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### HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

#### THE SPEAKER (MIKE TURZAI) PRESIDING

#### PRAYER

HON. MIKE TURZAI, Speaker of the House of Representatives, offered the following prayer:

As you know, given the protocols under this COVID crisis, we have been suspending prayer from religious and I have been offering the prayers. Today I am going to offer a prayer from our sisters and brothers in the Muslim community. I have been offering many Christian prayers. I am trying to be ecumenical. We are choosing ecumenical prayers.

This is the Sura Al-Fatiha, and this is the English translation. I would ask everybody to please stand.

In the name of God, the infinitely Compassionate and Merciful.  
Praise be to God, Lord of all the worlds.  
The Compassionate, the Merciful. Ruler on the Day of Reckoning.  
You alone do we worship, and You alone do we ask for help.  
Guide us on the straight path,  
the path of those who have received your grace;  
not the path of those who have brought down wrath, nor of those who  
wander astray.  
Amen.

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

The SPEAKER. The Sura Al-Fatiha is the first chapter of the Quran, and its verses are a prayer for God's guidance and stress the lordship and mercy of God, or Allah.

#### JOURNAL APPROVAL POSTPONED

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the approval of the Journal of Thursday, April 16, 2020, will be postponed until printed.

### BILL REMOVED FROM TABLE

The SPEAKER. The majority leader moves that HB 974 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.

### FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. At this time we are going to move to announcements, and I am going to start with the chair of the Finance Committee, chairman Mike Peifer, of the Finance Committee. Mike Peifer, the Finance Committee chair, the majority Finance Committee chair, please proceed, sir.

Mr. PEIFER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, there will be an immediate voting meeting of the House Finance Committee in room 205, Ryan Office Building, to consider HBs 2251, 2392, 2408, 2413, 2418, and any other business brought before the committee. For the members, please be aware that they may submit a committee designation form if they wish.

And again, it will be immediately in 205 Ryan Office Building.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, sir.

There will be an immediate voting meeting of the House Finance Committee in room 205, Ryan Office Building.

### STATE GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. Chairman Garth Everett, the majority chair of the State Government Committee, is recognized. You may proceed.

Mr. EVERETT. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

There will be, at 1:30 p.m., 1:30 p.m., in 60 East Wing, there will be a meeting of the House State Government Committee to consider HB 2412, HB 2415, HB 2416, HB 2419, and HR 849. That is at 1:30 in 60 East Wing, and those that are in the building and do not plan to attend need to get their proxies in. Those that are out of the building need to get their designations in.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Chair.

There will be a meeting of the House State Government Committee at 1:30 p.m., in 60 East Wing.

**APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING**

The SPEAKER. The majority Appropriations chair, Stan Saylor, is recognized; sir.

Mr. SAYLOR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

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

The SPEAKER. Thank you, sir.

The Appropriations Committee will be meeting immediately in the majority caucus room. Again, by proxy, if you are here in the Capitol and want to vote by proxy, please provide that to the chair or the respective chairs or their staff members. If you are voting remotely for that committee, please get the designation to the chairs, your respective chairs.

Those are the only committee announcements I see. Now I am going to turn it over to the caucus leaders.

**REPUBLICAN CAUCUS**

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

Mrs. TOEPEL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Republicans will caucus at 2 o'clock, by virtual caucus only; 2 o'clock.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Madam Chair.

**DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS**

The SPEAKER. The minority leader is going to provide us an announcement for the Democratic caucus. Sir, you may proceed.

Mr. DERMODY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, the Democrats will also caucus at 2 o'clock. The Democrats will caucus at 2 o'clock, virtually.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Leader.

**RECESS**

The SPEAKER. Those are the only announcements we have at this time, so we are going to stand in recess until 3 p.m. We are going to stand in recess until 3 p.m. The virtual caucus for the Republicans is at 2 p.m., and the virtual caucus for the Democrats is at 2 p.m. There are committee meetings that have been announced. Thank you.

We are going to go with 2 p.m. caucus, 2 p.m. virtual caucus. That is true for the Republican caucus, and that is true for the Democratic caucus.

**RECESS EXTENDED**

The time of recess was extended until 3:30 p.m., further extended until 4 p.m.; further extended until 4:15 p.m.

**AFTER RECESS**

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

**LEAVES OF ABSENCE**

The SPEAKER. We have no requested leaves of absence, with the exception of Representative Zach MAKO, who is serving his country with the Army National Guard. There are no requests for leave.

**MASTER ROLL CALL**

The SPEAKER. Please proceed to vote on the master roll.

(Members proceeded to vote.)

The SPEAKER. I need to check in with the majority whip, Representative Kerry Benninghoff, and with respect to the Democratic whip, Representative Jordan Harris.

Representative Harris, I will start with you, my friend.

Mr. HARRIS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The electronic board is accurate.

The SPEAKER. And I will turn it over to the policy chair, Representative Donna Oberlander, the majority policy chair, with respect to the vote of 202 for the Republican Caucus.

Ms. OBERLANDER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The vote is accurate. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Thank you.

The following roll call was recorded:

**PRESENT—202**

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

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| Dermody   | Keefer      | Peifer     | Webster    |
| Diamond   | Keller      | Petrarca   | Wentling   |
| Donatucci | Kenyatta    | Pickett    | Wheatley   |
| Dowling   | Kim         | Polinchock | Wheeland   |
| Driscoll  | Kinsey      | Puskaric   | White      |
| Dunbar    | Kirkland    | Pyle       | Williams   |
| Dush      | Klunk       | Quinn      | Youngblood |
| Ecker     | Knowles     | Rabb       | Zabel      |
| Emrick    | Kortz       | Rader      | Zimmerman  |
| Evans     | Kosierowski | Rapp       |            |
| Everett   | Krueger     | Ravenstahl | Turzai,    |
| Farry     | Kulik       | Readshaw   | Speaker    |

ADDITIONS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—1

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The SPEAKER. There are 202 members voting on the master roll, so we have a quorum.

