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### HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

**THE SPEAKER (MIKE TURZAI)  
PRESIDING**

#### PRAYER

The SPEAKER. The prayer today will be offered by Sister GERALYN SCHMIDT of the Harrisburg Diocese. She is the guest of Representative Andrew Lewis, and myself, as Speaker.

SISTER GERALYN SCHMIDT, Guest Chaplain of the House of Representatives, offered the following prayer:

Let us listen to a reading from part of Psalm 119: "Teach me, O Lord, the way of your statutes, and I will observe it to the end. Give me understanding, that I may keep your law and observe it with my whole heart. Lead me in the path of your commandments, for I delight in it. Turn my heart to your decrees, and not to selfish gain. Turn my eyes from looking at vanities; give me life in your ways. Confirm to your servant your promise, which is for those who fear you. Turn away the disgrace that I dread, for your ordinances are good. See, I have longed for your precepts; in your righteousness give me life."

Let us pray: Divine lawgiver and creator of the universe, today we come before You knowing that You are always with us and attentive to our needs. As Your Representatives gather today to serve the people of Pennsylvania, allow them to minister to each other. May they always respect and reverence the diversity of gifts, talents, personalities, and ideas which each of them possesses. Give them patience and a discerning ear, as they listen to each other's points of view in working to find common ground in the creation of just laws for all Pennsylvanians. Give them wisdom and knowledge in fashioning laws that truly articulate the common good and not personal agendas. Help them to be courageous in seeking out what is truly just and right, as well as a heartfelt reverence for all. Finally, Most Holy One, bless all their endeavors and may they reflect Your love, Your peace, and Your justice. We ask this and all things in Your name. Amen.

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

### JOURNAL APPROVAL POSTPONED

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the approval of the Journal of Tuesday, January 21, 2020, will be postponed until printed.

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

**HB 1779, PN 2369**

By Rep. METCALFE

An Act amending the act of November 26, 1978 (P.L.1375, No.325), known as the Dam Safety and Encroachments Act, further providing for definitions and for projects affecting submerged lands of the Commonwealth.

ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY.

### RESOLUTIONS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEES

**HR 119, PN 741**

By Rep. BOBACK

A Resolution recognizing emotional abuse of children and its deleterious effect on all individuals in this Commonwealth.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH.

**HR 180, PN 1132**

By Rep. BOBACK

A Resolution directing the Joint State Government Commission to establish an advisory committee to conduct a study of the Commonwealth's current return on investments regarding after-school programs and provide feedback on developing a means to capture outcomes for the purpose of bolstering return on investments for after-school programs.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH.

**HR 641, PN 3022**

By Rep. BOBACK

A Resolution designating January 23, 2020, as "Maternal Health Awareness Day" in Pennsylvania to recognize all the women who die from complications of pregnancy or childbirth.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH.

**HR 645, PN 3043**

By Rep. BOBACK

A Resolution recognizing the month of January 2020 as "National Mentoring Month" in Pennsylvania.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH.

**HR 655, PN 3090**

By Rep. RAPP

A Resolution recognizing February 2, 2020, as "Rheumatoid Awareness Day" in Pennsylvania.

HEALTH.

**HR 656, PN 3091**

By Rep. RAPP

A Resolution designating the week of February 9 through 15, 2020, as "Cardiovascular Disease and Diabetes Awareness Week" in Pennsylvania.

HEALTH.

**HR 668, PN 3152**

By Rep. RAPP

A Resolution designating February 7, 2020, as "National Black HIV/AIDS Awareness Day" in Pennsylvania.

HEALTH.

**HR 671, PN 3155**

By Rep. RAPP

A Resolution recognizing the month of January 2020 as "Thyroid Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

HEALTH.

**HR 672, PN 3156**

By Rep. RAPP

A Resolution designating the week of February 7 through 14, 2020, as "Congenital Heart Defect Awareness Week" in Pennsylvania.

HEALTH.

**HR 677, PN 3161**

By Rep. RAPP

A Resolution designating the month of February 2020 as "Marfan Syndrome Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

HEALTH.

**HR 682, PN 3190**

By Rep. RAPP

A Resolution recognizing the month of January 2020 as "Cervical Cancer Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

HEALTH.

**HR 683, PN 3191**

By Rep. RAPP

A Resolution designating January 26, 2020, as "Kawasaki Disease Awareness Day" in Pennsylvania.

HEALTH.

**HR 684, PN 3181**

By Rep. RAPP

A Resolution designating the week of January 19 through 25, 2020, as "Nurse Anesthetists Week" in Pennsylvania.

HEALTH.

**HOUSE RESOLUTIONS  
INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

**No. 685** By Representatives BULLOCK, KULIK, PICKETT, POLINCHOCK, MALAGARI, HOHENSTEIN, A. DAVIS, KINSEY, McCARTER, KORTZ, LONGIETTI, PASHINSKI, MILLARD, BURNS, SONNEY, KOSIEROWSKI, BIZZARRO, SCHLEGEL CULVER, HILL-EVANS, ISAACSON, SCHLOSSBERG, WILLIAMS, BROOKS, KIM, MURT, FREEMAN, SAPPEY, SANCHEZ, SAYLOR, ROEBUCK, BROWN, INNAMORATO, THOMAS, TOOHIL, CIRESI, READSHAW, MENTZER, DEASY, NEILSON, CONKLIN, O'MARA and EVERETT

A Resolution recognizing March 2, 2020, as "Read Across America Day" in Pennsylvania.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, January 22, 2020.

**No. 686** By Representatives BULLOCK, HILL-EVANS, BURNS, KOSIEROWSKI, LONGIETTI, PASHINSKI, BOBACK, SONNEY, BIZZARRO, SANCHEZ, YOUNGBLOOD, KORTZ, BURGOS, BROOKS, KINSEY, MURT, MILLARD, DONATUCCI, WARREN, CIRESI, SCHLOSSBERG, BERNSTINE, DEASY, GAINEY, HOHENSTEIN, McCLINTON, WILLIAMS, GALLOWAY, ROEBUCK, KIM, SCHWEYER and CONKLIN

A Resolution recognizing the week of March 2 through 6, 2020, as "National School Breakfast Week" in Pennsylvania.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, January 22, 2020.

**No. 687** By Representatives STRUZZI, BARRAR, BERNSTINE, BIZZARRO, BOBACK, BURNS, COX, SCHLEGEL CULVER, DUSH, FREEMAN, GLEIM, GREINER, HEFFLEY, HOHENSTEIN, JAMES, JONES, JOZWIAK, KIM, KNOWLES, KORTZ, LONGIETTI, MACKENZIE, MILLARD, MURT, OWLETT, PICKETT, PYLE, RAPP, READSHAW, RYAN, SANKEY, SAPPEY, SAYLOR, SCHMITT, SONNEY, TOEPEL, YOUNGBLOOD and CONKLIN

A Resolution designating May 20, 2020, as "Jimmy Stewart Day" in Pennsylvania.

Referred to Committee on TOURISM AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, January 22, 2020.

**No. 688** By Representatives STRUZZI, BERNSTINE, BIZZARRO, BOBACK, BROOKS, BURNS, COX, DUSH, FREEMAN, GREINER, HEFFLEY, HOHENSTEIN, JAMES, KIM, KORTZ, LONGIETTI, MACKENZIE, MILLARD, MURT, OWLETT, PICKETT, READSHAW, RYAN, SAYLOR, SCHMITT, SONNEY and CONKLIN

A Resolution honoring the 25th anniversary of the Jimmy Stewart Museum.

Referred to Committee on TOURISM AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, January 22, 2020.

## HOUSE BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

**No. 2171** By Representatives SONNEY, TOPPER, SCHROEDER, BENNINGHOFF, BIZZARRO, BROWN, DRISCOLL, EVERETT, GAYDOS, HARKINS, JAMES, JONES, KORTZ, MASSER, MILLARD, MOUL, MUSTELLO, OBERLANDER, OWLETT, PICKETT, RADER, ROAE, ROTHMAN, ROZZI, SAYLOR, STAATS, STRUZZI, BRIGGS, SCHLEGEL CULVER and MERSKI

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 establishment of the State System of Higher Education and its institutions, for board of governors, for the chancellor, for powers and duties of the board of governors, for councils of trustees, for powers and duties of councils of trustees and for power and duties of institution presidents.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, January 22, 2020.

**No. 2172** By Representatives TOPPER, SONNEY, SCHROEDER, BENNINGHOFF, BROWN, DRISCOLL, EVERETT, GAYDOS, JAMES, JONES, KORTZ, MASSER, McCLINTON, MILLARD, MOUL, MUSTELLO, OBERLANDER, OWLETT, PICKETT, RADER, ROAE, ROTHMAN, ROZZI, SAYLOR, STAATS, STRUZZI, SCHLEGEL CULVER and MERSKI

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 definitions, for establishment of the State System of Higher Education and its institutions, for purposes and general powers, for project contracts, for power and duties of institution presidents, for method of disposition and consideration by the General Assembly and for campus police powers and duties.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, January 22, 2020.

