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### HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

**THE SPEAKER (MIKE TURZAI)  
PRESIDING**

#### PRAYER

HON. RICK SACCONI, member of the House of Representatives, offered the following prayer:

I ask you to please join with me, if you please, and bow your heads in prayer.

Father God, we come to You with praise and thanksgiving for all the blessings You have given us and our great nation. We ask You to make us worthy of the tasks You have set before us. Give us the wisdom to know that we must lean on You to solve our problems. Let us understand the foolishness of our own wisdom and turn to You. Help us to swallow our pride and lean on You.

Lord, take our burdens and heal us. As Your Word says, "Come unto Me, all you that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.... For My yoke is easy and My burden is light."

Lord, humble us before You. Heal our land and revive our yearning for You. Let us live so that we see You even in our enemies and let others, even when we are at our worst, see You in us.

Lord, we thank You for the endless blessings You have bestowed on this country since its inception. Let us always remember they came from You and not from our own efforts. We give all honor and praise to You.

Bless our troops in harm's way as they defend this great nation.

We ask all this in Your mighty name. Amen.

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Representative Sacconi.

#### JOURNAL APPROVAL POSTPONED

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the approval of the Journal of Wednesday, May 25, 2016, will be postponed until printed.

### JOURNALS APPROVED

The SPEAKER. The following 2015 Journals are in print and, without objection, will be approved:

Friday, December 18, 2015;  
Saturday, December 19, 2015;  
Sunday, December 20, 2015; and  
Monday, December 21, 2015.

The SPEAKER. How I remember those days.

### ACTUARIAL NOTES

The SPEAKER. The Speaker acknowledges receipt of actuarial notes for amendment Nos. 7430, 7441, 7547, 7557, 7717, 7840, and 7847. These are all to HB 1499, PN 3371.

And there is an actuarial note for amendment No. 7718 to HB 727, PN 1555.

(Copies of actuarial notes are on file with the Journal clerk.)

### BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEES, CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED

**HB 1415, PN 3450** (Amended) By Rep. HARHART

An Act amending the act of July 9, 1987 (P.L.220, No.39), known as the Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors Act, further providing for definitions, for reciprocity, for restriction on the use of title "licensed clinical social worker," for penalties and for unlawful practice; and repealing provisions related to appropriation.

#### PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE.

**HB 1531, PN 2301** By Rep. WATSON

An Act amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in adoption, further providing for alternative procedure for relinquishment.

#### CHILDREN AND YOUTH.

**HB 1532, PN 2302** By Rep. WATSON

An Act amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in adoption, further providing for the definition of "intermediary."

#### CHILDREN AND YOUTH.

**HB 2087, PN 3406**

By Rep. SAYLOR

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in terms and courses of study, further providing for fire and emergency evacuation drills.

## EDUCATION.

**SB 772, PN 1879 (Amended)**

By Rep. HARHART

An Act amending the act of March 23, 1972 (P.L.136, No.52), known as the Professional Psychologists Practice Act, further providing for definitions, for necessity for license, for qualifications for license, for refusal, suspension or revocation of license and for reporting of multiple licensure; making editorial changes; and making a related repeal.

## PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE.

**SB 837, PN 1671**

By Rep. HARHART

An Act amending the act of July 9, 1987 (P.L.220, No.39), known as the Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors Act, further providing for State Board of Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors, for restriction on the use of title "Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist" and for penalties.

## PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE.

### RESOLUTIONS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

**HR 483, PN 2222**

By Rep. WATSON

A Resolution supporting the establishment of a Presidential Youth Council.

## CHILDREN AND YOUTH.

**HR 910, PN 3442**

By Rep. SAYLOR

A Resolution directing the Joint State Government Commission to conduct a Statewide study on reducing the number of school districts in this Commonwealth.

## EDUCATION.

### BILLS SIGNED BY SPEAKER

Bills numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

**SB 590, PN 566**

An Act amending the act of July 5, 2012 (P.L.1102, No.132), known as the State System of Higher Education Intellectual Property Act, further providing for title of act, for short title, for definitions and for repeal.

**SB 1152, PN 1591**

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in other required equipment, further providing for restraint systems; and making an editorial change.

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

### HOUSE RESOLUTION INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

**No. 910** By Representatives VEREB, SAYLOR, V. BROWN, D. COSTA, DIAMOND, GERGELY, GIBBONS, GINGRICH, JOZWIAK, MAHONEY, MAJOR, MILLARD, MULLERY, NEILSON, PASHINSKI, PAYNE, SCHLOSSBERG, ZIMMERMAN, MENTZER and D. PARKER

A Resolution directing the Joint State Government Commission to conduct a Statewide study on reducing the number of school districts in this Commonwealth.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, June 1, 2016.

### HOUSE BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

**No. 1988** By Representatives KAVULICH, ROZZI, O'NEILL, JOZWIAK, MILLARD, D. COSTA, READSHAW, SAINATO, FARINA, HARHAI, MILNE and McNEILL

An Act amending the act of December 18, 1984 (P.L.1004, No.204), entitled "An act extending benefits to police chiefs or heads of police departments of political subdivisions of the Commonwealth who have been removed from bargaining units by the Pennsylvania Labor Relations Board," providing for fire officers.

Referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, June 1, 2016.

**No. 2104** By Representatives MARSICO, CALTAGIRONE, JAMES, DEAN, J. HARRIS, YOUNGBLOOD, M. K. KELLER, DRISCOLL, D. COSTA, SCHLOSSBERG, O'BRIEN, MARSHALL, WATSON, GROVE, JOZWIAK, GIBBONS, M. DALEY, ROEBUCK, KAVULICH, PHILLIPS-HILL, VEREB and DeLUCA

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in general provisions, further providing for definitions; in operation of vehicles, further providing for traffic-control signals and for pedestrian-control signals; and, in special vehicles and pedestrians, further providing for right-of-way of pedestrians in crosswalks.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, May 27, 2016.

**No. 2105** By Representatives BRIGGS, STEPHENS, V. BROWN, ROZZI, FREEMAN, VITALI, SCHLOSSBERG, NEILSON, WATSON, LONGIETTI, DeLISSIO, BOYLE, R. BROWN, D. COSTA, MARSHALL, M. DALEY and BRADFORD

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 study of secondary school start times.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, May 27, 2016.

**No. 2106** By Representatives D. MILLER, ENGLISH and ROZZI

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in professional employees, further providing for transferred programs and classes.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, May 27, 2016.

**No. 2107** By Representatives BAKER, MILLARD, SCHLOSSBERG, TOEPEL, PICKETT, CUTLER, MURT, DeLUCA, WHEELAND, ZIMMERMAN, PHILLIPS-HILL, WATSON, EVERETT, GROVE, PETRI, RAPP, FRANKEL, GILLEN, MOUL, BENNINGHOFF, KLUNK, KAUFER, SAYLOR and MACKENZIE

An Act amending Title 62 (Procurement) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for prohibited contracts.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, May 27, 2016.

**No. 2108** By Representatives MICCARELLI, TRUITT and NEILSON

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in the State System of Higher Education, further providing for powers and duties of board of governors.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, May 27, 2016.

**No. 2109** By Representatives GILLESPIE, PHILLIPS-HILL, COOK-ARTIS, GERGELY, DRISCOLL, PASHINSKI, BIZZARRO, WATSON, MILLARD, YOUNGBLOOD, LONGIETTI, GIBBONS, DIAMOND, WARD, SAYLOR, D. COSTA, HARHAI and HICKERNELL

An Act amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in child custody, further providing for standing for any form of physical custody or legal custody.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, May 27, 2016.

**No. 2110** By Representatives MULLERY, MILLARD, PETRARCA, D. COSTA, RADER, ENGLISH, EVERETT, SONNEY, DAVIS, PASHINSKI, NEILSON, GERGELY, GILLEN and ZIMMERMAN

An Act amending Title 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in hunting and furtaking licenses, further providing for unlawful acts concerning licenses.

Referred to Committee on GAME AND FISHERIES, May 27, 2016.

**No. 2113** By Representatives EVANKOVICH, MILLARD, CUTLER, WARD, SAYLOR and ZIMMERMAN

An Act amending Title 62 (Procurement) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, establishing the Public-Private Partnership Pilot Program and the State Public-Private Partnership Board.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, May 27, 2016.

**No. 2115** By Representatives QUINN, PICKETT, DeLUCA, J. HARRIS, V. BROWN, CALTAGIRONE, FARRY, PHILLIPS-HILL, KOTIK, MILLARD, MURT, READSHAW, WARD, WATSON and ZIMMERMAN

An Act amending the act of May 17, 1921 (P.L.789, No.285), known as The Insurance Department Act of 1921, in Insurance Department, providing for life insurance database.

Referred to Committee on INSURANCE, May 27, 2016.

**No. 2122** By Representatives SONNEY, D. COSTA, DeLUCA, ENGLISH, MILLARD, STURLA and MUSTIO

An Act amending the act of December 14, 1982 (P.L.1227, No.281), known as the Architects Licensure Law, further providing for definitions, for powers of board and for issuance and renewal of certificates.

Referred to Committee on PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, June 1, 2016.

**No. 2123** By Representatives SNYDER, KOTIK, CAUSER, GIBBONS and LONGIETTI

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in taxes for highway maintenance and construction, further providing for allocation of proceeds.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, June 1, 2016.

**No. 2125** By Representatives SACCONI, CHRISTIANA, PHILLIPS-HILL, PICKETT, KNOWLES, BLOOM, MACKENZIE, KAUFFMAN, JAMES, IRVIN, WARD, STAATS, LAWRENCE and ZIMMERMAN

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

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, June 2, 2016.

**No. 2126** By Representatives DAWKINS, FRANKEL, KINSEY, BISHOP, V. BROWN, COHEN, THOMAS, MAHONEY, MURT, KIRKLAND, D. COSTA, TOOHL, McNEILL, ROZZI, HELM and BRADFORD

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in pupils and attendance, prohibiting smoking at bus stops.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, June 2, 2016.

**No. 2127** By Representatives HARPER, V. BROWN, BULLOCK, GILLEN, MILLARD, MILNE, WARD and BOBACK

An Act amending the act of May 1, 1933 (P.L.216, No.76), known as The Dental Law, further providing for definitions.

Referred to Committee on PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, June 2, 2016.

**LEAVES OF ABSENCE**

The SPEAKER. The majority whip, Bryan Cutler, of Lancaster County has indicated the following members request leave of absence for the day: Representative MALONEY of Berks County, Representative MAHER of Allegheny County, and Representative MILNE of Chester County all for the day, and Representative PETRI of Bucks County for the week.