### HOUSE RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

**No. 847** By Representatives SAPPEY, HILL-EVANS, SHUSTERMAN, THOMAS, BIZZARRO, KORTZ, DONATUCCI, ULLMAN, YOUNGBLOOD, BURNS, T. DAVIS, FREEMAN, SCHLOSSBERG, KIM, LONGIETTI, MURT, SANCHEZ, NEILSON, HANBIDGE, CONKLIN, READSHAW, ZIMMERMAN, GAINEY, O'MARA, HOWARD and ROEBUCK

A Resolution designating the week of May 3 through 9, 2020, as "Higher Education Mental Health Awareness Week" in Pennsylvania.

Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES, April 17, 2020.

**No. 848** By Representatives SCHLEGEL CULVER, KORTZ, SCHLOSSBERG, KINSEY, HENNESSEY, MURT, ROTHMAN, SCHMITT, LONGIETTI, BIZZARRO, HILL-EVANS, MILLARD, PICKETT, HAHN, KIM, BOBACK, DONATUCCI, CONKLIN, SCHWEYER, MACKENZIE, BROWN, YOUNGBLOOD, WARREN, HOWARD, HEFFLEY and NEILSON

A Resolution recognizing the week of May 10 through 16, 2020, as "National Women's Lung Health Week" in Pennsylvania and encouraging all residents of this Commonwealth to learn more about the detection and treatment of lung cancer.

Referred to Committee on HEALTH, April 17, 2020.

**No. 849** By Representatives FRANKEL, BURGOS, RYAN, A. DAVIS, ULLMAN, MURT, HOHENSTEIN, BIZZARRO, TOEPEL, KINSEY, McNEILL, FREEMAN, SAINATO, GREINER, JAMES, SOLOMON, SCHMITT, ROTHMAN, SAPPEY, KAUFFMAN, RAVENSTAHL, PICKETT, KULIK, KORTZ, D. MILLER, MILLARD, SCHLOSSBERG, HARKINS, McCARTER, STEPHENS, WILLIAMS, BROWN, LONGIETTI, YOUNGBLOOD, BOYLE, HILL-EVANS,

SAYLOR, MENTZER, SANCHEZ, CIRESI, ROZZI, O'MARA, BRIGGS, STAATS, McCLINTON, GALLOWAY, DONATUCCI, READSHAW, WARREN, HOWARD, SCHLEGEL CULVER, SCHWEYER, KIRKLAND, NEILSON, GAYDOS, LEE, SIMS, KIM and MALAGARI

A Resolution designating April 19 through 26, 2020, as "Days of Remembrance of the Victims of the Holocaust" and recognizing April 21, 2020, as "Holocaust Remembrance Day" in Pennsylvania.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, April 17, 2020.

**No. 850** By Representatives HEFFLEY, BIZZARRO, DONATUCCI, KNOWLES, RABB, BOBACK, LONGIETTI, SCHMITT, KIM, RYAN, HENNESSEY, JONES, SCHLEGEL CULVER, HICKERNELL, PICKETT, FREEMAN, MACKENZIE, BURGOS, PYLE, KORTZ, NEILSON, BROWN, SONNEY, GREINER, READSHAW, MILLARD, BURNS, BROOKS, MALAGARI, POLINCHOCK, WHEELAND and GAINEY

A Resolution honoring Jacobus Franciscus "Jim" Thorpe by designating May 16, 2020, as "Jim Thorpe Day" in Pennsylvania.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, April 20, 2020.

### HOUSE BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

**No. 2326** By Representatives A. DAVIS, HILL-EVANS, LEE, SCHLOSSBERG, T. DAVIS, FREEMAN, WARREN, YOUNGBLOOD, HOHENSTEIN, McCLINTON, DeLUCA, ROEBUCK, KAUFER and COOK

An Act providing for duties of original equipment manufacturers relating to diagnosis, maintenance and repair of digital electronic equipment and for enforcement by Attorney General.

Referred to Committee on COMMERCE, April 20, 2020.

**No. 2413** By Representatives DUSH, STRUZZI, ROTHMAN, CONKLIN, DONATUCCI, OBERLANDER, CAUSER, BOBACK, SCHMITT, WARNER, OWLETT, HILL-EVANS, O'MARA, BOROWICZ, BURNS, HELM, GLEIM, READSHAW, SONNEY, KIRKLAND and MACKENZIE

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176), known as The Fiscal Code, in additional special funds and restricted accounts, providing for COVID-19 response transfers for assistance to the Commonwealth's volunteer service organizations.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, April 17, 2020.

**No. 2414** By Representatives SCHLEGEL CULVER, MILLARD, JAMES, READSHAW, SCHEMEL, HILL-EVANS, KAUFFMAN, HENNESSEY, ROWE, PICKETT and KORTZ

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in general provisions, further providing for definitions; and, in other required equipment, further providing for visual and audible signals on emergency vehicles.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, April 17, 2020.

**No. 2415** By Representatives LEWIS and RYAN

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, providing for COVID-19 emergency statutory and regulatory suspensions and waivers reporting requirements.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, April 17, 2020.

**No. 2416** By Representatives EVERETT and RYAN

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, providing for emergency regulatory tolling and extensions.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, April 17, 2020.