**No. 2173** By Representatives SCHROEDER, SONNEY, TOPPER, BENNINGHOFF, BRIGGS, BROWN, DRISCOLL, EVERETT, GAYDOS, HARKINS, JAMES, JONES, KIM, KORTZ, MASSER, McCLINTON, MILLARD, MOUL, MUSTELLO, OBERLANDER, OWLETT, PICKETT, RADER, ROAE, ROTHMAN, ROZZI, SAYLOR, STAATS, STRUZZI, SCHLEGEL CULVER and MERSKI

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 purposes and general powers, for rental fees and other charges and for annual report and providing for student records.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, January 22, 2020.

**No. 2243** By Representatives HARKINS, DiGIROLAMO, MILLARD, MULLERY, SCHLOSSBERG, CALTAGIRONE, ZABEL, PASHINSKI, FLYNN, McNEILL, HOHENSTEIN, MERSKI, DeLUCA, KINSEY, HILL-EVANS, FREEMAN, MALAGARI, READSHAW, GALLOWAY, MARKOSEK, SCHWEYER, ROEBUCK, FRANKEL, DEASY, ISAACSON, NEILSON, BIZZARRO, THOMAS, MATZIE and KAUFER

An Act amending the act of October 13, 2010 (P.L.506, No.72), known as the Construction Workplace Misclassification Act, further providing for improper classification of employees, for administrative penalties, for stop-work orders, for certain agreement prohibited and for use of penalty funds.

Referred to Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, January 22, 2020.

## LEAVES OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER. Members, we are going to proceed to do leaves of absence and then we are going to take the master roll.

The majority whip, Representative Kerry Benninghoff, requests leaves of absence for Representative George DUNBAR of Westmoreland County for the day and Representative David MILLARD of Columbia County for the day. Without objection, those will be granted.

The minority whip, Representative Jordan Harris, requests leaves of absence for Representative Patty KIM of Dauphin County for the day, Representative Bill KORTZ of Allegheny County for the day, and Representative Ed GAINEY of Allegheny County for the day. Without objection, those will be granted.

Representative Barb GLEIM has requested to be placed on leave. Without objection, that will be granted.

## MASTER ROLL CALL

The SPEAKER. We will now proceed to vote on the master roll.

The following roll call was recorded:

### PRESENT—188

Barrar	Fitzgerald	Madden	Roae
Benninghoff	Flynn	Malagari	Roebuck
Bernstine	Frankel	Maloney	Rothman
Bizzarro	Freeman	Markosek	Rowe
Boback	Fritz	Marshall	Rozzi
Borowicz	Gabler	Masser	Ryan
Boyle	Galloway	Matzie	Sainato
Bradford	Gaydos	McCarte	Samuelson
Briggs	Gillen	McClinton	Sanchez
Brooks	Gillespie	McNeill	Sankey
Brown	Goodman	Mehaffie	Sappye
Bullock	Gregory	Mentzer	Saylor
Burgos	Greiner	Merski	Schemel
Burns	Grove	Metcalfe	Schlossberg
Caltagirone	Hahn	Metzgar	Schmitt
Carroll	Hanbidge	Mihalek	Schroeder
Causer	Harkins	Miller, B.	Schweyer
Cephas	Harris	Miller, D.	Shusterman
Ciresi	Heffley	Mizgorski	Simmons
Comitta	Helm	Moul	Snyder
Conklin	Hennessey	Mullery	Solomon
Cook	Hershey	Mullins	Sonney
Cox	Hickernell	Murt	Staats
Cruz	Hohenstein	Mustello	Stephens
Culver	Howard	Neilson	Struzzi
Cutler	Innamorato	Nelson	Sturla
Daley	Irvin	O'Mara	Thomas
Davidson	Isaacson	O'Neal	Tobash
Davis, A.	James	Oberlander	Toepel

Davis, T.	Jones	Ortitay	Toohil
Dawkins	Jozwiak	Otten	Topper
Day	Kail	Owlett	Ullman
Deasy	Kaufner	Pashinski	Vitali
DeLissio	Kauffman	Peifer	Warner
Delloso	Keefer	Petrarca	Warren
Delozier	Keller	Pickett	Webster
Dermody	Kenyatta	Polinchock	Wentling
Diamond	Kinsey	Puskaric	Wheatley
Donatucci	Kirkland	Pyle	Wheeland
Dowling	Klunk	Quinn	White
Driscoll	Knowles	Rabb	Williams
Dush	Krueger	Rader	Youngblood
Ecker	Kulik	Rapp	Zabel
Emrick	Lawrence	Ravenstahl	Zimmerman
Evans	Lee	Readshaw	
Farry	Lewis	Reese	Turzai,
Fee	Longietti	Rigby	Speaker
Fiedler	Mackenzie		

ADDITIONS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—11

DeLuca	Gainey	Kortz	Millard
Dunbar	Gleim	Kosierowski	Sims
Everett	Kim	Mako	

LEAVES ADDED—2

Galloway	Miller, D.
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LEAVES CANCELED—1

Dunbar

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

Members, we have some guests with us on our resolutions, so we are going to do the votes on the resolutions right now. We do have some guests with us on resolutions. There are three resolutions that are listed today.

CALENDAR

RESOLUTIONS

Mrs. BULLOCK called up **HR 644, PN 3042**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the week of January 19 through 25, 2020, as "Healthy Weight Week" and designating January 23, 2020, as "Women's Healthy Weight Day" in Pennsylvania.

On the question,  
Will the House adopt the resolution?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—188

Barrar	Fitzgerald	Madden	Roae
Benninghoff	Flynn	Malagari	Roebuck
Bernstine	Frankel	Maloney	Rothman
Bizzarro	Freeman	Markosek	Rowe

Boback	Fritz	Marshall	Rozzi
Borowicz	Gabler	Masser	Ryan
Boyle	Galloway	Matzie	Sainato
Bradford	Gaydos	McCarter	Samuelson
Briggs	Gillen	McClinton	Sanchez
Brooks	Gillespie	McNeill	Sankey
Brown	Goodman	Mehaffie	Sappey
Bullock	Gregory	Mentzer	Saylor
Burgos	Greiner	Merski	Schemel
Burns	Grove	Metcalfe	Schlossberg
Caltagirone	Hahn	Metzgar	Schmitt
Carroll	Hanbidge	Mihalek	Schroeder
Causer	Harkins	Miller, B.	Schweyer
Cephas	Harris	Miller, D.	Shusterman
Ciresi	Heffley	Mizgorski	Simmons
Comitta	Helm	Moul	Snyder
Conklin	Hennessey	Mullery	Solomon
Cook	Hershey	Mullins	Sonney
Cox	Hickernell	Murt	Staats
Cruz	Hohenstein	Mustello	Stephens
Culver	Howard	Neilson	Struzzi
Cutler	Innamorato	Nelson	Sturla
Daley	Irvin	O'Mara	Thomas
Davidson	Isaacson	O'Neal	Tobash
Davis, A.	James	Oberlander	Toepel
Davis, T.	Jones	Ortitay	Toohil
Dawkins	Jozwiak	Otten	Topper
Day	Kail	Owlett	Ullman
Deasy	Kaufner	Pashinski	Vitali
DeLissio	Kauffman	Peifer	Warner
Delloso	Keefer	Petrarca	Warren
Delozier	Keller	Pickett	Webster
Dermody	Kenyatta	Polinchock	Wentling
Diamond	Kinsey	Puskaric	Wheatley
Donatucci	Kirkland	Pyle	Wheeland
Dowling	Klunk	Quinn	White
Driscoll	Knowles	Rabb	Williams
Dush	Krueger	Rader	Youngblood
Ecker	Kulik	Rapp	Zabel
Emrick	Lawrence	Ravenstahl	Zimmerman
Evans	Lee	Readshaw	
Farry	Lewis	Reese	Turzai,
Fee	Longietti	Rigby	Speaker
Fiedler	Mackenzie		

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—11

DeLuca	Gainey	Kortz	Millard
Dunbar	Gleim	Kosierowski	Sims
Everett	Kim	Mako	

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

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Mr. MEHAFFIE called up **HR 650, PN 3071**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the 110th anniversary of Milton Hershey School and the life-changing opportunities it provides to children from low-income families.

On the question,  
Will the House adopt the resolution?

