmerman
Gillespie	Maher	Rapp	
Gingrich	Major	Reed	Turzai, Speaker
Godshall	Maloney	Reese	
Greiner			

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED-5

Bishop Miller, D. Stephens Watson
Hackett

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

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. On that question, the Chair recognizes the gentlelady, Mrs. Dean.

Mrs. DEAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I have two other amendments to this piece of legislation, and I want to thank the good gentleman on the other side of the aisle, the chairman, and the leader for agreeing to run these in committee and to bring these up for a floor vote, because they are very important for release of tenants in very narrow circumstances. So I appreciate their commitment to bipartisan work. I will be withdrawing them today.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the lady very much.

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

BILLS RECOMMITTED

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

HB 34;
HB 272;
HB 341;
HB 423;
HB 447;
HB 753; and
HB 762.

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

BILLS REMOVED FROM TABLE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Speaker recognizes the majority leader, who moves that HB 160 and HB 239 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 pro tempore. Without objection, all remaining bills and resolutions on today's calendar will be passed over. The Chair hears no objection.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Representative Hill of York County is recognized, who moves that the House do now adjourn until Wednesday, April 15, 2015, 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 3:04 p.m., e.d.t., the House adjourned.