**No. 2417** By Representatives FARRY, THOMAS, BARRAR, POLINCHOCK, ECKER, O'NEAL, YOUNGBLOOD, STEPHENS, DONATUCCI, JAMES, ZABEL, CIRESI, DeLUCA, MEHAFFIE, T. DAVIS, NEILSON, ROAE, ROTHMAN, GAYDOS, RADER, KAUFER, JONES, TOMLINSON, MIZGORSKI, KLUNK, BERNSTINE, BURGOS, HILL-EVANS, MACKENZIE, READSHAW, HENNESSEY, BROWN, WARREN, KORTZ, RAVENSTAHL, O'MARA, MALAGARI, ISAACSON, HOHENSTEIN, SCHWEYER and KEEFER

An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, in Pennsylvania Liquor Stores, providing for the establishment of a disaster emergency curbside program.

Referred to Committee on LIQUOR CONTROL, April 17, 2020.

**No. 2418** By Representative O'NEAL

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, providing for COVID-19 debt cost reduction review.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, April 17, 2020.

**No. 2419** By Representatives GROVE and RYAN

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, providing for COVID-19 Cost and Recovery Task Force.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, April 17, 2020.

**No. 2420** By Representatives JONES, SCHWEYER, BERNSTINE, ROWE, RYAN, KEEFER, GREINER, YOUNGBLOOD, GAYDOS, HANBIDGE, BARRAR, ROTHMAN, DUNBAR, STRUZZI, STAATS, DRISCOLL, GLEIM, READSHAW, DeLUCA and ROZZI

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, in corporate net income tax, further providing for definitions.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, April 20, 2020.

**No. 2421** By Representatives CEPHAS and LEE

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in school finances, establishing the Bridging the Digital Divide in Schools Grant Program.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, April 20, 2020.

**No. 2422** By Representatives SIMS, KENYATTA, KINSEY, YOUNGBLOOD, DELLOSO, DRISCOLL, SANCHEZ, GALLOWAY, ROZZI and KORTZ

An Act amending Title 15 (Corporations and Unincorporated Associations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in corporate powers, duties and safeguards, further providing for investment of trust funds.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, April 20, 2020.

**No. 2423** By Representatives TOEPEL, MILLARD, TURZAI, JAMES, ROZZI, MOUL and GLEIM

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, providing for emergency COVID-19 provisions.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, April 20, 2020.

**BILLS REREPORTED FROM COMMITTEE**

**HB 1076, PN 3567**

By Rep. SAYLOR

An Act Amending the act of June 27, 2006 (1st Sp.Sess., P.L.1873, No.1), known as the Taxpayer Relief Act, in senior citizens property tax and rent rebate assistance, further providing for filing of claim; and authorizing public school districts to implement a senior tax reduction incentive volunteer exchange program.

APPROPRIATIONS.

**HB 2400, PN 3520**

By Rep. SAYLOR

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, providing for emergency COVID-19 provisions.

APPROPRIATIONS.

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

**HB 2251, PN 3233**

By Rep. PEIFER

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, in powers and duties of the Department of Revenue, repealing provisions relating to vehicle and tractor codes.

FINANCE.

**HB 2392, PN 3541**

By Rep. PEIFER

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, in Independent Fiscal Office, further providing for definitions and for duties of office.

FINANCE.

**HB 2408, PN 3591 (Amended)**

By Rep. PEIFER

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176), known as The Fiscal Code, in emergency finance and tax provisions, providing for exemption from taxation.

FINANCE.

**HB 2412, PN 3570**

By Rep. EVERETT

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, providing for emergency COVID-19 provisions.

STATE GOVERNMENT.

**HB 2413, PN 3572**

By Rep. PEIFER

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176), known as The Fiscal Code, in additional special funds and restricted accounts, providing for COVID-19 response transfers for assistance to the Commonwealth's volunteer service organizations.

FINANCE.

**HB 2415, PN 3578**

By Rep. EVERETT

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, providing for COVID-19 emergency statutory and regulatory suspensions and waivers reporting requirements.

STATE GOVERNMENT.

**HB 2416, PN 3579**

By Rep. EVERETT

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, providing for emergency regulatory tolling and extensions.

STATE GOVERNMENT.

**HB 2418, PN 3580**

By Rep. PEIFER

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, providing for COVID-19 debt cost reduction review.

FINANCE.

**HB 2419, PN 3581**

By Rep. EVERETT

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, providing for COVID-19 Cost and Recovery Task Force.

STATE GOVERNMENT.

**RESOLUTION REPORTED  
FROM COMMITTEE****HR 849, PN 3577**

By Rep. EVERETT

A Resolution designating April 19 through 26, 2020, as "Days of Remembrance of the Victims of the Holocaust" and recognizing April 21, 2020, as "Holocaust Remembrance Day" in Pennsylvania.

STATE GOVERNMENT.

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

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 1403, PN 1723**, entitled:

An Act repealing the act of July 2, 1901 (P.L.610, No.306), entitled "An act to encourage the planting of trees along the roadsides of this Commonwealth, and providing a penalty for killing, removing or injuring the same; what disposition is to be made of moneys collected as penalties, and for keeping a record, by the supervisor of roads or boards of supervisors of roads, of the trees so planted and upon which a tax abatement has been granted."

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 2388, PN 3535**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, providing for emergency COVID-19 provisions.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

The SPEAKER. Representative Ciresi withdraws amendment 05002; that is 05002. That amendment is withdrawn, and now he calls up amendment 05005, which is also withdrawn. Both amendments are withdrawn, 05002 and 05005.