The following roll call was recorded:

## YEAS—188

Barrar	Fitzgerald	Madden	Roae
Benninghoff	Flynn	Malagari	Roebuck
Bernstine	Frankel	Maloney	Rothman
Bizzarro	Freeman	Markosek	Rowe
Boback	Fritz	Marshall	Rozzi
Borowicz	Gabler	Masser	Ryan
Boyle	Galloway	Matzie	Sainato
Bradford	Gaydos	McCarter	Samuelson
Briggs	Gillen	McClinton	Sanchez
Brooks	Gillespie	McNeill	Sankey
Brown	Goodman	Mehaffie	Sappey
Bullock	Gregory	Mentzer	Saylor
Burgos	Greiner	Merski	Schemel
Burns	Grove	Metcalfe	Schlossberg
Caltagirone	Hahn	Metzgar	Schmitt
Carroll	Hanbidge	Mihalek	Schroeder
Causar	Harkins	Miller, B.	Schweyer
Cephas	Harris	Miller, D.	Shusterman
Ciresi	Heffley	Mizgorski	Simmons
Comitta	Helm	Moul	Snyder
Conklin	Hennessey	Mullery	Solomon
Cook	Hershey	Mullins	Sonney
Cox	Hickernell	Murt	Staats
Cruz	Hohenstein	Mustello	Stephens
Culver	Howard	Neilson	Struzzi
Cutler	Innamorato	Nelson	Sturla
Daley	Irvin	O'Mara	Thomas
Davidson	Isaacson	O'Neal	Tobash
Davis, A.	James	Oberlander	Toepel
Davis, T.	Jones	Ortitay	Toohil
Dawkins	Jozwiak	Otten	Topper
Day	Kail	Owlett	Ullman
Deasy	Kaufer	Pashinski	Vitali
DeLissio	Kauffman	Peifer	Warner
Delloso	Keefer	Petrarca	Warren
Delozier	Keller	Pickett	Webster
Dermody	Kenyatta	Polinchock	Wentling
Diamond	Kinsey	Puskaric	Wheatley
Donatucci	Kirkland	Pyle	Wheeland
Dowling	Klunk	Quinn	White
Driscoll	Knowles	Rabb	Williams
Dush	Krueger	Rader	Youngblood
Ecker	Kulik	Rapp	Zabel
Emrick	Lawrence	Ravenstahl	Zimmerman
Evans	Lee	Readshaw	
Farry	Lewis	Reese	Turzai,
Fee	Longiotti	Rigby	Speaker
Fiedler	Mackenzie		

## NAYS—0

## NOT VOTING—0

## EXCUSED—11

DeLuca	Gainey	Kortz	Millard
Dunbar	Gleim	Kosierowski	Sims
Everett	Kim	Mako	

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

The SPEAKER. I would ask the Sergeants at Arms to please bring up our guests from the Milton Hershey School to the well of House, and Representative Tom Mehaffie will be joined by Representative Donna Oberlander. Please come on up to the well of the House, our guests from the Milton Hershey School.

You can come right up here to the rostrum. Representatives Mehaffie and Oberlander, come on up here. My apologies.

Members, I am going to ask everybody to please take their seats for these special guests. Please take your seats. We are going to close the doors of the House. If you do have a conversation, if you do not mind, just please take it off the House floor. But I am going to ask everybody to please be seated. Members in the back, if you could just take your conversations off the floor. Please be seated, everybody, and we are going to close the doors of the House. Please take your seats.

**STATEMENT BY MR. MEHAFFIE**

The SPEAKER. The Chair is calling upon Representative Tom Mehaffie on HR 650. He is joined by Representative Donna Oberlander, the majority caucus Policy chair.

Representative Mehaffie.

Mr. MEHAFFIE. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

It truly is an honor to be here today with our special guests from Milton Hershey School. I want to thank all my colleagues for supporting this unanimous HR 650 for the 110th anniversary of the Milton Hershey School.

Before I start, I would like to introduce my guests: Pete Gurt, president of Milton Hershey School; also with us is staff, Lisa Scullin and Megan Earley; and we also have seniors here today from the Milton Hershey School – Njambi Womack, Tori Wentland, and Jose Mendez-Montero.

Again, Mr. Speaker, thank you so much for the opportunity to congratulate Milton Hershey on their 110th anniversary. I want to, first, thank you for the time that you spent with me on a tour when we went through the Milton Hershey School. I thought it was a great time that we had to experience what they really do. And then on top of it, Representative Oberlander, thank you for bringing the Policy Committee to the school to understand exactly what goes on and how these great individuals, between the houseparents and the staff and the teachers, take care of these students and make sure they succeed in life.

Some of these students come from all over the country, which is an outstanding thing that Milton Hershey and his wife, Catherine, had a vision, and when they first started this school, it was about orphan boys. This school has changed so much over the last 110 years, and I was talking to Pete Gurt, the president, earlier when he came to visit me today, he said that now 51 percent of the students are girls. So I think that is really where we have come, from orphan boys all the way to 51 percent of the school being orphan girls.

When I first came to the school, it was hard for me not to fall in love with this school. They do such great work there. The houseparents, as I said, do a great job, and it is something that is outstanding, that they take their time and spend their whole life there helping these students out and helping them through the challenges in life.

There are about 11,000 alumni, which call themselves the Milts, and there are 2,100 students at this school that they take care of every day. As I said, it is a coed school, and they do a lot for these students on both sides. When you go there, you will be able to see how important this school really is and gives them the opportunity. My good friend, Jon Wilt, almost 50 years ago, graduated from this school and today he still talks so highly about it.

So today I want to recognize the 110th anniversary and thank Milton Hershey for his dream and his wife, Catherine, for what they have done and what they set in place and what has become such a wonderful, wonderful place on "The Sweetest Place On Earth®."

So thank you, Mr. Speaker, for the opportunity to do this 110th anniversary resolution today. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, sir.

### STATEMENT BY MS. OBERLANDER

The SPEAKER. Representative Donna Oberlander, please.

Ms. OBERLANDER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

And thank you, Representative, for the opportunity to just say a few words.

I want to just reflect just for a moment on the first time that I heard about Milton Hershey School. And it is sort of interesting that I was born and raised in Pennsylvania and it was in Virginia that I first heard about it. It was from a young man who was an orphan. He was a librarian for the government contractor that I worked for, and he raved about Milton Hershey School. He credited all his success and really saving him from a life of hardship.

It was later that my predecessor, Fred McIlhattan, many of whom you know, he has become a champion for the Milton Hershey School, an ambassador, if you will, and has had over 30 children from my district in the Milton Hershey School. We have had multiple houseparents, and it is quite intriguing what a wonderful job they do, what a legacy both Milton and his wife, Catherine, have instilled and installed on our Commonwealth.

I just wanted to take a moment and say thank you. The Policy Committee did go there, and it is absolutely a wonderful place. If you have the opportunity, I would highly recommend that you take that chance to just tour it and see the good work that they are doing there.

Thank you, members, and thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Representative Mehaffie and Representative Oberlander, thank you so much.

To Pete Gurt, the president, who is just an amazing individual. I had the honor to meet him with Representative Mehaffie. Representative Mehaffie is very close to the leadership and to the students at Milton Hershey School, which sits in his district. And Pete is such a dynamic leader. Pete himself went to the Milton Hershey School.

And, Pete, I know we all probably have our own personal stories. The last name Turzai, as you might know, is not a very common last name, of Hungarian origin, and a number of years ago before my father had passed away, quite some time ago, they did a reunion, some gentlemen from the Hershey area did a reunion of Turzais in Pennsylvania, and we came out and met many of these cousins of my dad whom he did not know. And two of those young men – very successful individuals – during World War II when they did not have – my father served in World War II, but these cousins were a bit younger, just prior to the war actually – they could not afford to raise the boys and they went to the Milton Hershey School. And their love for your school, like I am sure your other students, was just so heartfelt.

Thank you for all you do, and thank you to Milton Hershey on behalf of all Pennsylvanians. Pete, thank you for carrying on the mission. And God bless.

Representative Mehaffie, thank you for bringing these great people here today.

Can we please give them a really warm welcome.

And the students, we are so thrilled that you are here. Thank you very, very much.

### LEAVE OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER. Representative GALLOWAY has requested to be placed on leave. Without objection, that will be granted.

### RESOLUTION

Mr. NEILSON called up **HR 658, PN 3115**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing January 27, 2020, as "International Holocaust Remembrance Day" in Pennsylvania.

On the question,

Will the House adopt the resolution?

(Members proceeded to vote.)

The SPEAKER. I will be calling on those members who want to speak on resolutions without guests at the end of the day, at the end of the session date, and I will certainly stay on the floor for those remarks.

On the question recurring,

Will the House adopt the resolution?