The minority whip, Mike Hanna, indicates that the following members request leaves of absence for the day: Representative CRUZ of Philadelphia, Representative Pete DALEY of Washington, Representative DeLUCA of Allegheny, Representative DONATUCCI of Philadelphia, Representative DRISCOLL of Philadelphia, Representative FREEMAN of Northampton, Representative GALLOWAY of Bucks, Representative ROEBUCK of Philadelphia, and Representative YOUNGBLOOD of Philadelphia. Without objection, those will be granted.

**MASTER ROLL CALL**

The SPEAKER. The Chair is going to turn to the master roll call, and members will proceed to vote.

The following roll call was recorded:

**PRESENT—189**

Acosta	Everett	Krueger	Reed
Adolph	Fabrizio	Lawrence	Reese
Artis	Farina	Lewis	Regan
Baker	Farry	Longietti	Roae
Barbin	Fee	Mackenzie	Ross
Barrar	Flynn	Mahoney	Rothman
Benninghoff	Frankel	Major	Rozzi
Bizzarro	Gabler	Markosek	Saccone
Bloom	Gainey	Marshall	Sainato
Boback	Gergely	Marsico	Samuelson
Boyle	Gibbons	Masser	Sankey
Bradford	Gillen	Matzie	Santarsiero
Briggs	Gillespie	McCarter	Santora
Brown, R.	Gingrich	McClinton	Savage
Brown, V.	Godshall	McGinnis	Saylor
Bullock	Goodman	McNeill	Schemel
Burns	Greiner	Mentzer	Schlossberg
Caltagirone	Grove	Metcalfe	Schreiber
Carroll	Hahn	Metzgar	Schweyer
Causser	Hanna	Miccarelli	Simmons
Christiana	Harhai	Millard	Sims
Cohen	Harhart	Miller, B.	Snyder
Conklin	Harkins	Miller, D.	Sonney
Corbin	Harper	Moul	Staats
Costa, D.	Harris, A.	Mullery	Stephens
Costa, P.	Harris, J.	Murt	Sturla
Cox	Heffley	Mustio	Tallman
Culver	Helm	Neilson	Taylor
Cutler	Hennessey	Nelson	Thomas
Daley, M.	Hickernell	Nesbit	Tobash
Davidson	Hill	Neuman	Toepel
Davis	Irvin	O'Brien	Toohil
Dawkins	James	O'Neill	Topper
Day	Jozwiak	Oberlander	Truitt
Dean	Kampf	Ortitay	Vereb
Deasy	Kaufer	Parker, D.	Vitali
DeLissio	Kauffman	Pashinski	Ward
Delozier	Kavulich	Payne	Warner
Dermody	Keller, F.	Peifer	Watson
Diamond	Keller, M.K.	Petrarca	Wentling
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.	Pickett	Wheatley

Dunbar	Kim	Pyle	Wheeland
Dush	Kinsey	Quigley	White
Ellis	Kirkland	Quinn	Zimmerman
Emrick	Klunk	Rader	
English	Knowles	Rapp	Turzai,
Evankovich	Kortz	Ravenstahl	Speaker
Evans	Kotik	Readshaw	

**ADDITIONS—0****NOT VOTING—0****EXCUSED—13**

Cruz	Driscoll	Maher	Petri
Daley, P.	Freeman	Maloney	Roebuck
DeLuca	Galloway	Milne	Youngblood
Donatucci			

**LEAVES ADDED—2**

Savage	Simmons
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**LEAVES CANCELED—2**

Galloway	Youngblood
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The SPEAKER. One hundred and eighty-nine having voted on the master roll, a quorum is present.

Members, I would ask everybody to please take their seats. We have some important resolutions to cover and I think some very important messaging, plus we have a very, very special guest today with us. So, members, if you could please take your seats. I ask that all members please come to the floor at this time. All members, please take your seats on the floor. I ask all members to please come to the floor at this time.

**CONSUL GENERAL ANDREA CANEPARI PRESENTED**

The SPEAKER. Representative James Santora, Jamie Santora of the 163d District in Delaware County, has been so kind to bring to us a very, very special guest, a dignitary in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and I would very, very much like if everybody could take their seats, because we are going to have this dignitary actually speak to our body today as we have with guests representing other nations in our Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

We are so honored to welcome to the hall of the House the Consul General of Italy in Philadelphia, Andrea Canepari. This consulate general position has been in place in the city of Philadelphia to the entire Commonwealth of Pennsylvania since 1791 and along with the State of Israel is the only true diplomat from the home nation of Italy serving in Philadelphia. There are other consulates, but their consulate is headed up by an American from a nationality of that country. Here the consul general is actually sent from his homeland of Italy.

He has been serving in this position since 2013. He graduated with honors in 1996 from the University "L. Bocconi" in Milan with a degree in economics and in 1998 from the University of Parma Law School. He later completed a master of law degree at the University of Pennsylvania Law School.



I believe with him today – I had not had an opportunity to meet them yet, but they are going to stand here shortly – the Consul General's wife, Roberta, if she could please stand, and his children, Matteo and Bianca, and they have a friend with them, Maria Schena, if you could all please stand.

This good gentleman joined the Italian Foreign Service in 1999. He was section head of Cyprus, Greece, and Turkey, then section head of the former Federal Republic of Yugoslavia and Bosnia-Herzegovina. He was posted at the Embassy of Italy in Ankara, Turkey, first as the head of the consular chancery and then promoted to head of the Economic and Trade Office, and that is when Italy was, in fact, Turkey's second trading partner. Then from 2006 to 2010 he was posted at the Embassy of Italy in Washington, DC, as First Secretary for American Politics and Relationships covering the U.S. Congress and then became the First Secretary for Political Affairs. He received this particular post in 2013.

He is an unbelievable spokesperson to folks back in Italy on the greatness of Pennsylvania as a whole and why it is such a great place to have an opportunity to set up businesses with Italian partnerships. As you may know, Italy is the 14th largest importer of Pennsylvania goods and services. They are 11th in what Pennsylvania imports worldwide, and I want to give you an example. The Rajant Corporation, R-a-j-a-n-t, because they are with the Consul General today, they are headquartered in southeast Pennsylvania. They have a multimillion-dollar contract with the Italian government, and many local companies are involved with business in Italy due to the relationship with the consulate.

So at this time I am so excited that Representative Santora would bring us the Consul General as a guest. We are going to invite him here – he is going to actually come to this rostrum here; I had to get the protocol correct – and speak to you today.

And, Consul General, please come on up. Thank you.

CONSUL GENERAL CANEPARI. Thank you. Thank you so much, Mr. Speaker, for your very warm welcome and for your very kind words.

It is really a great honor and privilege for me to address the House of Representatives of Pennsylvania. I am very thankful for Speaker Mike Turzai for this invitation and for giving me the opportunity to illustrate what Italy is doing in Pennsylvania and how we can cooperate even more.

I would like also to express my gratitude to Representative Jamie Santora for his help in organizing my visit. I would like to thank also Majority Leader Dave Reed and Minority Leader Frank Dermody.

Mr. Speaker, Leaders Reed and Dermody, honorary members of the House of Representatives, I am really in love with Pennsylvania, and that is why I am very happy to be here, because I believe that Italy and Pennsylvania are perfect together. We share historical links and a profitable common path toward the future.

As the Speaker mentioned, in 1791 the first Italian consul general was appointed in Philadelphia, and since then Italy has been the only European country to maintain a career consulate general in all of Pennsylvania.

We have to remember that 12 percent of people in Pennsylvania claim to be of Italian heritage, according to the U.S. census, but Italian influence is even deeper. If you look at the dome of this beautiful Capitol Complex, you see a citation from St. Peter's Basilica in Rome, but it is not just art or history

and culture, although they are very important. We have now Italian managers, doctors, and professors in Pennsylvania's hospitals, universities, companies, and research centers. That can pave the way for even a deeper economic and academic cooperation.

More important, our economic systems are complementary. Our economies are not competing and we can partner in order to gain new markets worldwide. If the TTIP treaty, Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership, between the EU and the U.S. is signed, our GDPs (gross domestic product) will rise because of them avoiding the trade and investment barriers.

According to a Bertelsmann Foundation study, Pennsylvania will be among the top five U.S. States to benefit from TTIP-related new jobs. According to them, to the study, almost 34,000 new jobs will be created in Pennsylvania, and the successful implementation of this treaty is estimated to increase Pennsylvania export to Europe by almost 30 percent, especially in chemical, pharmaceutical, and metal sectors. And I witnessed firsthand these potentials when in 2014 Italy, then having the rotating presidency of the European Union, picked Pennsylvania and Philadelphia for the first European Union annual business mission to the U.S., and I saw the excitement among business partners on both sides of the ocean. A positive example of this cooperation, economic cooperation in southeastern Pennsylvania is Rajant. Bob Schena's company was interested in working even more with Italy.

But what can we do together in order to benefit more from these opportunities? First of all, we have to raise awareness here and in Italy and Europe about the benefits of a more structured partnership. I promoted for this reason in October an Italian cultural month called Ciao Philadelphia that celebrates the Italian contribution to this region, the success of Italian-Americans, and have raised even more the international profile of this beautiful and great Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Ciao Philadelphia is an occasion to build bridges and opportunities in different sectors, from pediatricians – we have the first Italian-American symposium in Philadelphia between the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia and the Italian Pediatric Association at the national level – then we have other cultural, academic, and business opportunities. The 2016's edition will have more than 70 events. We will enjoy an Italian tour at the Philadelphia Museum of Art; Independence National Park, the Italian contribution to the Founding Fathers; Reading Museum in Pennsylvania; opera; lectures, such as one in Pittsburgh on business opportunity in the energy sector with Duquesne and University of Pittsburgh Law School.

In this framework of Ciao Philadelphia, the Italian cultural month academic and business partnerships were forged and will be forged. A new interest was created here and in Italy, and I am very confident when I say that Italy believes in Pennsylvania. With your support we will create new opportunities in economic, business, and academic fields. New bridges will be created thanks to Italians, Italian-Americans, and friends of Italy in Pennsylvania.

Thank you so much, and I really believe that Italy and Pennsylvania are closer together. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Consul General, I am sure many, many of the members during a break would like to have the opportunity to meet with you. I might suggest, and I say this sincerely, many of our members are of Italian-American background and perhaps a number that might want to get together and have a

photo with you at the break. If you are able to stay around until that time, I think that would be gracious, and many others, I am sure, would want to come and shake your hand as well and say hello. So thank you so much for being with us today.

### GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. Located to the left of the rostrum, the Chair welcomes Fred Workman, who is part of Representative Oberlander's district staff. He is here with his daughter, Hollee, and fiancée Kathryn Neville, if they could please stand. Thank you so much.