Representative Dowling withdraws 05008. Amendment 05008 is withdrawn.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

Mr. **BRADFORD** offered the following amendment No. **A05095**:

Amend Bill, page 2, line 5, by inserting before "The"(a) General rule.—

Amend Bill, page 2, by inserting between lines 11 and 12

(b) Required protection for employees.—All businesses that receive a waiver and operate under subsection (a) shall also provide, at minimum, the following protections for an essential employee:

(1) Additional hazard pay, relative to the employee's risk of exposure.

(2) Appropriate new personal protective equipment at the start of every shift. Personal protective equipment shall include, but not be limited to, gloves and a mask.

(3) A work environment that maximizes the safety of the employee and the public, including, but not limited to, social distancing and barriers.

(4) Cleaning areas with adequate soap and water and breaks to frequently engage in hand washing.

(5) Leave for sickness, which shall be compensated at the employee's normal wage.

(6) Information by the business if a coworker has been tested for COVID-19 and the results of those tests when available.

(c) Violation.—A business operating in this Commonwealth under a waiver under subsection (a) that violates any requirement under subsection (b) shall be immediately closed and may not be permitted to reopen until the business is in compliance.

(d) Definitions.—The following words and phrases when used in this section shall have the meanings given to them in this subsection unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

"Essential employee." An employee of a business who is required by the employee's employer to report to work at a physical location.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

The SPEAKER. Representative Mihalek, on the amendment, 05095.

Representative Bradford, do you wish to speak on that amendment first? That is 05095.

Mr. BRADFORD. Thank you.

As you know, the Governor today in his measured approach in certain reopenings, has taken what a lot of us believe to be a sensible approach dealing with car dealers. This bill obviously does something very different. What our amendment does is provide worker protection, so if we are going to have a wholesale reopening of car dealers, we believe that there should be appropriate PPE (personal protective equipment) at the start of every shift. We should include gloves and a mask; a work environment that maximizes safety for the employee and the public, including social distancing and barriers; cleaning areas with soap and water, and breaks to wash hands; sick leave; and information if a coworker has been tested positive for COVID-19, and the results to be available for their coworkers. If the dealership does not comply with these provisions, it would be immediately closed and not permitted to reopen until compliance.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Representative Natalie Mihalek, the prime sponsor, on amendment 05095.

Ms. MIHALEK. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This bill is about the businesses, the owners, the car dealers, the people who work there, and the people that need the cars. Protecting the employees of those businesses is just as important as getting safe and reliable transportation to our Pennsylvanians who need it most. Mr. Speaker, this is an agreed-to amendment.

The SPEAKER. You may proceed.

Mr. BRADFORD. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I look forward to when we agree to these amendments for all parts of the economy, because if we are going to open any area,

we should make sure workers are protected in every area. This is not just about the employer; it is also about the employees.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

(Members proceeded to vote.)

The SPEAKER. I know that we are doing remote voting, so please, I do understand that it will take time for the votes to be entered.

The Chair calls upon the majority whip, Representative Kerry Benninghoff.

Mr. BENNINGHOFF. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The board does reflect the vote of the majority party. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Thank you.

The Chair calls upon Representative Jordan Harris with respect to the minority caucus votes.

Mr. HARRIS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The electronic board is correct.

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—202

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| Barrar      | Fee        | Lawrence   | Reese       |
| Benninghoff | Fiedler    | Lee        | Rigby       |
| Bernstine   | Fitzgerald | Lewis      | Roae        |
| Bizzarro    | Flynn      | Longietti  | Roebuck     |
| Boback      | Frankel    | Mackenzie  | Rothman     |
| Bonner      | Freeman    | Madden     | Rowe        |
| Borowicz    | Fritz      | Malagari   | Rozzi       |
| Boyle       | Gabler     | Maloney    | Ryan        |
| Bradford    | Gainey     | Markosek   | Sainato     |
| Briggs      | Galloway   | Marshall   | Samuelson   |
| Brooks      | Gaydos     | Masser     | Sanchez     |
| Brown       | Gillen     | Matzie     | Sankey      |
| Bullock     | Gillespie  | McCarter   | Sappery     |
| Burgos      | Gleim      | McClinton  | Saylor      |
| Burns       | Goodman    | McNeill    | Schemel     |
| Caltagirone | Green      | Mehaffie   | Schlossberg |
| Carroll     | Gregory    | Mentzer    | Schmitt     |
| Causer      | Greiner    | Merski     | Schroeder   |
| Cephas      | Grove      | Metcalfe   | Shuwyer     |
| Ciresi      | Hahn       | Metzgar    | Shusterman  |
| Comitta     | Hanbidge   | Mihalek    | Simmons     |
| Conklin     | Harkins    | Millard    | Sims        |
| Cook        | Harris     | Miller, B. | Snyder      |
| Cox         | Heffley    | Miller, D. | Solomon     |
| Cruz        | Helm       | Mizgorski  | Sonney      |
| Culver      | Hennessey  | Moul       | Staats      |
| Cutler      | Hershey    | Mullery    | Stephens    |
| Daley       | Hickernell | Mullins    | Struzzi     |
| Davanzo     | Hohenstein | Murt       | Sturla      |
| Davidson    | Howard     | Mustello   | Thomas      |
| Davis, A.   | Innamorato | Neilson    | Tobash      |
| Davis, T.   | Irvin      | Nelson     | Toepel      |
| Dawkins     | Isaacson   | O'Mara     | Tomlinson   |
| Day         | James      | O'Neal     | Toohil      |
| Deasy       | Jones      | Oberlander | Topper      |
| DeLissio    | Jozwiak    | Ortitay    | Ullman      |
| Delloso     | Kail       | Otten      | Vitali      |
| Delozier    | Kaufer     | Owlett     | Warner      |
| DeLuca      | Kauffman   | Pashinski  | Warren      |
| Dermody     | Keefer     | Peifer     | Webster     |
| Diamond     | Keller     | Petrarca   | Wentling    |

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| Donatucci | Kenyatta    | Pickett    | Wheatley   |
| Dowling   | Kim         | Polinchock | Wheeland   |
| Driscoll  | Kinsey      | Puskaric   | White      |
| Dunbar    | Kirkland    | Pyle       | Williams   |
| Dush      | Klunk       | Quinn      | Youngblood |
| Ecker     | Knowles     | Rabb       | Zabel      |
| Emrick    | Kortz       | Rader      | Zimmerman  |
| Evans     | Kosierowski | Rapp       |            |
| Everett   | Krueger     | Ravenstahl | Turzai,    |
| Farry     | Kulik       | Readshaw   | Speaker    |

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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?