The following roll call was recorded:

### YEAS—187

Barrar	Fitzgerald	Madden	Roae
Benninghoff	Flynn	Malagari	Roebuck
Bernstine	Frankel	Maloney	Rothman
Bizzarro	Freeman	Markosek	Rowe
Boback	Fritz	Marshall	Rozzi
Borowicz	Gabler	Masser	Ryan
Boyle	Gaydos	Matzie	Sainato
Bradford	Gillen	McCarter	Samuelson
Briggs	Gillespie	McClinton	Sanchez
Brooks	Goodman	McNeill	Sankey
Brown	Gregory	Mehaffie	Sapprey
Bullock	Greiner	Mentzer	Saylor
Burgos	Grove	Merski	Schemel
Burns	Hahn	Metcalfe	Schlossberg
Caltagirone	Hanbidge	Metzgar	Schmitt
Carroll	Harkins	Mihalek	Schroeder
Causser	Harris	Miller, B.	Schweyer
Cephas	Heffley	Miller, D.	Shusterman
Ciresi	Helm	Mizgorski	Simmons
Comitta	Hennessey	Moul	Snyder
Conklin	Hershey	Mullery	Solomon
Cook	Hickernell	Mullins	Sonney
Cox	Hohenstein	Murt	Staats
Cruz	Howard	Mustello	Stephens
Culver	Innamorato	Neilson	Struzzi
Cutler	Irvin	Nelson	Sturla
Daley	Isaacson	O'Mara	Thomas
Davidson	James	O'Neal	Tobash
Davis, A.	Jones	Oberlander	Toepel
Davis, T.	Jozwiak	Ortitay	Toohil
Dawkins	Kail	Otten	Topper
Day	Kaufer	Owlett	Ullman
Deasy	Kauffman	Pashinski	Vitali

DeLissio	Keefer	Peifer	Warner
Dellosio	Keller	Petrarca	Warren
Delozier	Kenyatta	Pickett	Webster
Dermody	Kinsey	Polinchock	Wentling
Diamond	Kirkland	Puskaric	Wheatley
Donatucci	Klunk	Pyle	Wheeland
Dowling	Knowles	Quinn	White
Driscoll	Krueger	Rabb	Williams
Dush	Kulik	Rader	Youngblood
Ecker	Lawrence	Rapp	Zabel
Emrick	Lee	Ravenstahl	Zimmerman
Evans	Lewis	Readshaw	
Farry	Longietti	Reese	Turzai,
Fee	Mackenzie	Rigby	Speaker
Fiedler			

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—12

DeLuca	Gainey	Kim	Mako
Dunbar	Galloway	Kortz	Millard
Everett	Gleim	Kosierowski	Sims

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

### GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. I would like to have stand at this time some guests of Representative Mike Reese, the majority caucus secretary, and if they will come up to the railing, please, the entire family, we are so honored to have them here. They are Tim and Sarah Landis, and with them today are their children – Emma; Anna; and twin boys, Luke and John. And you can all wave. We are so honored to have you here. Mike and Tim are from Mount Pleasant and played football together there. I understand, Tim, you went on to play at Boston College. And I do want you to know my good friend, Mike Reese, reminds me how good of a quarterback he was all those years. So, you know, let us know the truth while you are here, if you do not mind. Hey, you have a wonderful family. And if you will take the time when we break to come up for a photo, we would greatly appreciate it. And thank you for being with us today. Let us give them a warm welcome.

Representative Tom Murt has guest page Kory Trout. Kory, please stand. Great to have you here, Kory. He is with Representative Tom Murt.

At this time committee announcements.

### APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. We are going to start with our majority Appropriations chair, Representative Stan Saylor.

Mr. SAYLOR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

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

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Chairman.

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

### LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. Representative Dan Moul, the chair of the Local Government Committee, the chair of the Local Government Committee.

Mr. MOUL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

There will be an immediate meeting of the Local Government Committee in G-50 Irvis Office Building. I expect about a half an hour for the meeting, Mr. Speaker; immediate meeting, Local Government, Irvis Office Building, G-50.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Local Government Committee will meet immediately in G-50 Irvis Office Building.

### LEAVE OF ABSENCE CANCELED

The SPEAKER. Representative George Dunbar is on the House floor. Please place him on the master roll.

Before I call on the caucus chairs, is there any other committee chair that needs to be recognized?

### REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. Representative Marcy Toepel, the majority caucus chair, for a Republican caucus announcement.

Mrs. TOEPEL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Republicans will caucus at 12:15. We would be prepared to return to the floor at 12:45. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Madam Chair.

### DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. And the minority caucus chair, Representative Joanna McClinton, for a Democratic caucus announcement.

Ms. McCLINTON. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

House Democrats, we will caucus at 12:15; that is 12:15 this afternoon.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Madam Chair.

### ANNOUNCEMENT BY MR. KAUFER

The SPEAKER. And Representative Aaron Kaufer is recognized. Sir, you may proceed.

Mr. KAUFER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I just wanted to make an announcement that the northeast Republican delegation will have a quick 10-minute meeting immediately at the break. The northeast Republican delegation will be meeting up in Representative Pickett's office, room 315. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Thank you.

### RECESS

The SPEAKER. The House will stand in recess until 12:45 p.m.

**RECESS EXTENDED**

The time of recess was extended until 1 p.m.; further extended until 1:15 p.m.

**AFTER RECESS**

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

**BILLS REREPORTED FROM COMMITTEE**

**HB 161, PN 3195** By Rep. SAYLOR

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in offenses against the family, further providing for the offense of dealing in infant children.

**APPROPRIATIONS.**

**HB 2174, PN 3080** By Rep. SAYLOR

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in human trafficking, further providing for evidence and defenses to human trafficking.

**APPROPRIATIONS.**

**HB 2175, PN 3131** By Rep. SAYLOR

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in depositions and witnesses, further providing for expert testimony in certain criminal proceedings.

**APPROPRIATIONS.**

**HB 2176, PN 3082** By Rep. SAYLOR

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

**APPROPRIATIONS.**

**HB 2177, PN 3083** By Rep. SAYLOR

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in sentencing, further providing for sexual offender treatment.

**APPROPRIATIONS.**

**HB 2178, PN 3132** By Rep. SAYLOR

An Act amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in child custody, further providing for consideration of criminal conviction.

**APPROPRIATIONS.**

**SB 60, PN 1391** By Rep. SAYLOR

An Act amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in human trafficking, further providing for the offense of trafficking in individuals, for the offense of patronizing a victim of sexual servitude and for asset forfeiture; and, in depositions and witnesses, further providing for definitions.

**APPROPRIATIONS.****BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE, CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED**

**HB 1677, PN 3205** (Amended) By Rep. MOUL

An Act providing for an annual revenue sharing program for municipalities relating to tax-exempt real property; establishing the Tax-exempt Property Municipal Assistance Fund; imposing powers and duties on the Department of Community and Economic Development; and making an inconsistent repeal.

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT.**

**HB 2044, PN 2871** By Rep. MOUL

An Act repealing the act of May 16, 1919 (P.L. 193, No. 120), entitled "An act to provide for the licensing and regulation of public dance halls and ball rooms, and for the regulation, supervision of public dances and balls in cities of the first, second, and third classes."

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT.****LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

The SPEAKER. Representative Dan MILLER has requested to be placed on leave. Without objection, that will be granted.

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

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 1755, PN 2780**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of May 15, 1945 (P.L.547, No.217), known as the Conservation District Law, providing for legislative report.

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

The SPEAKER. It is amending the Conservation District Law.

On the question recurring,  
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 2018, PN 2834**, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of General Services, with the approval of the Governor, to grant and convey to the borough of Plymouth a permanent storm water drainage easement in Plymouth Borough, Luzerne County.

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 1536, PN 2887**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in general provisions, further providing for definitions; in licensing of drivers, further providing for suspension of operating privilege; in special vehicles and pedestrians, further providing for penalty for violation of subchapter; and, in miscellaneous provisions, further providing for the offense of careless driving.

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

Mr. **B. MILLER** offered the following amendment No. **A04382**:

Amend Bill, page 1, line 4, by inserting after "privilege;" in rules of the road in general, further providing for the offense of overtaking vehicle on the left and providing for vehicles passing pedestrians on a highway;

Amend Bill, page 2, lines 29 and 30, by striking out ", 3502 and 3714" and inserting  
and 3303(a)(3)

Amend Bill, page 4, by inserting between lines 25 and 26 § 3303. Overtaking vehicle on the left.

(a) General rule.—The following rules shall govern the overtaking and passing of vehicles proceeding in the same direction, subject to the limitations, exceptions and special rules stated in this chapter:

\* \* \*

(3) The driver of a motor vehicle overtaking a [pedalcycle] vulnerable highway user, other than a pedestrian, proceeding in the same direction shall pass to the left of the [pedalcycle] vulnerable highway user within not less than four feet at a careful and prudent reduced speed.