And also to the left of the rostrum, the Chair welcomes a guest of Representative Sid Kavulich, Tom Leonard. Tom, if you could please stand. Thank you, sir, for being with us today.

Representative Flo Fabrizio of Erie County brought members of the Jefferson Educational Society, the Erie County Civic Leadership Academy, if that esteemed group could please stand. Thank you. Please stand up. Thank you. All the way from Erie. Outstanding.

In the gallery, Representative Madeleine Dean welcomes students and staff from Abington High School, if you can please stand. Thank you so much for being with us today.

And located in the gallery, the Chair welcomes Representative Rosemary Brown's son, going into the sixth grade, Carter. Where is Carter? Thank you, Carter. Buddy, you have to come down to the floor, come down to the well of the House with us as well, if you can, when you get an opportunity. Thanks for being with us.

And located in the well of the House, the Chair welcomes guest page Hayden Havle, who is Representative Rapp's grandson. This young man is Representative Rapp's grandson. Great to have you here today, young man.

Representative Longiatti has guests in the well of the House, guest pages Melia Lenkner and Kyle O'Malley of Greenville, and boy, welcome. Thank you so much for being here. And I do not know if he planned this, but he has an exchange student from Italy, Giuseppe Atsori. So you have to come over and meet the Consul General.

### STATEMENT BY MS. BROWN

The SPEAKER. Now, Representative Ed Gainey is recognized on unanimous consent. He is going to be joined by other members that he will introduce, but, Representative Ed Gainey, the floor is yours, sir.

Mr. GAINNEY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Vanessa.

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

The SPEAKER. Representative Brown, I am sorry I had said it was Representative Gainey, but Representative Brown, the floor is yours.

Ms. V. BROWN. I think we just did a rope-a-dope on you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. I was never as good at that as the champ you are going to honor. Please go ahead.

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

Colleagues, today the Pennsylvania Legislative Black Caucus stands here to give condolences to the great, great Muhammad Ali, the greatest of all time. We would like to just pause for a moment and just thank God for the contribution to

the world of this dynamic individual who stood for humanity, who stood for injustice, and just was a great, great gentle giant who was a champion to so many around the world.

The most, I think, significant memory that I have is the moment when he had to light the torch for the Olympics. When I look at all the postings that people have put on Facebook, that seems to be the one that is just reoccurring, that he was a champion for freedom.

What I would like to do at this time is just invite the other members of our caucus to just give some reflections upon this great, great giant, Muhammad Ali. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

### STATEMENT BY MR. GAINNEY

The SPEAKER. Representative Gainey, the floor is yours, sir.

Mr. GAINNEY. I want to take a moment to just thank God for allowing a man like Muhammad Ali to grace this world. He was a great humanitarian and never, ever turned his back for a moment to just give an autograph or go and visit a kid that had cancer to make sure that that kid had an opportunity to meet him and believe in him, or just one in the world that everywhere he went, even when he had his fight overseas, they just loved Muhammad Ali for his humanitarian gestures that he provided for America.

We also can talk about the great civil rights leader that he was, how he improved the life for African-Americans and people in general. We could talk about the great advocate he was just for human rights and all that he did across the land. It is very rare that we get a moment to celebrate somebody who transformed the world, and in that moment we ask for a moment of silence for the greatest of all time, Muhammad Ali.

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

The SPEAKER. Representative Gainey, you may proceed.

Mr. GAINNEY. Thank you.

### STATEMENT BY MS. BROWN

Ms. V. BROWN. Mr. Speaker, if I could also just take another indulgence to remember one of our colleagues, Representative Jim Roebuck. He lost his wife, Cheryl Roebuck, who was just a beautiful, gentle woman who taught in the Philadelphia School District. She was a music teacher, and we just want to hold her memory up as well as the great legend, Muhammad Ali. Thank you so much, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Representatives Brown and Gainey.

And our heartfelt condolences to our colleague, Representative Roebuck, on the loss of his wife, Cheryl.

### PFC. J. DOUGLAS TRUMBORE PRESENTED

The SPEAKER. Members, at this time we have another remarkable guest, and he is a guest of Representative Jozwiak, and he will be recognized under unanimous consent.

As you know, today is the 72d anniversary of D-day.

Representative Jozwiak has the floor.

Mr. JOZWIAK. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Colleagues, Tuesday, June 6, 1944, 72 years ago to the day, the Allied invasion of Normandy began as the largest seaborne invasion in history, to liberate the German-occupied northwestern Europe from Nazi control.

Today I brought an Omaha Beach veteran, Mr. J. Douglas Trumbore, to be recognized this day here in the House of Representatives. Before I formally introduce Mr. Trumbore to you, I would like to describe what occurred on D-day.

First of all, what does the "D" mean in D-day? People believe it stood for "designated day," "decision day," "doomsday," or even "death day." The real answer is that the "D" actually means "day," days before and days after the invasion. So if it was D-4, it was 4 days to the invasion; D+4 was 4 days after the invasion. General Eisenhower used D-day as "departed date," as all amphibious operations have departed dates. And please keep in mind, there were other D-days as well, including those in the Pacific, North Africa, Sicily, and Italy.

June 6, 1944, began as an extensive aerial and naval bombardment and an airborne assault, which consisted of 24,000 American, British, and Canadian troops just after midnight. Allied infantry and armored divisions began landing on the coast of France at 6:30 in the morning. A 50-mile stretch of the beach was divided into five sectors known as Utah, Omaha, Gold, Juno, and Sword Beaches. That day the weather did not cooperate. There were very strong winds causing the English Channel to be very rough and choppy. Fog was heavy in the early morning hours, making the bombings of the enemy locations impossible because the Allied pilots did not want to drop bombs on Allied forces. As the fog cleared, the bombings took place. Eight different navies, comprising of 6,939 vessels, 1,213 warships, 4,126 landing craft of various types, 736 ancillary aircraft, and 864 merchant vessels involving 195,000 naval personnel, participated in the invasion.

One hundred and sixty thousand soldiers from America, Canada, and England descended on the beaches. The landing crafts could only get as close as 100 yards from the shoreline due to the German army placing lots of debris along the beach, in the water, to prevent the landing craft from reaching the shore. Soldiers had to exit the landing craft about 100 yards from the shore. They jumped out of their landing craft in chest- and neck-high, very cold water in the English Channel to make their way to the beach. At Omaha Beach and Utah Beach, the soldiers were under very heavy fire from gun emplacements overlooking the beach and also the shore was mined and covered with obstacles such as wooden stakes, metal tripods, and barbed wire.

Casualties were heaviest at Omaha Beach with its high cliffs. Soldiers were being killed while still in the water by machine gun fire and mortar shells while they tried to reach the shore. The biggest obstacle was in the very high cliffs where the enemy was bunkered in. By this time the fog began to lift and Allied aircraft began bombing the enemy. Now, imagine yourself on a beach with your fellow soldiers being killed all around you, bullets flying everywhere, land mines going off, and many obstacles in your way preventing you to reach some sort of safety or cover. In addition, you just came out of very cold, rough seas, soaking wet, and very tired with Allied aircraft

shooting and bombing the landscape, a tremendous amount of activity. Omaha Beach was the most heavily defended beach by the Nazis. Still the Allied forces pressed on.

Of the 34,000-plus soldiers who landed on Omaha Beach, only 600 reached higher ground by late morning. By noon the artillery fire from ships took its toll. The Germans started to run out of ammunition and the Americans were able to clear some lanes on the beach so vehicles could move off the beach. Objectives for Omaha Beach were reached by D+3; that is 3 days after the actual invasion.

The French Resistance played a very vital role on June 6, 1944, by sabotaging the rail system, destroying electrical facilities, conducting delayed operations to slow down the enemy, and cutting underground telephone and teleprinter cables. It actually took until June 12 for all five beaches to be secured for a foothold. That day the Nazis suffered approximately 1,000 casualties. Allied casualties were at least 10,000, with 4,414 confirmed dead.

In the days and weeks to follow, the Allied forces marched through France, Luxembourg, Belgium, Holland, and ended up in Schwerin, Germany, where the Allied forces met the Russian forces and virtually ending the war in Europe.

Pfc. J. Douglas Trumbore was a member of the 121st Infantry Division and the 8th Division Signal Company. He was involved in the landing at Omaha Beach, fighting his way all the way to the Hürtgen Forest, which was one of the longest battles on German ground during World War II. Private First Class Trumbore was up in a tree in the Hürtgen Forest stringing communication lines. He observed a platoon of Nazi soldiers coming in his direction. Fearing for his life that they would shoot him, he yelled to them. He said they were surrounded by American forces. He ordered them to surrender or die. The entire platoon of 50 to 75 Nazi soldiers walked into American forces and surrendered. This action may have saved his own life. You know, the funny part about this, the Nazis were not surrounded.

Private First Class Trumbore was honored on March 4, 2015, at the French Embassy in Washington, DC. He received the Chevalier of the Legion of Honor Medal from the French government as a sign of France's gratitude for his personal contribution to the liberation of France during World War II.

Today in the House of Representatives we have with us a true American hero, one of many who saved the United States and the world to ensure we still have our liberty and freedom today. I would like to introduce to you Pfc. J. Douglas Trumbore. Would you please stand. Mr. Speaker, with him are his wife, Ivy; their daughter; and close friends, Julie and Louis Bunnick, who are in the back.

So, members, I just want to say thank you for honoring one of America's veterans and a true hero, and thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Representative Jozwiak, thank you so much.

Pfc. Doug Trumbore, oh my goodness, thank you so much for being with us in the hall of this House today with Representative Jozwiak and your wife and your daughter and friends.

We read about the history of D-day and the invasion of Europe to beat back the Nazis. You lived it. You are a hero, a real hero to all of us. God bless you and thank you for coming to see us today. Thank you so much.

### ALEXANDRA GASPER PRESENTED

The SPEAKER. Representative Jeff Pyle is invited to the rostrum for the purpose of presenting a citation to one of our State champions. Representative Jeff Pyle is invited to the rostrum.

Representative Pyle, please proceed, sir.

Mr. PYLE. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, standing behind me stands a very special young lady. This young lady, Alexandra Gasper, just as the crow flies, is a fifth grader at Buffalo Elementary School. She is guest-paging for us today.

Do not get smart with her. That girl behind me is a national tae kwon do champion and will be going to the Worlds later this summer. Zandra Gasper, ladies and gentlemen.

Zandra is very active in her school. And we are joined by her mom and dad, Bob and Angela, in the back of the room – could you stand up and give us a wave – and her sister, Calista.