The SPEAKER. Amendment 05096, in consultation with the Parliamentarian, is ruled out of order by the Speaker. There are no further amendments. 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 2387**, **PN 3527**, entitled:

An Act to provide appropriations from the General Fund for the expenses of the Executive, Legislative and Judicial Departments of the Commonwealth, the public debt and the public schools for the fiscal year July 1, 2020, to June 30, 2021, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020; to provide appropriations from special funds and accounts to the Executive and Judicial Departments for the fiscal year July 1, 2020, to June 30, 2021, and for the payment of bills remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020; to provide for the appropriation of Federal funds to the Executive and Judicial Departments for the fiscal year July 1, 2020, to June 30, 2021, and for the payment of bills remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

AMENDMENTS RULED OUT OF ORDER

The SPEAKER. Representative Bradford, the Democratic Appropriations chair, the minority Appropriations chair, has these amendments filed: 05011, 05012, 05013, 05014, 05015,

05016, 05017, and 05018. In consultation with the Parliamentarian, all of those amendments are ruled out of order.

Please turn to rule 19(b):

"Any amendment offered on the floor of the House to any non-preferred appropriation bill that proposes to increase spending of State dollars for the proposed fiscal year above the levels contained in that non-preferred appropriation bill as reported from the Appropriations Committee shall not be in order and may not be considered unless the same amendment contains sufficient reductions in that non-preferred appropriation bill...." That was the third paragraph of rule 19(b). Now I would also like to read the second paragraph:

"Any amendment offered on the floor of the House to the General Appropriation Bill that proposes to increase spending of State dollars for the Commonwealth's proposed fiscal year or prior fiscal years above the levels contained in the General Appropriation Bill as reported from the Appropriations Committee plus any aggregate if certified each year by the Appropriations Committee shall not be in order and may not be considered unless the same amendment contains sufficient reductions in line items of that General Appropriation bill...."

So both paragraphs 2 and 3 are applicable, and the amendments are ruled out of order.

#### RULING OF CHAIR APPEALED

The SPEAKER. Sir, Representative Matt Bradford.

Mr. BRADFORD. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to appeal the ruling of the Chair on amendment 5011, 5014, and 5019.

The SPEAKER. Okay, I did not yet address 5019, but—

Mr. BRADFORD. Not 19; I apologize.

The SPEAKER. 5011 and 5014?

Mr. BRADFORD. I apologize. It should have been 5011 and 5014 only.

The SPEAKER. Yes, sir, you may proceed, absolutely. You may proceed.

Mr. BRADFORD. Mr. Speaker, I am appealing the ruling of the Chair. As you know, this entire budget is out of order. It is last year's budget. And for good measure, these two amendments that are in front of us, one would appropriate \$100 million for the Working Capital Assistance Program. It is a program that has widespread support for our small businesses. Many have asked for this to be part of any budget. I think it is important that the will of this body be heard on this important issue, whether we do really want to put \$100 million in a program that was oversubscribed in about 1 hour. I believe the recapitalization of this program is something we should do as part of this budget.

Additionally, as other States have done, I believe it is only appropriate that we immediately move money to the Department of Health for COVID-19 testing, as well as—

#### POINT OF ORDER

Mr. CUTLER. Point of order, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Yes, you may proceed. The majority leader has raised a point of order; sir.

Mr. CUTLER. Mr. Speaker, I believe the rules are quite clear, as read by the Speaker. The amendments need to be drafted in a manner that is consistent with the rules and be balanced. They clearly are not. We are not discussing the underlying substance of each individual amendment, because that is appropriate for the discussion of the budget. What we are discussing is the gentleman's inability to draft consistent with the rules, and I believe he should stay on topic.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Yes, the only real argument that could be made on appeal – although there is a lot of creativity in this chamber – is that the numbers are evened out, and they are not. So that is why it is ruled out of order pursuant to 19(b). But please proceed.

Mr. BRADFORD. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I guess I was looking for a little latitude, because the underlying bill is about \$4 billion out of balance.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I think we need a Fiscal Code to correct these and make sure that we deal with recapitalizing the Working Capital Assistance Program, as well as necessary money for testing as well as tracing. I think it is a little hypocritical—

### POINT OF ORDER

Mr. CUTLER. Point of order, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Please stop. Please stop. What is the exact rule in terms of casting aspersion on a ruling or about a motive?

The good gentleman loves to – I do not know if he loves anything, but in this regard – but hold on for a second. We are going to get the exact rule.

The majority leader—

Mr. CUTLER. Point of order is what I asked for, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Yes, you may proceed, sir.

Mr. CUTLER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, the gentleman is correct: there is no objection because these are topics we can discuss as we do the budget. What is out of order is the method by which the good gentleman drafted his amendments. The rules are quite clear. You have to subtract an equivalent amount of money that you add, or vice versa, to make it net neutral on the budget. So clearly the gentleman is not good at math, or English, since the rule is very clear. I certainly hope that we can get back on task. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Yes; yes, please, state your parliamentary inquiry.