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Section 3. Title 75 is amended by adding a section to read:  
§ 3303.1. Vehicles passing pedestrians on a highway.

(a) General rule.—The following rules shall govern the passing of pedestrians on a highway when vehicles are proceeding in the same or opposite direction:

(1) If a pedestrian is walking on a highway or on a shoulder adjacent to a highway, the driver of a motor vehicle shall safely pass a pedestrian on the pedestrian's left side within not less than four feet, but the driver is not required to exit the laned roadway or yield to the pedestrian to achieve the four-foot requirement.

(2) If a pedestrian is walking on a highway or on a shoulder adjacent to a highway and the only option for the driver of a motor vehicle to safely pass a pedestrian is on the right side of the pedestrian, the driver of a motor vehicle shall safely pass on the pedestrian's right side within not less than four feet, but the driver is not required to exit the laned roadway or yield to the pedestrian to achieve the four-foot requirement.

(b) Construction.—Nothing within this section shall be construed to relieve a pedestrian of the requirements of section 3542 (right-of-way of pedestrians in crosswalks), 3543 (relating to pedestrians crossing at other than crosswalks) or 3544 (relating to pedestrians walking along or on highway).

Section 4. Sections 3502 and 3714 of Title 75 are amended to read:

Amend Bill, page 6, line 23, by striking out "3" and inserting  
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On the question,  
Will the House agree to the amendment?

The SPEAKER. Representative Brett Miller is recognized on his amendment. Sir.

Mr. B. MILLER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, this amendment simply applies the 4-foot buffer to a vulnerable highway user the same as it already is in law with a person who is on a bicycle. Currently the code does provide for a 4-foot buffer for those who ride a bicycle legally on the road, and this amendment would just apply that for any vulnerable highway user, and I ask for an affirmative vote.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, sir.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—119

Barrar	Fritz	Marshall	Ryan
Benninghoff	Gabler	Masser	Sainato
Bernstine	Gaydos	Mehaffie	Samuelson
Borowicz	Gillen	Mentzer	Sanchez
Briggs	Gillespie	Metcalfe	Sankey
Brooks	Gregory	Mihalek	Saylor
Brown	Greiner	Miller, B.	Schemel
Bullock	Grove	Mizgorski	Schmitt
Burgos	Hahn	Moul	Schroeder
Burns	Heffley	Murt	Simmons
Causar	Helm	Mustello	Snyder
Ciresi	Hennessey	Nelson	Sonney
Cook	Hershey	O'Neal	Staats
Cox	Hickernell	Oberlander	Stephens
Cruz	Irvin	Ortitay	Struzzi
Culver	James	Owlett	Thomas
Cutler	Jones	Peifer	Tobash
Daley	Kail	Petrarca	Toepel
Day	Kaufman	Pickett	Toohil
DeLissio	Kauffman	Polinchock	Topper
Delozier	Keefer	Puskaric	Ullman
Diamond	Keller	Pyle	Warner
Dowling	Klunk	Quinn	Webster
Dunbar	Knowles	Rader	Wentling
Dush	Lawrence	Rapp	Wheeland
Ecker	Lewis	Reese	White
Emrick	Longietti	Rigby	Zimmerman
Farry	Mackenzie	Roae	
Fee	Madden	Rothman	Turzai,
Fitzgerald	Maloney	Rowe	Speaker
Freeman			

NAYS—67

Bizzarro	Evans	Kulik	Ravenstahl
Boback	Fiedler	Lee	Readshaw
Boyle	Flynn	Malagari	Roebuck
Bradford	Frankel	Markosek	Rozzi
Caltagirone	Goodman	Matzie	Sappay
Carroll	Hanbidge	McCarter	Schlossberg
Cephas	Harkins	McClinton	Schweyer
Comitta	Harris	McNeill	Shusterman
Conklin	Hohenstein	Merski	Solomon
Davis, A.	Howard	Metzgar	Sturla
Davis, T.	Innamorato	Mullery	Vitali
Dawkins	Isaacson	Mullins	Warren
Deasy	Jozwiak	Neilson	Wheatley
Delloso	Kenyatta	O'Mara	Williams
Dermody	Kinsey	Otten	Youngblood
Donatucci	Kirkland	Pashinski	Zabel
Driscoll	Krueger	Rabb	

NOT VOTING—1

Davidson

EXCUSED—12

DeLuca	Galloway	Kortz	Millard
Everett	Gleim	Kosierowski	Miller, D.
Gainey	Kim	Mako	Sims

The majority having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

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

Mr. ROTHMAN offered the following amendment No. A04009:

Amend Bill, page 1, line 3, by inserting after "definitions;" in certificate of title, further providing for vehicles not requiring certificate of title; in registration of vehicles, further providing for vehicles exempt from registrations;

Amend Bill, page 1, line 4, by inserting after "privilege;" in fees, further providing for limitation on local license fees and taxes; in rules of the road in general, further providing for prohibitions in specified places;

Amend Bill, page 1, line 7, by inserting after "subchapter;" in special vehicles and pedestrians, providing for electric micro-mobility vehicles and further providing for Pedalcycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee;

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 9 and 10, by striking out "~~and for the offense of reckless~~" in line 9 and all of line 10 and inserting and, in powers of department and local authorities, further providing for specific powers of department and local authorities.

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 15 through 17, by striking out all of said lines and inserting

Section 1. The definitions of "motor vehicle" and "pedestrian" in section 102 of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes are amended and the section is amended by adding definitions to read:

- Amend Bill, page 2, by inserting between lines 6 and 7 "Electric micro-mobility vehicle." The following:
- (1) A vehicle weighing less than 100 pounds that:
    - (i) has handlebars and an electric motor;
    - (ii) has a floorboard which can be stood upon or a seat which may be sat upon while riding;
    - (iii) has two, three or four wheels;
    - (iv) is solely powered by the electric motor, human power or both;
    - (v) is affixed with a device or technology that limits the maximum speed to not more than 15 miles per hour on a paved level surface when powered solely by the electric motor; and
    - (vi) is designed to accommodate only one rider.
  - (2) The term does not include a pedalcycle with electric assist, an electric personal assistive mobility device, a neighborhood electric vehicle, a motorcycle, a motor-driven cycle, an autocycle or a motorized pedalcycle.

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"Micro-mobility rental enterprise." A person that makes electric micro-mobility vehicles available for rent to the public for use on roadways.

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"Motor vehicle." A vehicle which is self-propelled except an electric personal assistive mobility device, an electric micro-mobility vehicle or a vehicle which is propelled solely by human power.

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Amend Bill, page 2, by inserting between lines 27 and 28 (9) An individual on an electric micro-mobility vehicle.

Amend Bill, page 2, lines 29 and 30, by striking out all of said lines and inserting

Section 2. Sections 1102 and 1302 of Title 75 are amended by adding paragraphs to read:

§ 1102. Vehicles not requiring certificate of title.

No certificate of title is required for:

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(13) An electric micro-mobility vehicle.

§ 1302. Vehicles exempt from registration.

The following types of vehicles are exempt from registration:

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(24) An electric micro-mobility vehicle.

Section 3. Sections 1532(a) and (b)(1), 1903, 3353(a)(1)(ii) and 3502 of Title 75 are amended to read:

Amend Bill, page 4, by inserting between lines 8 and 9

§ 1903. Limitation on local license fees and taxes.

Except as set forth in [section] sections 1935 (relating to fee for local use) and 3531 (relating to municipal authorization), no municipality shall require or collect any registration or license fee or tax for any vehicle or driver's license from any person.

§ 3353. Prohibitions in specified places.

(a) General rule.—Except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic or to protect the safety of any person or vehicle or in compliance with law or the directions of a police officer or official traffic-control device, no person shall:

(1) Stop, stand or park a vehicle:

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(ii) On a sidewalk except that a pedalcycle may be parked as provided in section [3509(b)(2)] 3509.

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Amend Bill, page 4, by inserting between lines 29 and 30

Section 4. Title 75 is amended by adding a subchapter to read:

SUBCHAPTER B.1

ELECTRIC MICRO-MOBILITY VEHICLES

Sec.

3531. Municipal authorization.

3532. Application of title.

3533. Requirements and prohibitions.

§ 3531. Municipal authorization.

(a) Municipal authorization required.—An electric micro-mobility vehicle may only be operated on a roadway within the boundaries of a municipality that has adopted an ordinance authorizing the operation of electric micro-mobility vehicles as provided under subsections (b) and (c).

(b) Content of municipal ordinance.—A municipality may adopt an ordinance authorizing and regulating the operation of electric micro-mobility vehicles on roadways, which may include, but not be limited to, the following:

(1) Limiting the time and locations of operation.

(2) Allowing operation on all or certain sidewalks, provided that riders yield to pedestrians.