We do not get to do this very often. The last time we had a State champion it was this year's heavyweight wrestling champion and he had family concerns, and we wanted to bring him out, but he could not make it.

But when Alexandra came through like she did, winning every discipline she was tested on, it was a no-brainer. We look forward to seeing her later this summer bringing home a world championship.

One more time, Mr. Speaker, Zandra Gasper.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Representative Pyle.

And, Zandra, great to have you. Congratulations.

I am not messing with her, Jeff.

### BRIAN KENNEDY PRESENTED

The SPEAKER. Representative Kinsey is invited to the rostrum for the purpose of presenting a citation to another one of our champions. Representative Kinsey, please come up to the rostrum. And Representative Kinsey will be followed by Representative McCarter.

Representative Kinsey, the floor is yours, sir. You may proceed, Representative.

Mr. KINSEY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

On behalf of Representative Youngblood and myself, Brian Kennedy is being honored upon capturing the 2016 Pennsylvania State Boys Single Bowling Championship.

The SPEAKER. Representative Kinsey, just suspend for a second.

Mr. KINSEY. Yes, sir.

The SPEAKER. Members, if you will please take your seats. Members, please take your seats. It is our privilege to have a State high school champion here, and I would like to give him our attention.

Representative Kinsey, you may proceed, sir.

Mr. KINSEY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

A junior at Central High School in Philadelphia, Brian defeated the bowler from Penn-Trafford High School with a score of 226 to 191 to capture the State title.

To his great credit, he assisted in leading the Central High School Bowling Team to victory during the Philadelphia High School Bowling Championship, and he competed during the

Eastern Pennsylvania Regional Championships, bowling a score of 1,146 in 5 games to earn the top seed for the State championship.

Brian is truly deserving of recognition and praise for utilizing his exceptional ability in pursuit of athletic excellence. Mr. Speaker, I want to point out that during this grueling process, Brian beat out over 350 other youths to achieve this title. But aside from this young man's athletic ability, I want to assure my colleagues just how well-rounded this young man is. Brian plays the drums and guitar. In addition, he volunteers his time at the local PAL center, and let us not forget that he is attending one of the top high schools in Philadelphia, earning a GPA (grade point average) of close to 3.5.

Brian is joined by his father, Bernard Kennedy, who is to my left, and one of his coaches, Barbara Council-Armstead, and also, Mr. Speaker, I would be remiss if I do not recognize in the rear Coach Donald Armstead and Mr. and Mrs. Brown, and I am going to ask that they all stand up for one second and be recognized, please.

I am going to ask my colleagues to please join me in welcoming and congratulating Brian Kennedy, the top high school bowler in the State of Pennsylvania.

The SPEAKER. Brian, congratulations and thanks for being with us today.

### CHELTENHAM HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS INDOOR AND OUTDOOR TRACK TEAMS PRESENTED

The SPEAKER. Representative McCarter is here to present a citation to a championship team, and, Representative McCarter, the floor is yours.

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

Today I rise with immense pleasure to honor the Cheltenham High School Girls Indoor and Outdoor Track Teams, who recently repeated as indoor and outdoor State champions. Two thousand and sixteen marked the girls' third indoor State championship in a row and their second outdoor State championship in as many years.

Mr. Speaker, we in Cheltenham are so proud of these young women. Theirs is clearly a very talented and driven team, but they are also surprisingly so young and so successful and such lovely young women.

Junior Chanel Brissett, behind me here, won both the indoor 60-meter hurdles and outdoor 100-meter hurdles, setting new State records both times. Chanel was recently named the Pennsylvania Track and Field Coaches Association Athlete of the Year and has qualified to compete in the 100-meter hurdles at the U.S. Track and Field Olympic Trials in Eugene, Oregon, in the first week in July, and I repeat, she is only a junior.

The girls indoor 4-by-200-meter relay, comprised of sophomores Alexis Crosby and Brielle Lewis, freshman Bria Barnes, and Chanel Brissett, powered to first in a new State record of 1:39.48. The same foursome demolished the 17-year-old State record in the outdoor 4-by-100 relay last weekend at the State championships, running a blistering 45.78, and these are just the highlights. We could go on and on.

Representing the team behind me are the No. 5 all-time hurdler in the country – let me repeat that – the fifth fastest time



ever in the entire country, Chanel Brissett; team captain and second fastest 400-meter runner in Pennsylvania, Alexis Crosby; team captain and District 1 champion in the shot put, Ashley Alexander; and their coaches, Kelly Jensen and Adam Syty.

Additional members of this exceptional championship high school girls indoor and outdoor track teams and their coach and the superintendent of Cheltenham School District, Dr. Wagner Marseille, are with us today also in the back of the House. I might note – hold your applause one second – I might note that Dr. Marseille was also a famed hurdler, representing his home country of Haiti in the 1996 Olympics in Atlanta. Would all the girls and their coaches and Dr. Marseille please stand to be recognized.

Mr. Speaker, I would like to ask the members to join me in honoring these exemplary young high school athletes for their stellar performances on the track, and I have had the privilege of knowing some of them now for the last 2 years and watching their track prowess develop, but I have also seen them as tremendous ambassadors for Cheltenham Township and the school district and in particular now for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. I am honored to host them on the floor of this chamber today for their citation.

Thank you so much, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Representative McCarter, and welcome to this championship team.

### LEAVE OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER. Representative Lynwood SAVAGE has requested to be placed on leave for the rest of the day. Without objection, that will be granted.

### UNCONTESTED SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR A

#### RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO RULE 35

Mrs. SNYDER called up **HR 909, PN 3441**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of June 2016 as "Dairy Month" and "Dairy Farmers Appreciation Month" in Pennsylvania.

On the question,  
Will the House adopt the resolution?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—188

Acosta	Everett	Krueger	Readshaw
Adolph	Fabrizio	Lawrence	Reed
Artis	Farina	Lewis	Reese
Baker	Farry	Longietti	Regan
Barbin	Fee	Mackenzie	Roae
Barrar	Flynn	Mahoney	Ross
Benninghoff	Frankel	Major	Rothman
Bizzarro	Gabler	Markosek	Rozzi
Bloom	Gainey	Marshall	Saccone
Boback	Gergely	Marsico	Sainato

Boyle	Gibbons	Masser	Samuelson
Bradford	Gillen	Matzie	Sankey
Briggs	Gillespie	McCarter	Santarsiero
Brown, R.	Gingrich	McClinton	Santora
Brown, V.	Godshall	McGinnis	Saylor
Bullock	Goodman	McNeill	Schemel
Burns	Greiner	Mentzer	Schlossberg
Caltagirone	Grove	Metcalfe	Schreiber
Carroll	Hahn	Metzgar	Schweyer
Causser	Hanna	Miccarelli	Simmons
Christiana	Harhai	Millard	Sims
Cohen	Harhart	Miller, B.	Snyder
Conklin	Harkins	Miller, D.	Sonney
Corbin	Harper	Moul	Staats
Costa, D.	Harris, A.	Mullery	Stephens
Costa, P.	Harris, J.	Murt	Sturla
Cox	Heffley	Mustio	Tallman
Culver	Helm	Neilson	Taylor
Cutler	Hennessey	Nelson	Thomas
Daley, M.	Hickernell	Nesbit	Tobash
Davidson	Hill	Neuman	Toepel
Davis	Irvin	O'Brien	Toohil
Dawkins	James	O'Neill	Topper
Day	Jozwiak	Oberlander	Truitt
Dean	Kampf	Ortitay	Vereb
Deasy	Kaufer	Parker, D.	Vitali
DeLissio	Kauffman	Pashinski	Ward
Delozier	Kavulich	Payne	Warner
Dermody	Keller, F.	Peifer	Watson
Diamond	Keller, M.K.	Petrarca	Wentling
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.	Pickett	Wheatley
Dunbar	Kim	Pyle	Wheeland
Dush	Kinsey	Quigley	White
Ellis	Kirkland	Quinn	Zimmerman
Emrick	Klunk	Rader	
English	Knowles	Rapp	Turzai,
Evankovich	Kortz	Ravenstahl	Speaker
Evans	Kotik		

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—14

Cruz	Driscoll	Maloney	Roebuck
Daley, P.	Freeman	Milne	Savage
DeLuca	Galloway	Petri	Youngblood
Donatucci	Maier		

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

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

#### REMARKS SUBMITTED FOR THE RECORD

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Representative Snyder is recognized on HR 909 on unanimous consent.

Mrs. SNYDER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to thank my colleagues for recognizing this as "Dairy Farmers Appreciation Month" and submit my remarks for the record. Thank you very much.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the lady.

Mrs. SNYDER submitted the following remarks for the Legislative Journal:

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

And thank you all for the unanimous support for my HR 909, which names June as "Dairy Month" and "Dairy Farmers Appreciation Month" in Pennsylvania.

Dairy farming is more than just a proud family tradition in Pennsylvania, where 99 percent of dairy farms are family owned. It is the linchpin of not only economic progress, but all progress. Where agriculture and dairy farming take root, everything – the arts, industry, schools, and communities – soon follows.

And while all 50 States have dairy farms, Pennsylvania is a leader with the second largest number of dairy farms nationally and ranking fifth nationally in total milk production. Yes, Pennsylvania milks it for all it is worth. It would be a very drab day without Pennsylvania dairy and the ice cream, cheese, yogurt, and other products it produces. The almost 7500 dairy farms in Pennsylvania are leaders in sustainable agriculture, and the farms help make the Commonwealth the beautiful State that it is.

So thank you for your support, and please think of and thank our dairy farmers for their hard work and contributions.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

## CALENDAR

### RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO RULE 35

Mr. DeLUCA called up **HR 895, PN 3378**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing Sean Parker and the Parker Institute for Cancer Immunotherapy for their innovative efforts in the fight against cancer.

On the question,  
Will the House adopt the resolution?

(Members proceeded to vote.)