Mr. BRADFORD. Not to bring levity to a serious subject, but I believe that gentleman there casted aspersions and they were [word deleted].

The SPEAKER. Reading, writing, and arithmetic is all I heard him mention.

And at this time the majority Appropriations chair is recognized.

Mr. SAYLOR. Mr. Speaker, it is quite obvious that this is a game that has been played, in my opinion, in a [word deleted] way, because this gentleman—

The SPEAKER. Okay. Hold on. Hold on.

Mr. SAYLOR. —this gentleman knows the rules.

The SPEAKER. Chairman Saylor, if you will rephrase, please. I have in the past asked folks not to use the term [word deleted]. Thank you, sir.

Mr. SAYLOR. The bottom line is here: the gentleman was a part of doing this same issue last year when we jointly, he and I both jointly put this budget out there. It has been a procedure that has been in the rules of the House for many, many years on a way that we can move forward with a budget in a timely fashion.

I suggest that the gentleman has known the rules. He has been a member of the House for a long time, just as I have, and again, this kind of gamesmanship is not called for in this time of crisis. We need to move forward in a very responsible manner, Mr. Speaker, and not play these kinds of silly games, in my opinion, where we are attacking each other. It is not time for those kinds of things to go on here.

We need to move this budget bill forward so that we can work with the Governor and the Senate to do a budget that gets done in a timely fashion in this crisis. No more of this kind of stuff should be going on, Mr. Speaker. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Okay. Now, here is where we are, because I forgot. Shall the decision of the Chair stand as the judgment of the House? Those in favor of sustaining the Chair's decision will vote "aye"; those opposed will vote "nay."

On the question,

Shall the decision of the Chair stand as the judgment of the House?

(Members proceeded to vote.)

The SPEAKER. Representative Kerry Benninghoff, on the vote on the ruling of the Chair, the appeal of the ruling of the Chair. Sir, could you tell us where the majority caucus votes are.

Mr. BENNINGHOFF. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The electronic voting board does reflect the vote of the majority party. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Representative Jordan Harris, the Democratic whip, on the vote on the appeal of the ruling of the Chair; sir.

Mr. HARRIS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The electronic board is accurate.

The following roll call was recorded:

### YEAS—108

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| Barrar      | Gillen     | Masser     | Rothman   |
| Benninghoff | Gillespie  | Mehaffie   | Rowe      |
| Bernstine   | Gleim      | Mentzer    | Ryan      |
| Boback      | Gregory    | Metcalfe   | Sankey    |
| Bonner      | Greiner    | Metzgar    | Saylor    |
| Borowicz    | Grove      | Mihalek    | Schemel   |
| Brooks      | Hahn       | Millard    | Schmitt   |
| Brown       | Heffley    | Miller, B. | Schroeder |
| Causar      | Helm       | Mizgorski  | Simmons   |
| Cook        | Hennessey  | Moul       | Sonney    |
| Cox         | Hershey    | Murt       | Staats    |
| Culver      | Hickernell | Mustello   | Stephens  |
| Cutler      | Irvin      | Nelson     | Struzzi   |
| Davanzo     | James      | O'Neal     | Thomas    |
| Day         | Jones      | Oberlander | Tobash    |
| Delozier    | Jozwiak    | Ortitay    | Toepel    |
| Diamond     | Kail       | Owlett     | Tomlinson |
| Dowling     | Kaufer     | Peifer     | Toohil    |
| Dunbar      | Kauffman   | Pickett    | Topper    |
| Dush        | Keefer     | Polinchock | Warner    |
| Ecker       | Keller     | Puskaric   | Wentling  |



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| Emrick  | Klunk     | Pyle  | Wheeland  |
| Everett | Knowles   | Rader | White     |
| Farry   | Lawrence  | Rapp  | Zimmerman |
| Fee     | Lewis     | Reese |           |
| Fritz   | Mackenzie | Rigby | Turzai,   |
| Gabler  | Maloney   | Roae  | Speaker   |
| Gaydos  | Marshall  |       |           |

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| Bizzarro    | Donatucci  | Kosierowski | Ravenstahl  |
| Boyle       | Driscoll   | Krueger     | Readshaw    |
| Bradford    | Evans      | Kulik       | Roebuck     |
| Briggs      | Fiedler    | Lee         | Rozzi       |
| Bullock     | Fitzgerald | Longietti   | Sainato     |
| Burgos      | Flynn      | Madden      | Samuelson   |
| Burns       | Frankel    | Malagari    | Sanchez     |
| Caltagirone | Freeman    | Markosek    | Sappey      |
| Carroll     | Gainey     | Matzie      | Schlossberg |
| Cephas      | Galloway   | McCarter    | Schweyer    |
| Ciresi      | Goodman    | McClinton   | Shusterman  |
| Comitta     | Green      | McNeill     | Sims        |
| Conklin     | Hanbidge   | Merski      | Snyder      |
| Cruz        | Harkins    | Miller, D.  | Solomon     |
| Daley       | Harris     | Mullery     | Sturla      |
| Davidson    | Hohenstein | Mullins     | Ullman      |
| Davis, A.   | Howard     | Neilson     | Vitali      |
| Davis, T.   | Innamorato | O'Mara      | Warren      |
| Dawkins     | Isaacson   | Otten       | Webster     |
| Deasy       | Kenyatta   | Pashinski   | Wheatley    |
| DeLissio    | Kim        | Petrarca    | Williams    |
| Deloso      | Kinsey     | Quinn       | Youngblood  |
| DeLuca      | Kirkland   | Rabb        | Zabel       |
| Dermody     | Kortz      |             |             |

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Less than a majority of the members elected to the House having voted in the negative, the decision of the Chair stood as the judgment of the House.