(3) Designating or prohibiting parking locations.

(4) Requiring permits or licenses for micro-mobility rental enterprises and imposing related fees and penalties.

(5) Limiting the number of micro-mobility rental enterprises that may operate within the municipality.

(6) Limiting the total number of electric micro-mobility vehicles that may be made available by a micro-mobility rental enterprise.

(7) Requiring anonymized consumer data related to rental of electric micro-mobility vehicles from micro-mobility rental enterprises.

(8) Requiring micro-mobility rental enterprises to implement procedures or technologies reasonably necessary to prevent or discourage the operation or parking of electric micro-

mobility vehicles in prohibited locations or operation during prohibited times.

(9) Requiring micro-mobility rental enterprises to periodically perform safety and maintenance inspections of electric micro-mobility vehicles.

(10) Requiring micro-mobility rental enterprises to place identifying markings, stickers or placards on electric micro-mobility vehicles.

(c) Municipal ordinance prohibition.—No municipality may adopt an ordinance to:

(1) Relieve a person or micro-mobility rental enterprise of the requirements or prohibitions under section 3533 (relating to requirements and prohibitions).

(2) Require licenses or permits for riders of electric micro-mobility vehicles.

(d) Definition.—As used in this section, the term "municipality" means a city, borough, incorporated town or township.

§ 3532. Application of title.

In addition to any duties, requirements or prohibitions imposed by a municipal ordinance under section 3531 (relating to municipal authorization), an individual operating an electric micro-mobility vehicle shall be granted all of the rights and shall be subject to all of the duties applicable to the operator of a pedalcycle under this title.  
§ 3533. Requirements and prohibitions.

(a) Minimum age.—No individual under 16 years of age may operate an electric micro-mobility vehicle on a roadway, unless permitted by municipal ordinance. No micro-mobility rental enterprise may rent an electric micro-mobility vehicle to an individual under 16 years of age.

(b) Speed limit.—No individual shall operate an electric micro-mobility vehicle on a roadway at a speed greater than 15 miles per hour.

(c) Lamps.—An electric micro-mobility vehicle when operated between sunset and sunrise on a roadway shall be equipped on the front with a lamp which emits a beam of white light intended to illuminate the micro-mobility vehicle operator's path and which is visible from a distance of at least 500 feet in front, and a red lamp facing to the rear which is visible at least 500 feet to the rear. An operator of an electric micro-mobility vehicle may supplement the required front and rear lamps with a white flashing lamp, light-emitting diode or similar device to enhance the operator's visibility to other traffic and with a lamp emitting a red flashing light, light-emitting diode or similar device visible from a distance of 500 feet to the rear. A lamp or lamps worn by the operator of the electric micro-mobility vehicle shall comply with the requirements of this subsection if the lamp or lamps can be seen at the distances specified.

(d) Brakes.—An electric micro-mobility vehicle operated on a roadway shall be equipped with a braking system which will stop the electric micro-mobility vehicle in 15 feet from an initial speed of 15 miles per hour on a dry, level and clean pavement.

(e) Number of riders.—No more than one individual may ride a single electric micro-mobility vehicle at a time. No individual shall attach or equip an electric micro-mobility vehicle with a trailer or similar device intended to expand the capacity of the vehicle to transport additional passengers.

(f) Prohibited operation on certain roadways.—No individual shall operate an electric micro-mobility vehicle on a freeway or within the travel lanes of a roadway with a posted speed limit in excess of 30 miles per hour unless in a marked pedalcycle lane or engaged in a legal crossing of the roadway.

(g) Seated operation.—An individual may not operate an electric micro-mobility vehicle on a roadway while seated or kneeling on the floorboard. An electric micro-mobility vehicle may be operated while seated if it is equipped with a seat.

(h) Helmets.—An individual under 16 years of age shall wear a pedalcycle helmet when riding an electric micro-mobility vehicle.

(i) Insurance coverage.—A micro-mobility rental enterprise shall maintain the following insurance coverage when making electric

micro-mobility vehicles available for rent to the public for use on roadways:

(1) Commercial general liability insurance coverage with a limit of at least \$1,000,000 each occurrence and \$5,000,000 aggregate.

(2) Umbrella or excess liability coverage with a limit of at least \$5,000,000 each occurrence and \$5,000,000 aggregate.

Section 5. Sections 3571 heading, (a), (b) introductory paragraph and (5) and (f) and 3714 of Title 75 are amended to read:

§ 3571. Pedalcycle, Micro-mobility and Pedestrian Advisory Committee.

(a) Establishment.—There is hereby established under the jurisdiction of the Department of Transportation the Pennsylvania Pedalcycle, Micro-mobility and Pedestrian Advisory Committee.

(b) Composition.—The committee shall consist of [17] 19 members. The members shall be as follows:

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(5) [Eleven] Thirteen members of the public representing various bicycling, electric micro-mobility vehicle or pedestrian constituencies. Each member shall have relevant expertise and knowledge and shall be familiar with best practices in bicycle, electric micro-mobility vehicle or pedestrian policy, planning, design and education. The public members shall be appointed by the Governor as follows:

(i) Two members representing urban and suburban constituencies in the Philadelphia and Pittsburgh metropolitan areas.

(ii) One member representing Statewide constituencies.

(iii) One member representing a metropolitan planning organization or rural planning organization.

(iv) One member representing trail constituencies.

(v) One member representing pedestrian constituencies.

(vi) One member representing senior citizen or disabled constituencies.

(vii) One member representing children and education constituencies.

(viii) One member representing a recreational cycling club.

(ix) Two at-large members representing the general public.

(x) Two members representing micro-mobility rental enterprises.

Each member set forth in paragraphs (1) through (4) may designate an alternate to serve in his stead, and such member shall notify the chairman in writing of this designation.

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(f) Powers and duties.—The powers and duties of the committee shall be to advise and comment on all phases of bicycling, electric micro-mobility vehicle and pedestrian program activities being undertaken or financially assisted by the department and agencies of State government.

Amend Bill, page 5, by inserting between lines 29 and 30

Section 6. Section 6109(a) of Title 75 is amended by adding a paragraph to read:

§ 6109. Specific powers of department and local authorities.

(a) Enumeration of police powers.—The provisions of this title shall not be deemed to prevent the department on State-designated highways and local authorities on streets or highways within their physical boundaries from the reasonable exercise of their police powers. The following are presumed to be reasonable exercises of police power:

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(25) Regulating micro-mobility rental enterprises and the use of electric micro-mobility vehicles in accordance with Subchapter B.1 of Chapter 35 (relating to electric micro-mobility vehicles).

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Amend Bill, page 6, line 23, by striking out "3" and inserting 7

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

The SPEAKER. Representative Greg Rothman, on the amendment, sir.

Mr. ROTHMAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

To my colleagues, many of your constituents, especially if they are between the ages of 16 and 25, well, they woke up in December to a gift for the holidays of an e-scooter. If you spent any time – I dropped off my daughter at Penn State in State College – or if you have traveled around the country, in half of the largest cities in this country you have seen electric scooters. They only go 15 miles an hour. They are electric. They are good for the environment. They allow mobility. The kids use them and the millennials use them instead of cars. It is ridesharing.

And it sends a message to the young people that are leaving this State – last year 20,000 net loss in population in Pennsylvania. We are a State that is losing young people. When they find out that they are not allowed to ride a scooter in Pennsylvania if it has an electric motor.

AMENDMENT WITHDRAWN

Mr. ROTHMAN. Mr. Speaker, I was looking for a vehicle to try to get e-scooters legalized in Pennsylvania. This is not the vehicle. I am withdrawing my amendment, but I would hope that everybody would come together to get scooters legalized in Pennsylvania.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. All those in favor— Oh, yes. Representative Mary Isaacson. Waives off.

All those in favor will vote "aye"— Withdrawn.

I received an impassioned – I will leave it alone – so I thought for sure we were running the amendment.

Representative Isaacson, are you sure you do not want to talk still to help me out?

Hey, at this time, sorry; the amendment is withdrawn.

So there are no further amendments.

On the question recurring, 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.

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The House proceeded to second consideration of HB 1710, PN 2583, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in registration of vehicles, providing for USA semiquincentennial registration plates.

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 1711, PN 2584, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in registration of vehicles, providing for Pennsylvania 1950s and 1960s heritage registration plates.

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 1712, PN 2585, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in registration of vehicles, further providing for special registration plates.

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

SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR A

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of HB 161, PN 3195, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in offenses against the family, further providing for the offense of dealing in infant children.

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—187

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EXCUSED—12

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

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 2174, PN 3080**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in human trafficking, further providing for evidence and defenses to human trafficking.

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 Mihalek is recognized on the bill.  
And right down here, up front in the well of the House, please.  
Thank you, Representative.