## LEAVE OF ABSENCE

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

### CONSIDERATION OF HR 895 CONTINUED

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

The following roll call was recorded:

#### YEAS—187

Acosta	Everett	Kotik	Ravenstahl
Adolph	Fabrizio	Krueger	Readshaw
Artis	Farina	Lawrence	Reed
Baker	Farry	Lewis	Reese
Barbin	Fee	Longietti	Regan
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Bizzarro	Gabler	Major	Rothman
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Boback	Gergely	Marshall	Saccone
Boyle	Gibbons	Marsico	Sainato
Bradford	Gillen	Masser	Samuelson
Briggs	Gillespie	Matzie	Sankey
Brown, R.	Gingrich	McCarter	Santarsiero
Brown, V.	Godshall	McClinton	Santora
Bullock	Goodman	McGinnis	Saylor
Burns	Greiner	McNeill	Schemel
Caltagirone	Grove	Mentzer	Schlossberg
Carroll	Hahn	Metcalfe	Schreiber
Causer	Hanna	Metzgar	Schweyer
Christiana	Harhai	Miccarelli	Sims
Cohen	Harhart	Millard	Snyder
Conklin	Harkins	Miller, B.	Sonney
Corbin	Harper	Miller, D.	Staats
Costa, D.	Harris, A.	Moul	Stephens
Costa, P.	Harris, J.	Mullery	Sturla
Cox	Heffley	Murt	Tallman
Culver	Helm	Mustio	Taylor
Cutler	Hennessey	Neilson	Thomas
Daley, M.	Hickernell	Nelson	Tobash
Davidson	Hill	Nesbit	Toepel
Davis	Irvin	Neuman	Toohil
Dawkins	James	O'Brien	Topper
Day	Jozwiak	O'Neill	Truitt
Dean	Kampf	Oberlander	Vereb
Deasy	Kaufer	Ortitay	Vitali
DeLissio	Kauffman	Parker, D.	Ward
Delozier	Kavulich	Pashinski	Warner
Dermody	Keller, F.	Payne	Watson
Diamond	Keller, M.K.	Peifer	Wentling
DiGirolamo	Keller, W.	Petrarca	Wheatley
Dunbar	Kim	Pickett	Wheeland
Dush	Kinsey	Pyle	White
Ellis	Kirkland	Quigley	Zimmerman
Emrick	Klunk	Quinn	
English	Knowles	Rader	Turzai,
Evankovich	Kortz	Rapp	Speaker
Evans			

#### NAYS—0

#### NOT VOTING—0

#### EXCUSED—15

Cruz	Driscoll	Maloney	Savage
Daley, P.	Freeman	Milne	Simmons
DeLuca	Galloway	Petri	Youngblood
Donatucci	Maher	Roebuck	

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

## APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER pro tempore. At this time the gentleman, Mr. Adolph, is recognized for an announcement.

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

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

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

**REPUBLICAN CAUCUS**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentlelady, Ms. Major, for a caucus announcement.

Ms. MAJOR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to announce Republicans will caucus today at 2:15. I would ask our Republican members to please report to our caucus room at 2:15. We would be prepared to come back on the floor, Mr. Speaker, at 3 p.m. Thank you.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the lady.

**DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman, Mr. Frankel, for a caucus announcement.

Mr. FRANKEL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Democrats will also caucus at 2:15. Democrats will caucus at 2:15. Thank you.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

**ANNOUNCEMENT BY  
SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Just to remind the members, if you are interested in having a photo with the Italian Consulate General, he will be in the well of the House momentarily. Any members interested in a photo, please stand by.

**RECESS**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The House will now stand in recess until 3 o'clock, unless sooner recalled by the Speaker.

**AFTER RECESS**

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

**THE SPEAKER (MIKE TURZAI)  
PRESIDING****BILLS REREPORTED FROM COMMITTEE****HB 835, PN 3192**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act designating a portion of State Route 74 in Cumberland County as the Marine Lance Corporal Gary Lee Ream Memorial Highway.

**APPROPRIATIONS.****HB 1409, PN 3019**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending the act of November 10, 1999 (P.L.491, No.45), known as the Pennsylvania Construction Code Act, in adoption and enforcement by municipalities, further providing for administration and enforcement.

**APPROPRIATIONS.****HB 1597, PN 3396**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act designating a portion of State Route 2026, also known as Blair Mill Road, in Montgomery County as the Private First Class Paul T. Wright Memorial Highway.

**APPROPRIATIONS.****HB 1740, PN 3429**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in miscellaneous provisions, further providing for police reports.

**APPROPRIATIONS.****HB 2026, PN 3253**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Titles 51 (Military Affairs) and 74 (Transportation) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in Department of Military Affairs, providing for Civil Air Patrol; and, in authority of Department of Transportation, further providing for authority of department.

**APPROPRIATIONS.****HB 2058, PN 3428**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Titles 35 (Health and Safety) and 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in emergency medical services system, further providing for duties of department and for first aid and other safety services; and, in governance of the system, further providing for criminal laboratory user fee.

**APPROPRIATIONS.****HB 2069, PN 3340**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending the act of August 26, 1971 (P.L.351, No.91), known as the State Lottery Law, in pharmaceutical assistance for the elderly, further providing for definitions, for program generally and for generic drugs, providing for medication synchronization, further providing for the Pharmaceutical Assistance Contract for the Elderly Needs Enhancement Tier (PACENET) and for board and providing for medication therapy management.

**APPROPRIATIONS.****SB 847, PN 1639**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for State Veterans' Commission.

**APPROPRIATIONS.****SB 983, PN 1852**

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in registration of vehicles, further providing for person with disability plate and placard.

**APPROPRIATIONS.**

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE CANCELED**

The SPEAKER. I see that Representative Galloway is back on the House floor and should be placed on the master roll.

**CALENDAR CONTINUED****BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION**

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 2082, PN 3392**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in certification of teachers, further providing for program of continuing professional 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 **SB 356, PN 1689**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 31, 1965 (P.L.1257, No.511), known as The Local Tax Enabling Act, in consolidated collection of local income taxes, providing for the definition of "farming" and further providing for declaration and payment of income taxes and for withholding and remittance.

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 1785, PN 3356**, entitled:

An Act requiring the preparation and publication of information relating to the influenza vaccine for individuals residing in assisted living residences and personal care homes; and imposing duties on the Department of Health and the Department of Human Services.

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

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **SB 1156, PN 1772**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in child protective services, further providing for definitions, for disposition and expunction of unfounded reports and general protective services reports, for employees having contact with children and adoptive and foster parents, for volunteers having contact with children and for recertification.

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

**DECISION OF CHAIR RESCINDED**

The SPEAKER. Oh, I apologize. There is an amendment that is filed.

Without objection, the Chair rescinds that the House has agreed to this Senate bill on second consideration.

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

Mr. **HEFFLEY** offered the following amendment  
No. **A07810**:

Amend Bill, page 6, line 10, by inserting a bracket before "(ii)"  
Amend Bill, page 6, line 11, by striking out the bracket before "higher"  
Amend Bill, page 6, line 11, by striking out "] postsecondary"  
Amend Bill, page 6, line 15, by striking out the bracket before "higher"  
Amend Bill, page 6, line 15, by striking out "] postsecondary"  
Amend Bill, page 6, line 21, by inserting a bracket after "school."

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

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

Mr. HEFFLEY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would ask my colleagues for an affirmative vote on A07810. This amendment requires that all college and university employees pass a background check, same as every other resident in the Commonwealth that deals with children on a regular basis would.

Although only a small number of college students are under the age of 18, many college campuses are used for events, which would bring minors to the campus. Custodial staff have direct access to college dorms and sports camps, theater camps, and other extracurricular camps that are often held on college campuses when classes are not in session.

We should do everything in our power to prevent another tragedy like the ones that happened in the past. I understand the concerns about potential costs to colleges and universities, such as the cost of background checks, but I believe those costs pale in comparison to just what the costs of one lawsuit would be, or damaging one child's life because we failed to require these background checks.

Mr. Speaker, last month we passed legislation on this House floor under a passionate debate to ensure that victims would have recourse by extending the statute of limitations. I would ask that we pass this amendment to ensure that we are doing everything to protect our children from not becoming victims.

Mr. Speaker, I would ask for an affirmative vote on this amendment. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Representative Vitali, on the amendment.

Mr. VITALI. Will the maker of the amendment stand for brief interrogation?

The SPEAKER. Representative Heffley has indicated he will stand for interrogation. You may proceed. Representative Vitali, the floor is yours.



Mr. VITALI. Okay. So I just want to understand, the bill in chief does not require background checks for college, but your amendment extends it to colleges. Is that correct?

Mr. HEFFLEY. My amendment would take away the exemption, yes.

Mr. VITALI. Right. So if your amendment did not go in, there would not be this requirement for background checks in college?

Mr. HEFFLEY. Yes. What my legislation would do is just take away the exemption for colleges and universities that was put in as amended to the act before it became law. So this would take away that exemption and provide a good – another layer of protection to our children.

Mr. VITALI. Okay. Now, you say children and I think of, you know, kids in the playground and so forth, but is this directed at college students in classes?

Mr. HEFFLEY. This would be anybody under the age of 18, sir.

Mr. VITALI. Right. So would this require college professors and grad students and the like to all get background checks?

Mr. HEFFLEY. Yes.

Mr. VITALI. People in the administration who may have interns who are college students?

Mr. HEFFLEY. Just those that come in routine contact, no back office or administrative. So this would say that anybody that comes in routine contact with children under the age of 18 would have to have a background check, the same as the rest of society and everybody else in the Commonwealth. So this would make it parity for everybody in the Commonwealth and would take away that exemption for a certain class of individuals.

Mr. VITALI. Right. Do you know how many people total would be affected? Because I am thinking of my own district, I probably in my own district, jeez, I probably can rattle off a half a dozen colleges right there and that is just a small part. Do you know how many people this would affect?

Mr. HEFFLEY. Well, I think it would affect every child that is on a college campus and I think this would add a layer of protection to every child on a college campus—

Mr. VITALI. No, that is not my question. My question is, how many people—

Mr. HEFFLEY. It would require everybody—

Mr. VITALI. —it would require to get a background check—

The SPEAKER. Please suspend. Please suspend.

Members, please take your seats. All members, please take your seats. Members, please take your seats. Any conversations should be off the House floor.

With all due respect, on interrogation please allow the maker of the amendment to have the opportunity to give a full response as he or she so desires to the question asked before going into the next question. In addition, as we all know, no one needs to stand to submit to interrogation if he or she does not want to do so. So it is a privilege to be able to interrogate a fellow member.

With that said, Representative Vitali, please restate your question and then give the good gentleman an opportunity to respond.

Mr. VITALI. Okay. To be clear, and the answer is requesting a number or an estimate in terms of a number, how many people, employees of colleges, do you estimate if this

amendment goes in, what is your estimate of the number of college employees that will be required to get a background check if your amendment goes in, if you know?

Mr. HEFFLEY. Mr. Speaker, I would say that it would require that all those that are exempt right now would have to get that. As far as exactly the exact number, no. Now, I know that there are some folks that already do work on college campuses that do have to have these background checks, and this would simply state that everybody that would have access to students or on those college campuses, universities, would have to have it. As far as the direct number, I think you would have to get that number probably from the universities themselves. I am not sure of their hiring practices, how many professors or how many maintenance facility personnel that they have on each college campus at any given time. But I can tell you that the background checks would be required as they are for everybody else.