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

The SPEAKER. There is another amendment. Representative Pam Snyder has amendment 5019, 05019. There would have to be a suspension motion for that amendment. There has to be a suspension motion on that.

The Parliamentarian has advised that it should be ruled out of order. Rule 19(b) for amendment 5019. That is offered by Representative Snyder. It is ruled out of order based on House rule 19(b).

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 **SB 413, PN 1624**, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing separate and distinct amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, further providing for tenure of justices, judges and justices of the peace; and further providing for absentee voting.

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

Mr. **EVERETT** offered the following amendment  
No. **A04975**:

Amend Bill, page 4, line 1, by inserting a bracket before "(B)"  
Amend Bill, page 4, line 4, by inserting a bracket after  
"ASSEMBLY."

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

The SPEAKER. On the question, the Chair recognizes Representative Garth Everett, the chair of the State Government Committee, on the amendment.

Mr. EVERETT. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This is a technical amendment. It makes two minor changes by adding a bracket in two different paragraphs. I would ask for an affirmative vote.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Representative Boyle.

Mr. BOYLE. Mr. Speaker, this is an agreed-to amendment.  
Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, sir.

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

(Members proceeded to vote.)

The SPEAKER. Just for the record, the Chair is going to strike the term "partisan" from the record. That was stricken. The reading, writing, arithmetic will stay on the record.

The Chair is going to check in with the respective whips. The majority whip; this is on the amendment.

Mr. BENNINGHOFF. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The electronic voting board does accurately reflect the vote of the majority party on SB 413.

The SPEAKER. The minority whip, on the amendment, sir.

Mr. HARRIS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The electronic board is correct.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, both of you.

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—202

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| Barrar      | Fee        | Lawrence  | Reese   |
| Benninghoff | Fiedler    | Lee       | Rigby   |
| Bernstine   | Fitzgerald | Lewis     | Roae    |
| Bizzarro    | Flynn      | Longietti | Roebuck |
| Boback      | Frankel    | Mackenzie | Rothman |

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

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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.

## SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR A

### BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 974, PN 2119**, entitled:

An Act authorizing municipalities to implement senior citizen tax reduction incentive volunteer exchange programs.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

Mr. **CUTLER** offered the following amendment No. **A05098**:

Amend Bill, page 1, line 1, by striking out "Authorizing" and inserting

Amending the act of June 27, 2006 (1st Sp.Sess., P.L.1873, No.1), entitled "An act providing for taxation by school districts, for the State funds formula, for tax relief in first class cities, for school district choice and voter participation, for other school district options and for a task force on school cost reduction; making an appropriation; prohibiting prior authorized taxation; providing for installment payment of taxes; restricting the power of certain school districts to levy, assess and collect taxes; and making related repeals," in general provisions, providing for COVID-19 homeowner protection provisions; and authorizing

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 5 through 16; page 2, lines 1 through 30; page 3, lines 1 through 29; by striking out all of said lines on said pages and inserting

Section 1. The act of June 27, 2006 (1st Sp.Sess., P.L.1873, No.1), known as the Taxpayer Relief Act, is amended by adding a section to read:

Section 328. COVID-19 homeowner protection.

(a) Scope.—This section provides for a temporary prohibition on a school district increasing the rate of tax on real property.

(b) Increase prohibited.—Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the following apply:

(1) If a school district or a school district of the first class operates on a calendar-year basis, the board of school directors or the city council of a city of the first class, as applicable, may not levy a tax on real property for the benefit of the school district for the calendar year beginning January 1, 2021, at a rate above the rate of taxation on real property for the benefit of the school district imposed for the calendar year beginning January 1, 2020.

(2) If a school district or school district of the first class operates on a fiscal year basis, the board of school directors or the city council of a city of the first class, as applicable, may not levy a tax on real property for the benefit of the school district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2020, at a rate above the rate which was assessed on real property for the benefit of the school district the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2019.

Section 2. The act is amended by adding a chapter to read:

#### CHAPTER 14

#### SENIOR CITIZEN TAX REDUCTION INCENTIVE

Section 1401. Legislative intent.

It is the intent of the General Assembly to authorize municipalities to establish a program to allow older residents to volunteer and receive a real property tax credit in exchange for volunteer service. While there are municipalities across this Commonwealth that provide certain property tax relief to seniors, the

purpose of this chapter is to grant explicit legislative authorization to allow municipalities to implement such programs. It has been shown that senior citizen tax reduction incentive volunteer exchange programs provide much-needed relief to senior citizens, who often struggle to meet the rising cost of property taxes, and help municipalities meet an increasing demand for a variety of services.

Section 1402. Definitions.

The following words and phrases when used in this chapter shall have the meanings given to them in this section unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

"Municipality." A city, borough, incorporated town, township of the first class, township of the second class or home rule municipality formerly classified as a city, borough, incorporated town or township.

"Participant." An individual who:

(1) is 60 years of age or older;

(2) has been a resident of this Commonwealth for at least 90 days;

(3) owns real property located in a municipality that has established a program; and

(4) participates in the municipality's program.

"Program." A senior citizen tax reduction incentive volunteer exchange program authorized under section 1403(a).

Section 1403. Program guidelines.

(a) Establishment.—A municipality may establish a senior citizen tax reduction incentive volunteer exchange program which provides real property tax credits to participants in exchange for participants performing volunteer services for the municipality with no other compensation. A municipality which establishes a program shall adopt specific guidelines regarding the program, including the acceptance of participants. The guidelines shall include a criminal background check for each individual seeking to participate in the program.