Members, the gentlelady is entitled to be heard. This is on HB 2174.

Ms. MIHALEK. I want to thank my colleagues, first of all, for recognizing that there is an epidemic in this country – an epidemic unimaginable to most of us, yet it is occurring in our own backyard. And I want to thank you for your willingness to do something about it. That is why I am asking for an affirmative vote today.

The United States is ranked as one of the worst places in the world for human trafficking, right up there with Mexico and the Philippines. Pennsylvania ranks 10th within the United States, and the multibillion-dollar industry continues to boom. Sometimes used for labor, oftentimes used for sex, women and children are especially vulnerable to this predatory behavior. This is why I felt it was important to include an additional expansion of the Rape Shield Law in this package of bills. For human trafficking victims who have been repeatedly assaulted and treated as if they have no voice, we need to empower our criminal justice system with the tools necessary to prosecute these predators and provide victims the voice they have been denied.

It is my sincere hope that this is the beginning of the work we will do to combat this epidemic. Predators of human trafficking will stop at nothing to get what they want. Today we put those predators on notice that the Pennsylvania Legislature will stop at nothing to halt them dead in their tracks.

Thank you for your consideration, and I ask for an affirmative vote.

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.

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

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

**REMARKS SUBMITTED FOR THE RECORD**

The SPEAKER. Representative Ed Neilson is recognized on unanimous consent.

Mr. NEILSON. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to thank the House for passing HR 658, and I would like to put my comments on the record.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Representative Neilson.

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

Between 1933 and 1945, nearly 17 million people were tragically murdered in the horrifying, state-sponsored genocide known as the Holocaust. Due to overwhelming anti-Semitic propaganda; circulated by the German Nazi regime, over 6 million of those victims were Jewish men, women, and children; this loss accounted for two-thirds of the Jewish population in Europe. The Holocaust was a human rights crisis of epic proportions.

While Jews were the priority target of Nazi racism, other groups within Germany were persecuted for racial reasons, including Roma – then commonly called "Gypsies," Afro-Germans, and people with mental or physical disabilities. By the end of the war, the Nazis and their Axis partners murdered up to 250,000 Roma, and between 1939 and 1945, they murdered at least 250,000 mentally or physically disabled patients.

As Nazi tyranny spread across Europe, the Nazis and their collaborators persecuted and murdered millions of other people seen as biologically inferior or dangerous. Between 2 and 3 million Soviet prisoners of war, viewed by the Nazis as the biological carriers of

Bolshevism, were murdered or died of starvation, disease, neglect, or brutal treatment. The Nazis shot tens of thousands of non-Jewish members of the Polish intelligentsia, murdered the inhabitants of hundreds of villages in pacification raids in Poland and the Soviet Union, and deported millions of Polish and Soviet civilians to perform forced labor under conditions that caused many to die.

In recognition of the liberation of the largest and deadliest concentration camp, Auschwitz-Birkenau on January 27, 1945, the United Nations designated this date – January 27 – as "International Holocaust Remembrance Day." This is a day to not only remember and mourn the lives that were lost, but a day in which we take a stand against all forms of ethnic or religion-based intolerance, incitement, harassment, hateful discourses, and violence against individuals and communities.

Sadly, studies have shown that a growing number of Americans lack basic knowledge of the Holocaust and the events leading up to it. Because of this, International Holocaust Remembrance Day is needed now more than ever. There has been a rise of anti-Semitic attacks globally in recent years, including an attack right here in Pennsylvania at the Tree of Life building in Pittsburgh in October 2018. Eleven people were killed and six were wounded.

It is our collective responsibility to honor the lives of those who perished and those who survived, while continuing to educate and raise awareness of the horrors that countless victims suffered to ensure that such a tragedy never happens again. As such, I have introduced a resolution to recognize January 27, 2020, as "International Holocaust Remembrance Day in Pennsylvania."

**BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION**

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 2175, PN 3131**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in depositions and witnesses, further providing for expert testimony in certain criminal proceedings.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration?

Bill was agreed to.

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

The Chair is recognizing Representative Meghan Schroeder on HB 2175.

Mrs. SCHROEDER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

HB 2175 will help victims and provide another tool for law enforcement in human trafficking cases. Allowing expert testimony in criminal proceedings will be helpful for a jury to understand the dynamics of victim behaviors. Things like grooming, post-traumatic stress disorder, and why victims delay in reporting will all be helpful in these cases. So today let us help victims, and I am proud of the courage and the bravery of those who have shared their stories to help bring this issue to light and to push this issue.

So thank you, Mr. Speaker.

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.

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EXCUSED—12

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

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 2176, PN 3082**, entitled:

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

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?

We will be taking a vote shortly, but the Chair is calling upon Representative Marci Mustello on HB 2176.

Miss MUSTELLO. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, HB 2176 would strengthen current law by adding certain prohibited activities that if committed constitute the crime of unlawful contact with a minor. Human trafficking may be hidden in the shadows, but it remains a vile and dangerous threat in our Commonwealth. Since 2007 there have been more than 1200 human trafficking cases in the Commonwealth.

Child sex trafficking victims are often not recognized as victims and may be arrested and jailed. The dangers faced by these minors from the traffickers are severe. They become hardened by the treacherous environment in which they must learn to survive. As such, they do not always outwardly present as sympathetic victims. They also frequently suffer from short-term and long-term psychological effects such as depression, self-hatred, and feelings of hopelessness. These child victims also need specialized services that are not widely available given they often have illnesses; drug addictions; physical trauma; lack of viable family and community ties; and total dependency, physical and psychological, on their abusers. Minors must be protected from their abusers and not jailed.

I ask for an affirmative vote on HB 2176. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

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.

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

On the question, the Chair recognizes Representative Valerie Gaydos.

Ms. GAYDOS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I rise today to speak on HB 2177. Human trafficking is a disgusting violation of human dignity. Sex offenders are a serious threat to our nation, and this is a very important bill for us to address.

The Greater Pittsburgh region falls into the top 10 hot spots for human trafficking nationwide. And with the Pittsburgh Airport located in the heart of my House district, we are acutely aware that the role that being a major transportation hub is in the speed in which human trafficking can occur.

HB 2177 adds sexual servitude of a minor into the list of sexual offenses for which inmates must undergo sex offender counseling. Therapists and correctional officers widely agree that clinical rehabilitative programs help reduce recidivism, and that is certainly our goal. This legislation would provide prosecutors and law enforcement officials with the tools they need to fight human trafficking but also to treat those who are convicted.

I ask for your affirmative vote on this bill. Thank you.

On the question recurring,  
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

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

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 2177, PN 3083**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in sentencing, further providing for sexual offender treatment.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 2178, PN 3132**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in child custody, further providing for consideration of criminal conviction.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

The Chair calls upon Representative David Rowe.  
Mr. ROWE. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

HB 2178 will require courts to consider whether a party or member of that party's household has been convicted of human trafficking prior to awarding child custody to that party. This important legislation will allow a court to have crucial information necessary to ascertain whether a party involved in a custody dispute poses a threat to the child. Currently the statute requires this kind of special attention only for violent offenses such as homicide, sex offenses, and kidnapping. Pennsylvania is currently ranked in the top 10 human trafficking States nationally, and the average age that a child is forced into sex slavery is just 12 years old.

For the safety of our children, the courts presiding over these disputes must consider convictions of human trafficking, and I would ask my colleagues for an affirmative vote.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Representative Hohenstein, on the bill, please.

Mr. HOHENSTEIN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I rise today actually in support of this entire slate of legislation on human trafficking, and I know that it has been the majority, coming from the majority side of the aisle on this issue today, but I wanted to express the idea that addressing this issue of human trafficking is a nonpartisan issue. It is an issue that affects us all.

And for me personally I have represented women who were sold by their families when they were teenagers, women who were trafficked into the United States because they would be used and exploited. I have represented workers who were again brought into the United States not of their own volition, and I have represented people who have gone through the scourge of human trafficking, and I appreciate the addressing of this issue.

And as a final note, I want to recognize that this also affects the American citizens in my district. One of the other pernicious ways that human trafficking comes through is in the drug trade, and the opioid crisis and the exploitation of people living in addiction has always been one of the major problems of the drug trade as well. And I am glad to see these issues being brought to light and victims recognized as victims and not simply as perpetrators, and being able to come forward and get the help and the support that they need.

So I commend the sponsor of this bill and I commend the sponsors of all of the bills in this package, and I appreciate that you brought these forward.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

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.

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

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **SB 60, PN 1391**, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in human trafficking, further providing for the offense of trafficking in individuals, for the offense of patronizing a victim of sexual servitude and for asset forfeiture; and, in depositions and witnesses, further providing for definitions.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The Chair recognizes Representative Seth Grove.  
Mr. GROVE. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I just wanted to take a moment and thank Jordan Grant, on my staff, for his leadership and advocacy, doing the research and drafting on the initial concept of this bill. He and his family have

been very involved in stopping human trafficking for a number of years, and I just wanted to give a shout-out where credit is due.