Mr. VITALI. Okay. Next question, and again, I am asking for an estimate of a number. This amendment is purportedly to protect children—

Mr. HEFFLEY. 1600.

Mr. VITALI. 1600. Okay.

Mr. HEFFLEY. 1600 17-year-olds coming in every year into our colleges and universities, and that is just the students that are coming on before the age of 18 that are attending school. But I would be hard pressed to give you an exact number of the amount of kids that attend college campuses just for orientation, or just like for sports programs to take a field hockey class or anything like that that could be exposed to professors or maintenance personnel that would be on the grounds at that time without a background check.

Mr. VITALI. Do you know if, for example, Penn State has taken a position on this bill? Have they supported it, opposed it, no position?

Mr. HEFFLEY. Would that be the amendment or the bill, sir, Mr. Speaker?

Mr. VITALI. Yeah. Your amendment.

Mr. HEFFLEY. Penn State opposes my amendment, but my amendment really was not put in for Penn State, Pitt, Temple, or any of the universities. My amendment was put in to protect children, sir, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. VITALI. Okay. So your amendment is opposed by Penn State. Do you know of any other association, like, for example, there is an association of private colleges that lobby me from time to time. Do you know if they have taken a position? I forget its full name but—

Mr. HEFFLEY. Mr. Speaker, I would believe they would be opposed, but I would ask you to contact them because I do not have firsthand knowledge.

Mr. VITALI. It is the Association of Independent Colleges and Universities of Pennsylvania. Have they taken a position in support or opposition to this?

Mr. HEFFLEY. Mr. Speaker, it is my understanding that they oppose the amendment.

Mr. VITALI. Okay. That concludes my interrogation.

I would just like to speak on the bill.

The SPEAKER. On the bill.

Mr. VITALI. Yeah.

The SPEAKER. Or excuse me, on the amendment.

Mr. VITALI. On the amendment. I am sorry.

The SPEAKER. Representative Vitali, the floor is yours, sir.

Mr. VITALI. I just have some concerns. First of all, you know, I congratulate the gentleman. I know his intentions are good. Background checks are important to protect kids. But I am just concerned about— I think when we think of that, we are more concerned with young kids as opposed to college students. The imposition imposed here, I just have some concerns about the costs versus the benefits of this. As has been stated, colleges do not support this. I am going to assume without knowing that colleges have the right to police themselves in the sense of making sure the employees they hire meet the standards they want. I am going to assume that is a safe bet. I just have some concerns with this. I know when this came up last time, it was the subject of some controversy. That is why I got up this time. So I just have some concerns with this.

The SPEAKER. Representative Everett, on the amendment.

Mr. EVERETT. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I just want to point out that under current law employees of institutions of higher education that routinely interact with individuals who are 18 or are under 18 are already required to get background checks. So sports camps, music camps, any of those kinds of things where they are routinely interacting with younger kids, they are required to get those background checks already.

This exemption is only for professors who are teaching courses and there are matriculated students at the university that are under the age of 18. There are a lot of seniors that graduate and they are 17, 17 1/2, and a line professor that that is the only interaction that they would have with an individual under 18 would not be required to get that background check. Anybody else who is employed at the institution who routinely interacts is required to get a background check just like anybody else in Pennsylvania. I just wanted to make that clear to everybody so we understand what we are talking about and what we are voting on.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Representative Conklin, followed by Representative Barbin.

Mr. CONKLIN. I want to thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Would the maker of the amendment stand for quick interrogation, just a couple of questions?

The SPEAKER. He has agreed to stand for interrogation. Representative Conklin, you may proceed.

Mr. CONKLIN. Just a quick follow-up on the last speaker. You had said earlier that this would encompass sports coaches, but I thought, I believed, as the last speaker did, that they already have to have background checks. Is that true that they already have to have those? Just to verify it; I thought it was true.

Mr. HEFFLEY. Yes; you are correct, sir, that those folks that are involved in those youth sports programs would have to have background checks, but it would not encompass everybody that would be on the campus at that time. So you could have college professors that are on campus at that time that could have access to those children and also you could have people that work in the maintenance facility coming out to check lights or replace lights in those dorms and have access to those students that would not have those background checks. So myself, personally, I would prefer that to ensure that we have the highest standards of safety for our children on campuses.

Mr. CONKLIN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

So what you are saying, your amendment would now encompass maintenance workers at a university or campus, and along with contractors, cafeteria people? I mean, is that what this amendment is for, to encompass those folks because that is what you just said?

Mr. HEFFLEY. It would be all college personnel that could come in contact with children.

Mr. CONKLIN. So you are saying—

Mr. HEFFLEY. That is what my amendment is.

Mr. CONKLIN. Excuse me. You just said maintenance workers. Does that mean your amendment encompasses the maintenance workers at an institution of higher learning?

Mr. HEFFLEY. It would be all college employees that could come in contact with— direct, routine contact with children.

Mr. CONKLIN. But you just said maintenance workers. Just a yes or no would be fine on that answer.

Mr. HEFFLEY. But I do not think it is a yes or no. If they come in routine contact, then yes, they would have to have a background check. But if you have the answers, Mr. Speaker—

Mr. CONKLIN. Would that maintenance worker have care, guidance, or control or supervision of a child?

Mr. HEFFLEY. Direct, routine contact or controlled supervision.

Mr. CONKLIN. Would that be part of their job description? The reason I am asking is because we fought heavily to keep vocational education folks out, such as the gas station workers that the Senate bill went for—

The SPEAKER. Representative Conklin, if you will just please suspend for a moment. Sir, you may speak on the amendment, and I apologize, because you are extemporizing after the question. You did not give him an opportunity to answer that question. If you wish to speak on the amendment, I will call upon you to do so and you are very welcome to do so.

Mr. CONKLIN. No. I am not done yet. But thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Okay. Please just state your question and then give the good gentleman an opportunity to answer it.

Mr. CONKLIN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I am just waiting for the last answer.

The SPEAKER. Can you just repeat the question, though, because I missed it myself, and I apologize because you began to speak.

Mr. CONKLIN. I am sorry. I was trying to clarify my question when I spoke.

The last time folks made sure that we excluded individuals such as technical schools, vocational schools, gas stations, and those types of individuals that would have contact with high school employees going out on the job market. I am wondering if what you are talking about would be a jobs description to where a maintenance worker would be supervising youth.

Mr. HEFFLEY. No. This is dealing with institutions of higher learning.

Mr. CONKLIN. Would this apply to an employee of a nonprofit organization, say an organization that was Second Mile or something like that?

Mr. HEFFLEY. Mr. Speaker, what this amendment will do will take away the exemption that your amendment put in last June. That is what this amendment would do. So I would think that you would be familiar with what your amendment put in. This amendment, if passed, would take out what your amendment put in.

Mr. CONKLIN. I thank you for that nonanswer again.

I have another question for you. How many incidents have occurred since we enacted this law, Act 15 of 2015 a year ago? How many incidents occurred that made you come to the conclusion that you needed to run this? Could you give me a number on that?

Mr. HEFFLEY. Mr. Speaker, I do not have a definitive answer, but I want to ensure that it does not occur and that is why this amendment will go in, why I would ask for support for the amendment to go in.

Mr. CONKLIN. Just one last question. So would this amendment include the fact that a 17-year-old student walks onto a campus, is interested in entering a certain field and wishes to sit in on a professor and listen to the class? Would that professor then fall under this?

Mr. HEFFLEY. Under my amendment, sir, there would not be any worries for that 17-year-old, because under my amendment, that person in that classroom would already have had the background check.

Mr. CONKLIN. Okay. I will try a different avenue with you.

Do you have an estimate on the total cost of what this is going to be, and is this cost going to be borne by the working families that send their students to school? Is this going to be borne by the taxpayers who help supplement the State? Or can you tell me whom you are planning on picking up the burden of these thousands and thousands of individuals who do not actually have real face-to-face contact with these students but now must get this? Who has to pay for that?

Mr. HEFFLEY. Mr. Speaker, the total cost we are looking at per individual for these background checks would be about \$43 per person, and I do not think you can put a price tag on protecting somebody from this type of abuse.

Mr. CONKLIN. And since you know how many per person, can you tell me the total cost it is going to cost the State then?

Mr. HEFFLEY. I am sorry, Mr. Speaker. Could you repeat the question?

Mr. CONKLIN. Since you now know the cost per person, can you tell me out of the tens of thousands what that is going to cost the State then?

Mr. HEFFLEY. I think it would cost far less than to have one victim or to have one lawsuit that would have to be settled over this.

And, Mr. Speaker, I would just ask that if it is just an interrogation, that is one thing; if you are trying to continue to just probe, then I would cut off the—

Mr. CONKLIN. Does that mean you are not taking any more questions?

Mr. HEFFLEY. If you have questions for me, but if it is just a matter of conjecture, what you are doing now, then no.

Mr. CONKLIN. I want to thank the speaker; he is a good man.

But may I speak on the amendment, Mr. Speaker?

The SPEAKER. You may speak on the amendment. Interrogation has concluded.

Mr. CONKLIN. You know, I appreciate the tenacity in which he is going after this, but at the end of the day, we have no estimate what it is going to cost the hardworking families of Pennsylvania. He has no estimate what it is going to cost the universities. As he well defined, there have been no incidents since we enacted this law. As he also a little earlier in his remarks was alluding to a certain incident, but his amendment

does not or would not repair what had happened with that certain incident, what he was alluding to, nor would it have prevented it in any way.

All that this amendment does is take a group of adult students who are going to a university, which, by the way, earlier in his comments he also would state that he may have gotten sidetracked not realizing that there are folks having background checks with direct contact. The amendment, we have maintenance workers now that we thought we had excluded in the last bill. Under this bill, after talking to him, he is not sure but he believes that maintenance workers may have to be done as well.

Mr. Speaker, I understand what you want to do. I understand your passion, but sometimes passion causes problems. Sometimes because what we think in our minds, we think it is reality of what is really happening, but the mind can be a strange and foolish thing sometimes. What I am asking for is that let us look at the realities. Let us be pragmatic.

We have those individuals that need a background check having a background check. We have adult students going onto a campus, 17-year-olds. My son, 17, went to the university, lived away from home, stayed in a dorm. We have individuals that have almost no contact with a student that will cost the State or the taxpayers, to his estimation, \$43 per person times tens of thousands of individuals. That is fiscally irresponsible. We cannot afford this. We have to live within our means.

We have to stand up for what we feel is right, and we did, we passed a darn good law. We made sure that those exemptions that needed to be done, those folks were exempted. But at the end of the day, we have to be pragmatic about this. We are going after a solution that never happened at a university, for a case that keeps being brought up time and time again. It happened at a nonprofit, which, by the way, this does not address.

So if we are going to allude, let us allude to the fact. The fact of the matter is, we passed a darn good law. The fact of the matter is, there have been no incidents because of what we have done. The fact of the matter is, we have to stay diligent. We have those individuals included, and we have bills coming up to include those individuals that for some reason were excluded, and it is important that we understand that. It is important that we understand the financial impact. It is important that we understand what we have done is a good thing. But it is almost important—I know what the gentleman is, he is a good man and he wants to do the right thing. But sometimes we have to understand the pragmatics of a situation. In this situation we did a good job.

This amendment is unneeded. It is overreaching. It has a financial impact, and it is going to burden every individual that sends a child to a university for individuals that are not needed to be under this. I want to thank the individual for the amendment. But most of all, I am going to ask my colleagues in the hall to understand how important it is to vote "no" to this. Please vote "no." Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

#### BILL AND AMENDMENT PASSED OVER TEMPORARILY

The SPEAKER. The Chair is going to go over the bill and amendment temporarily. The Chair will be calling it back up on the House floor. There are four other individuals that wish to speak on that.

The Chair is going to move to some third consideration bills.

## SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR B

### BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 2069, PN 3340**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of August 26, 1971 (P.L.351, No.91), known as the State Lottery Law, in pharmaceutical assistance for the elderly, further providing for definitions, for program generally and for generic drugs, providing for medication synchronization, further providing for the Pharmaceutical Assistance Contract for the Elderly Needs Enhancement Tier (PACENET) and for board and providing for medication therapy management.

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?

Representative Steve Samuelson, on the bill.

Mr. SAMUELSON. Thank you.

I rise to urge support for HB 2069. This is legislation that I have introduced together with Representative Frank Farry of Bucks County, who is the prime sponsor, and this raises the income limit on the PACENET (Pharmaceutical Assistance Contract for the Elderly Needs Enhancement Tier) program.

It has been 12 1/2 years since the last time we raised the income limit on Pennsylvania's prescription drug program. This bill would raise that PACENET income limit from the current \$23,500 for a single person up to \$31,000. It would also raise the income limit from the current \$31,500 for a married couple up to \$41,000.

So under this legislation, the income limits are raised to a level sufficient to keep pace with the increases in the cost of living since 2004. Our PACE (Pharmaceutical Assistance Contract for the Elderly) and PACENET program is 32 years old. It serves hundreds of thousands of people every year, and this bill will allow an additional 32,000 people to sign up for PACENET.

I urge a "yes" vote. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Representative.

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.

(Members proceeded to vote.)

### LEAVE OF ABSENCE CANCELED

The SPEAKER. Representative Youngblood is back on the House floor and should be placed on the master roll.

## CONSIDERATION OF HB 2069 CONTINUED

On the question recurring,  
Shall the bill pass finally?

The following roll call was recorded:

### YEAS—189

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

### NAYS—0

### NOT VOTING—0

### EXCUSED—13

Cruz	Driscoll	Maloney	Roebuck
Daley, P.	Freeman	Milne	Savage
DeLuca	Maher	Petri	Simmons
Donatucci			

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 1597, PN 3396**, entitled:

An Act designating a portion of State Route 2026, also known as Blair Mill Road, in Montgomery County as the Private First Class Paul T. Wright Memorial Highway.

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—189

Acosta	Everett	Kotik	Readshaw
Adolph	Fabrizio	Krueger	Reed
Artis	Farina	Lawrence	Reese
Baker	Farry	Lewis	Regan
Barbin	Fee	Longietti	Roae
Barrar	Flynn	Mackenzie	Ross
Benninghoff	Frankel	Mahoney	Rothman
Bizzarro	Gabler	Major	Rozzi
Bloom	Gainey	Markosek	Saccone
Boback	Galloway	Marshall	Sainato
Boyle	Gergely	Marsico	Samuelson
Bradford	Gibbons	Masser	Sankey
Briggs	Gillen	Matzie	Santarsiero
Brown, R.	Gillespie	McCarter	Santora
Brown, V.	Gingrich	McClinton	Saylor
Bullock	Godshall	McGinnis	Schemel
Burns	Goodman	McNeill	Schlossberg
Caltagirone	Greiner	Mentzer	Schreiber
Carroll	Grove	Metcalfe	Schweyer
Causar	Hahn	Metzgar	Sims
Christiana	Hanna	Miccarelli	Snyder
Cohen	Harhai	Millard	Sonney
Conklin	Harhart	Miller, B.	Staats
Corbin	Harkins	Miller, D.	Stephens
Costa, D.	Harper	Moul	Sturla
Costa, P.	Harris, A.	Mullery	Tallman
Cox	Harris, J.	Murt	Taylor
Culver	Heffley	Mustio	Thomas
Cutler	Helm	Neilson	Tobash
Daley, M.	Hennessey	Nelson	Toepel
Davidson	Hickernell	Nesbit	Toohil
Davis	Hill	Neuman	Topper
Dawkins	Irvin	O'Brien	Tuitt
Day	James	O'Neill	Vereb
Dean	Jozwiak	Oberlander	Vitali
Deasy	Kampf	Ortitay	Ward
DeLissio	Kaufer	Parker, D.	Warner
Delozier	Kauffman	Pashinski	Watson
Dermody	Kavulich	Payne	Wentling
Diamond	Keller, F.	Peifer	Wheatley
DiGiorlamo	Keller, M.K.	Petrarca	Wheeland
Dunbar	Keller, W.	Pickett	White
Dush	Kim	Pyle	Youngblood

Ellis	Kinsey	Quigley	Zimmerman
Emrick	Kirkland	Quinn	
English	Klunk	Rader	Turzai,
Evankovich	Knowles	Rapp	Speaker
Evans	Kortz	Ravenstahl	

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—13

Cruz	Driscoll	Maloney	Roebuck
Daley, P.	Freeman	Milne	Savage
DeLuca	Maher	Petri	Simmons
Donatucci			

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 1740, PN 3429**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in miscellaneous provisions, further providing for police reports.

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—172

Acosta	Fabrizio	Lewis	Reese
Adolph	Farina	Longietti	Regan
Artis	Farry	Mackenzie	Roae
Barrar	Fee	Mahoney	Ross
Benninghoff	Flynn	Major	Rothman
Bizzarro	Frankel	Markosek	Rozzi
Bloom	Gainey	Marshall	Saccone
Boback	Galloway	Marsico	Sainato
Boyle	Gergely	Masser	Samuelson
Bradford	Gillespie	Matzie	Sankey
Briggs	Godshall	McCarter	Santarsiero
Brown, R.	Goodman	McClinton	Santora
Brown, V.	Greiner	McGinnis	Saylor
Bullock	Grove	McNeill	Schemel
Caltagirone	Hahn	Mentzer	Schlossberg
Carroll	Hanna	Miccarelli	Schreiber
Christiana	Harhai	Millard	Schweyer
Cohen	Harhart	Miller, B.	Sims
Conklin	Harkins	Miller, D.	Snyder
Corbin	Harper	Moul	Sonney

Costa, D.	Harris, A.	Murt	Staats
Costa, P.	Harris, J.	Mustio	Stephens
Cox	Heffley	Neilson	Sturla
Culver	Helm	Nelson	Tallman
Cutler	Hennessey	Nesbit	Taylor
Daley, M.	Hickernell	Neuman	Thomas
Davidson	Hill	O'Brien	Tobash
Davis	Irvin	O'Neill	Toepel
Dawkins	James	Oberlander	Toohil
Dean	Jozwiak	Ortitay	Truitt
Deasy	Kampf	Parker, D.	Vereb
DeLissio	Kaufer	Pashinski	Vitali
Delozier	Kauffman	Payne	Warner
Dermody	Kavulich	Peifer	Watson
Diamond	Keller, F.	Pickett	Wentling
DiGirolamo	Keller, M.K.	Pyle	Wheatley
Dunbar	Keller, W.	Quigley	Wheeland
Dush	Kim	Quinn	White
Ellis	Kinsey	Rader	Youngblood
Emrick	Kirkland	Rapp	Zimmerman
English	Klunk	Ravenstahl	
Evankovich	Knowles	Readshaw	Turzai,
Evans	Kotik	Reed	Speaker
Everett	Krueger		

## NAYS—17

Baker	Gabler	Kortz	Mullery
Barbin	Gibbons	Lawrence	Petrarca
Burns	Gillen	Metcalfe	Topper
Causar	Gingrich	Metzgar	Ward
Day			

## NOT VOTING—0

## EXCUSED—13

Cruz	Driscoll	Maloney	Roebuck
Daley, P.	Freeman	Milne	Savage
DeLuca	Maher	Petri	Simmons
Donatucci			

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

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **SB 983, PN 1852**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in registration of vehicles, further providing for person with disability plate and placard.

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—189

Acosta	Everett	Kotik	Readshaw
Adolph	Fabrizio	Krueger	Reed
Artis	Farina	Lawrence	Reese
Baker	Farry	Lewis	Regan
Barbin	Fee	Longietti	Roae
Barrar	Flynn	Mackenzie	Ross
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Briggs	Gillen	Matzie	Santarsiero
Brown, R.	Gillespie	McCarter	Santora
Brown, V.	Gingrich	McClinton	Saylor
Bullock	Godshall	McGinnis	Schemel
Burns	Goodman	McNeill	Schlossberg
Caltagirone	Greiner	Mentzer	Schreiber
Carroll	Grove	Metcalfe	Schweyer
Causar	Hahn	Metzgar	Sims
Christiana	Hanna	Miccarelli	Snyder
Cohen	Harhai	Millard	Sonney
Conklin	Harhart	Miller, B.	Staats
Corbin	Harkins	Miller, D.	Stephens
Costa, D.	Harper	Moul	Sturla
Costa, P.	Harris, A.	Mullery	Tallman
Cox	Harris, J.	Murt	Taylor
Culver	Heffley	Mustio	Thomas
Cutler	Helm	Neilson	Tobash
Daley, M.	Hennessey	Nelson	Toepel
Davidson	Hickernell	Nesbit	Toohil
Davis	Hill	Neuman	Topper
Dawkins	Irvin	O'Brien	Truitt
Day	James	O'Neill	Vereb
Dean	Jozwiak	Oberlander	Vitali
Deasy	Kampf	Ortitay	Ward
DeLissio	Kaufer	Parker, D.	Warner
Delozier	Kauffman	Pashinski	Watson
Dermody	Kavulich	Payne	Wentling
Diamond	Keller, F.	Peifer	Wheatley
DiGirolamo	Keller, M.K.	Petrarca	Wheeland
Dunbar	Keller, W.	Pickett	White
Dush	Kim	Pyle	Youngblood
Ellis	Kinsey	Quigley	Zimmerman
Emrick	Kirkland	Quinn	
English	Klunk	Rader	Turzai,
Evankovich	Knowles	Rapp	Speaker
Evans	Kortz	Ravenstahl	

## NAYS—0

## NOT VOTING—0

## EXCUSED—13

Cruz	Driscoll	Maloney	Roebuck
Daley, P.	Freeman	Milne	Savage
DeLuca	Maher	Petri	Simmons
Donatucci			

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

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 2026, PN 3253**, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 51 (Military Affairs) and 74 (Transportation) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in Department of Military Affairs, providing for Civil Air Patrol; and, in authority of Department of Transportation, further providing for authority of department.