REMARKS SUBMITTED FOR THE RECORD

Mr. GROVE. I would like to submit the rest of my comments for the record, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Yes, sir.

Thank you very much, Representative.

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

Human trafficking is an epidemic which affects every part of our Commonwealth and is ingrained in our communities. It is a crime that violates an individual's basic rights as a human being. It is nothing short of modern-day slavery.

In order to combat this crime, I rise in support of SB 60, which begins to move the focus of our laws from punishing the victims to punishing those responsible for this vile trade. SB 60 increases the penalties for those who traffic victims, victims who I remind you, the average age a teen enters the sex trade in the U.S. is only 13 years old.

Under this bill, those who traffic another human being would see their criminal penalties double from a second-degree felony to a first-degree felony; from 10 years in jail to 20 years in jail. For instances where the victim is a minor, the penalty is a super felony punishable by 40 years in prison.

This bill also increases the penalty on the buyers because the only way to truly end human trafficking in the Commonwealth is to attack the demand. Under SB 60, purchasing sex from a victim of trafficking will now be a first-degree felony.

SB 60 not only increases criminal penalties but increases fines associated with this crime where the fine for a first offense ranges from \$1,000 to \$15,000. This means for a first offense the fine associated with buying another human being for sexual exploitation is 30 times higher than under current law. The money from these fines will go to train law enforcement on how to recognize trafficking and fund victim services. We will make the buyers of sex fund our efforts to assist their victims and our efforts to end this vile trade.

I have worked to address this issue over the past few years, and I ask for your affirmative vote for SB 60 so that we can send a message to those participating in this trade that "buyer beware" if you participate in human trafficking, either as a buyer or seller, we will punish to the fullest extent of the law.

On the question recurring,  
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

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Barrar	Fee	Mackenzie	Roebuck
Benninghoff	Fiedler	Madden	Rothman
Bernstine	Fitzgerald	Malagari	Rowe
Bizzarro	Flynn	Maloney	Rozzi
Boback	Frankel	Markosek	Ryan
Borowicz	Freeman	Marshall	Sainato
Boyle	Fritz	Masser	Samuelson
Bradford	Gabler	Matzie	Sanchez
Briggs	Gaydos	McClinton	Sankey
Brooks	Gillen	McNeill	Sappey
Brown	Gillespie	Mehaffie	Saylor
Bullock	Goodman	Mentzer	Schemel
Burgos	Gregory	Merski	Schlossberg

Burns	Greiner	Metcalf	Schmitt
Caltagirone	Grove	Metzgar	Schroeder
Carroll	Hahn	Mihalek	Schweyer
Causser	Hanbidge	Miller, B.	Shusterman
Cephas	Harkins	Mizgorski	Simmons
Ciresi	Harris	Moul	Snyder
Comitta	Heffley	Mullery	Solomon
Conklin	Helm	Mullins	Sonney
Cook	Hennessey	Murt	Staats
Cox	Hershey	Mustello	Stephens
Cruz	Hickernell	Neilson	Struzzi
Culver	Hohenstein	Nelson	Sturla
Cutler	Howard	O'Mara	Thomas
Daley	Irvin	O'Neal	Tobash
Davidson	Isaacson	Oberlander	Toepel
Davis, A.	James	Ortitay	Toohil
Davis, T.	Jones	Otten	Topper
Dawkins	Jozwiak	Owlett	Ullman
Day	Kail	Pashinski	Vitali
Deasy	Kaufer	Peifer	Warner
DeLissio	Kauffman	Petrarca	Warren
Delloso	Keefer	Pickett	Webster
Delozier	Keller	Polinchock	Wentling
Dermody	Kenyatta	Puskaric	Wheatley
Diamond	Kinsey	Pyle	Wheeland
Donatucci	Kirkland	Quinn	White
Dowling	Klunk	Rader	Williams
Driscoll	Knowles	Rapp	Youngblood
Dunbar	Krueger	Ravenstahl	Zabel
Dush	Kulik	Readshaw	Zimmerman
Ecker	Lawrence	Reese	
Emrick	Lewis	Rigby	Turzai,
Evans	Longietti	Roae	Speaker
Farry			

NAYS—4

Innamorato	Lee	McCarter	Rabb
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NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—12

DeLuca	Galloway	Kortz	Millard
Everett	Gleim	Kosierowski	Miller, D.
Gainey	Kim	Mako	Sims

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.

**BILL SIGNED BY SPEAKER**

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

**SB 60, PN 1391**

An Act amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in human trafficking, further providing for the offense of trafficking in individuals, for the offense of patronizing a victim of sexual servitude and for asset forfeiture; and, in depositions and witnesses, further providing for definitions.

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

**STATEMENT BY MR. KAUFFMAN**

The SPEAKER. Representative Robert Kauffman, the chair of the Judiciary Committee, is recognized on unanimous consent.

Mr. KAUFFMAN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

All across the Capitol today folks are wearing blue to really signify the awareness of human trafficking and exploitation, and education and awareness are key. There are many folks in our communities who really think it does not impact them or it really does not, you know, it has no bearing on my life, but I want to assure them that it absolutely does. Across Pennsylvania you see the impacts of human trafficking and exploitation in our communities.

My district is along the I-81 corridor. We are in a four-State region of Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia, and West Virginia, and not far from the District of Columbia. And it is also very prevalent when you have large immigrant communities, and I know many of our communities across the Commonwealth have extraordinary immigrant populations.

And today we are not only standing for awareness and education, but we are actually doing something tangible. We are giving law enforcement the tools that law enforcement has asked for and needs to prosecute and to make our Commonwealth safer against those who would seek to exploit those who are vulnerable, and we are making sure that our criminal justice system does not further victimize those who have already been victimized by the horrible acts of human trafficking and exploitation and all of the ramifications that surround that.

So thank you, everyone, who has been part of this today – all of those who were part of it here in the House, the prime sponsors, and our partners in the Senate. We have already been working with them, especially as we have worked on the Buyer Beware Act, and we look forward to their partnership as we continue this and see these pieces of legislation enacted into law in the Commonwealth that make all of us safer and rid the Commonwealth of the scourge of human trafficking and exploitation.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Mr. Chair.

**BILLS RECOMMENDED**

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

- HB 1536;
- HB 1710;
- HB 1711;
- HB 1712;
- HB 1755; and
- HB 2018.

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

**BILLS REMOVED FROM TABLE**

The SPEAKER. The majority leader moves that HB 188 and HB 694 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 TABLED**

The SPEAKER. The majority leader moves that HB 188 and HB 694 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.

**CALENDAR CONTINUED****BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION**

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 1037, PN 1836**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of November 10, 1999 (P.L.491, No.45), known as the Pennsylvania Construction Code Act, in preliminary provisions, further providing for definitions and for application; and, in exemptions, applicability and penalties, further providing for penalties.

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

**BILL TABLED**

The SPEAKER. The majority leader moves that HB 1037 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 majority leader moves that HB 1037 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.

**HOUSE SCHEDULE**

The SPEAKER. Members, we are going to keep the desk open, although we will not be taking any further votes. We just have to have it open in case any other bills are taken off the table as requested by the leader. So we are not going to officially adjourn.

But we are back in session on Monday, February 3, 2020, at 1 p.m., unless sooner recalled by the Speaker. Monday, February 3, 2020, at 1 p.m.

Also, please keep in mind that on Tuesday, February 4, 2020, is the date mandated by our Constitution, our State Constitution, that the Governor will be delivering his budget address to a joint session of the House of Representatives and the Senate.

So we are in session on Monday, February 3; Tuesday, February 4; and Wednesday, February 5. Again, we will be returning Monday, February 3, 2020, at 1 p.m.

The House will stand at ease. The House will stand at ease.

Representative Dan Moul. Representative Dan Moul.

The House is back in session.

**BILLS REMOVED FROM TABLE**

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

HB 406;  
HB 1541;  
HB 1584;  
HB 1715;  
HB 1912;  
HB 2046; and  
HB 2082.

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

**BILL REPORTED AND REREFERRED TO  
COMMITTEE ON URBAN AFFAIRS**

**HB 2214, PN 3128**

By Rep. MOUL

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in matters affecting government units, further providing for definitions and for governmental immunity generally.

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

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

**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. Moved by the minority whip, Representative Jordan Harris, that we adjourn until Monday, February 3, 2020, at 1 p.m., e.s.t., unless sooner recalled by the Speaker.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Motion was agreed to, and at 2:06 p.m., e.s.t., the House adjourned.