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—189

Acosta	Everett	Kotik	Readshaw
Adolph	Fabrizio	Krueger	Reed
Artis	Farina	Lawrence	Reese
Baker	Farry	Lewis	Regan
Barbin	Fee	Longietti	Roae
Barrar	Flynn	Mackenzie	Ross
Benninghoff	Frankel	Mahoney	Rothman
Bizzarro	Gabler	Major	Rozzi
Bloom	Gainey	Markosek	Saccone
Boback	Galloway	Marshall	Sainato
Boyle	Gergely	Marsico	Samuelson
Bradford	Gibbons	Masser	Sankey
Briggs	Gillen	Matzie	Santarsiero
Brown, R.	Gillespie	McCarter	Santora
Brown, V.	Gingrich	McClinton	Saylor
Bullock	Godshall	McGinnis	Schemel
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Christiana	Hanna	Miccarelli	Snyder
Cohen	Harhai	Millard	Sonney
Conklin	Harhart	Miller, B.	Staats
Corbin	Harkins	Miller, D.	Stephens
Costa, D.	Harper	Moul	Sturla
Costa, P.	Harris, A.	Mullery	Tallman
Cox	Harris, J.	Murt	Taylor
Culver	Heffley	Mustio	Thomas
Cutler	Helm	Neilson	Tobash
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Davidson	Hickernell	Nesbit	Toohil
Davis	Hill	Neuman	Topper
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Day	James	O'Neill	Verbe
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Delozier	Kauffman	Pashinski	Watson
Dermody	Kavulich	Payne	Wentling
Diamond	Keller, F.	Peifer	Wheatley
DiGirolamo	Keller, M.K.	Petrarca	Wheeland
Dunbar	Keller, W.	Pickett	White
Dush	Kim	Pyle	Youngblood

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Emrick	Kirkland	Quinn	
English	Klunk	Rader	Turzai,
Evankovich	Knowles	Rapp	Speaker
Evans	Kortz	Ravenstahl	

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—13

Cruz	Driscoll	Maloney	Roebuck
Daley, P.	Freeman	Milne	Savage
DeLuca	Maher	Petri	Simmons
Donatucci			

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

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **SB 847, PN 1639**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for State Veterans' Commission.

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—189

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Adolph	Fabrizio	Krueger	Reed
Artis	Farina	Lawrence	Reese
Baker	Farry	Lewis	Regan
Barbin	Fee	Longietti	Roae
Barrar	Flynn	Mackenzie	Ross
Benninghoff	Frankel	Mahoney	Rothman
Bizzarro	Gabler	Major	Rozzi
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Boback	Galloway	Marshall	Sainato
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Bradford	Gibbons	Masser	Sankey
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Dunbar	Keller, W.	Pickett	White
Dush	Kim	Pyle	Youngblood
Ellis	Kinsey	Quigley	Zimmerman
Emrick	Kirkland	Quinn	
English	Klunk	Rader	Turzai,
Evankovich	Knowles	Rapp	Speaker
Evans	Kortz	Ravenstahl	

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—13

Cruz	Driscoll	Maloney	Roebuck
Daley, P.	Freeman	Milne	Savage
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Donatucci			

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

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

## CALENDAR CONTINUED

## CONSIDERATION OF SB 1156 CONTINUED

### BILL PASSED OVER

The SPEAKER. Now, the Chair is going to go over for the day, actually, SB 1156, PN 1772. We can return to that tomorrow.

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 2078, PN 3395**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in certification of teachers, further providing for issuing permanent college certificates, for

program of continuing professional education and for professional educator discipline fee.

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

The SPEAKER. There is an amendment to that. There were a couple of amendments.

First, Representative Emrick had an amendment.

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

Mr. **EMRICK** offered the following amendment  
No. **A07778**:

Amend Bill, page 1, line 7, by inserting after "education"  
, for evaluation of applications for certification

Amend Bill, page 4, by inserting between lines 6 and 7

Section 3. Section 1216 of the act, added July 13, 2005 (P.L.226, No.46), is amended to read:

Section 1216. Evaluation of Applications for Certification.—(a) All applications for certification shall be evaluated in their entirety. The Department of Education shall notify the applicant if the application is incomplete and include a listing of all materials or information needed to complete the application. The applicant's pending application shall remain open for one year following the date of such notification. No letter of denial of certification shall be issued unless all deficiencies in the application are stated in the letter of denial.

(b) The grade point average used by the department in evaluating the grade point average requirements for certification pursuant to 22 Pa. Code § 354.24 (relating to academic performance) shall be as follows:

(1) For applicants whose initial preparation culminated in a bachelor's degree or higher prior to October 7, 2000, the grade point average in effect on the date of application for certification.

(2) For applicants whose initial preparation culminates in a bachelor's degree or higher on or after October 7, 2000, the grade point average in effect on the date of graduation.

(c) A teacher preparation program approved by the Department of Education shall recommend applicants for certification who meet either of the standards for grade point average set forth in 22 Pa. Code § 354.33(5) or (6) (relating to professional competency).

(d) (1) A teacher preparation program approved by the Department of Education shall not require a student enrolled in the program to obtain a passing score on an assessment administered pursuant to 22 Pa. Code § 49.18 (relating to assessment) as a condition of program completion or graduation or include the student's score on the assessment as a component of a student's grade in any course, provided that the observational assessment of professional knowledge and practice may be included as a component of a student's student teaching grade.

(2) Subject to section 1207.3(a), a teacher preparation program approved by the Department of Education shall not include a student's score on the assessment of basic skills administered pursuant to 22 Pa. Code § 49.18 (relating to assessment) as a component of a student's grade in any course.

(3) For purposes of this paragraph:

(i) "Assessment" shall include the assessment of general knowledge, the assessment of professional knowledge and practice or the assessment of subject matter as such terms are defined in 22 Pa. Code § 49.1 (relating to definitions).

(ii) "Assessment of basic skills" shall have the meaning given in 22 Pa. Code § 49.1.

(iii) "Assessment of professional knowledge and practice" shall have the meaning given in 22 Pa. Code § 49.1.



Amend Bill, page 4, line 7, by striking out "3" and inserting

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Amend Bill, page 5, line 20, by striking out "4" and inserting

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On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

#### AMENDMENT WITHDRAWN

The SPEAKER. The Chair calls upon Representative Emrick. The floor is yours, sir.

Mr. EMRICK. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. You may proceed, sir.

Mr. EMRICK. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Amendment A07778 is identical language to HB 499, which passed this House unanimously earlier this session. What the bill and the amendment, in essence, do is prevent any college or university in the Commonwealth from requiring students who are getting a degree in education to pass the teacher certification exam before they actually graduate. It does not mean they do not have to pass it after they graduate, but it is not a term or condition of graduation itself.

This comes from a case with one of my constituents who, basically, had his degree taken from him and was given a degree in liberal studies, in essence never allowing him to teach in the State of Pennsylvania. Mr. Speaker, this issue is destroying the careers of many, many students in the Commonwealth for absolutely no reason.

As a result, my bill currently sits in the Senate Education Committee, and I have had discussions with members of our leadership team who have assured me that they are going to help me work with the Senate Education chairman and the committee itself on my bill, HB 499, and in respect for my colleague from York County, who is the prime sponsor of this legislation, HB 2078, I will withdraw this amendment, Mr. Speaker. Thank you very much.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Representative Emrick.

The amendment has been withdrawn.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

The SPEAKER. It is my understanding that Representative Phillips-Hill has an amendment to her bill.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

Mrs. **HILL** offered the following amendment No. **A07771**:

Amend Bill, page 3, line 23, by striking out "year" and inserting previous two calendar years

Amend Bill, page 3, line 24, by inserting after "certification" under this paragraph

Amend Bill, page 3, line 25, by inserting after "educator" with voluntary inactive certification

Amend Bill, page 3, line 28, by inserting after "granted."

In the case of a professional educator whose certificate was placed on inactive status by the department due to the expiration of the professional educator's compliance period, the professional educator shall begin a new five-year compliance period to satisfy the requirements of subsection (a).

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes Representative Phillips-Hill.

Mrs. HILL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This amendment changes the requirement that a person with an out-of-State certificate be employed using the out-of-State certificate in the other State within the prior 2 calendar years as opposed to 1 calendar year. It also clarifies that a person with an out-of-State certificate whose certificate was inactivated by PDE (Pennsylvania Department of Education) due to the expiration of the person's compliance will begin a new 5-year compliance period when the inactive certification is lifted under the provisions of this bill.

This amendment was crafted in consultation with the Department of Education. It is also supported by the Department of Education, various education organizations, because it refines and clarifies the process established under this bill. It also recognizes the time necessary for an educator to work through this process.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Does anybody else wish to speak on the amendment?

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

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NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—13

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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.

There are no further votes for today.

### BILLS RECOMMITTED

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

HB 1785;  
HB 2078;  
HB 2082; and  
SB 356.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Motion was agreed to.

### BILLS REMOVED FROM TABLE

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

HB 2034;  
HB 2035;  
SB 179;  
SB 562; and  
SB 1232.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Motion was agreed to.

### BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 1551, PN 2636**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in other required equipment, further providing for restraint systems; and making an editorial change.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

### BILL TABLED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who moves that HB 1551 be removed from the active calendar and placed on the tabled calendar.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Motion was agreed to.

### BILL REMOVED FROM TABLE

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who moves that HB 1551 be removed from the tabled calendar and placed on the active calendar.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Motion was agreed to.

### BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS PASSED OVER

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

### ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER. Representative Chris Sainato moves that the House be adjourned until Tuesday, June 7, 2016, at 11 a.m., e.d.t., unless sooner recalled by the Speaker.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Motion was agreed to, and at 4:02 p.m., e.d.t., the House adjourned.