(b) Value of tax credit.—The rate of real property tax credit for a participant shall be established by the municipality and may not exceed the total amount of real property taxes owed by the participant.

(c) Services.—The services which a participant provides through a program must enhance the municipality and provide a direct public benefit to the municipality.

(d) Discrimination prohibited.—This section shall be enforced without discrimination:

(1) based on race, color, marital status, religious creed, ancestry, handicap or disability, age, sex, national origin, the use of a guide or support animal because of the blindness, deafness or physical handicap of the user; or

(2) because the user is a handler or trainer of support or guide animals under the act of October 27, 1955 (P.L.744, No.222), known as the Pennsylvania Human Relations Act.

Section 1404. Personal income tax levied by the Commonwealth.

A real property tax credit received by a participant shall not be subject to the tax imposed under Article III of the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971.

Section 1405. Existing job positions.

A program may not replace an existing job position in a municipality.

Section 1406. Funding.

A municipality may use public or private funding sources to support a program.

Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

The SPEAKER. The Chair calls upon the majority leader on the amendment; sir.

Mr. CUTLER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, let me start by saying that I recognize the difficulties that the school districts will be under, very similar to

the issues that we will face here in the State House in the legislature as we manage through this crisis.

Mr. Speaker, I have always been very proud of the fact that I went to a public school, and my kids now go to that very same school, having some of the same teachers, which always makes for some awkward parent-teacher conferences. But the truth is, Mr. Speaker, while everyone has been focused on the COVID-19 pandemic – the challenges to our health systems, the health and welfare of our citizens, the cancellation of the remainder of the academic year, skyrocketing increases in unemployment claims – I have heard consistently from residents in the district and business owners in the district and all across the Commonwealth, Mr. Speaker, here in Pennsylvania who are concerned about the coming increases in school property taxes.

Property taxes are unique, Mr. Speaker, because they are the only tax that is levied here in the Commonwealth that does not take into account the ability to pay them. Mr. Speaker, if you earn less money, you pay less income tax. If you buy less products, you pay less sales tax. That is not the case with property taxes. That is why here today I am calling on Pennsylvania's public schools to freeze the property taxes that they levy on our homeowners and businesses for the next year.

Mr. Speaker, that is what this underlying amendment would do – yes, just for 1 year – and I think the question that we must ask is, is this too much? My goodness, look around us. The economy is in free-fall. People are struggling. We have had business owners who cannot survive. They have questions unanswered in regards to what their future holds. We have homeowners who may not be able to pay their mortgages and we have renters who have missed payments.

While we have worked hard to pass legislation to get our Commonwealth opened up, significant damage has already been done. That is why it is only fair and reasonable to put school property taxes on hold for 1 year. That was the purpose for addressing and drafting this amendment – no decreases, no increases, just the same rates for 1 year.

Now, let us all get prepared for the arguments that are coming and have already arrived many times in my inbox. First, some people say that we are somehow cutting funding to schools; that is nonsense, completely untrue. Today schools have over \$3 1/2 billion in reserves, Mr. Speaker, money that they have been accumulating above and beyond what they are spending. And to be clear, some of that money has been designated for good use, like school construction that is going in our own county, but \$1.8 billion of that amount is undesignated. Some may consider those moneys like a rainy day fund, and clearly, it is not just raining; it is pouring.

Mr. Speaker, not raising taxes is not cutting funding. Anyone who says differently is simply not being truthful. And quite frankly, I am frustrated with the school groups that have openly opposed helping property tax owners just for 1 year. And why did they say we should not freeze these school taxes? They say that we should not freeze tax rates and that we should instead work in a collaborative manner for the benefit of students, schools, and taxpayers. I actually agree with that, but at the same point I have to ask, really? It seems to me that the public educators and schools already got what they needed and wanted: full protections contained in Act 13 of 2020, where we ensured that schools could continue to operate. Schools are taken care of – full funding for the remainder of the current year and no cuts.

So what is left to collaborate for? That is the question. First, I would offer it to students – our bill included that – and thanks to our efforts here in this chamber and in the Senate and the Governor's signature, schools are now required to work during the cancellation of the remaining academic year.

To the parents of Pennsylvania who have a student in school, please know your education matters for your children. There should be no reason why all of our Commonwealth students should not be served right now. We simply cannot take 6 months off and hope that children are going to be educated. Schools have an obligation to serve these students and parents, and if that is not happening, if schools are not teaching your children, you should contact your school board of directors or your school superintendent right away.

Who is left? So that answer is simple: the taxpayers, the property tax payers, who have not been considered. And now the very people who we helped the first week we were here are denying the ability to help the property tax owners today. Unbelievable. No wonder we have not been able to substantively change the property tax system that was first instituted in 1682. I understand and sympathize with our school districts, like I opened with. Here at the State level, we will be struggling with many of those same difficult choices. But let me say this: we are not looking to raise taxes on the people of Pennsylvania. Do you know why? Because with unemployment as high as it currently is, the high rates will not matter. Increasing the rates will not matter because an increased rate times zero is still zero, Mr. Speaker. That is not what we are looking to do here as the House Republicans. It is just responsible given the circumstances our people find themselves in. I would also offer that it is morally right.

So as I look around the House floor today, it is clear to me that the school special interests have made good on their promise to stop this amendment. Even at a time when everyone is suffering, their answer is to not just demand the same amount from taxpayers, which is what this amendment would do, but to preserve the ability to take more. I am sad that we could not get this one done. It is fairly simple and I think reasonable. So I can only hope that the good men and women who sit on our school boards will exercise fiscal mercy and not raise property taxes at a time when more than 20 percent of our people are unemployed. I hope that they follow the lead of three of my local school districts who all confirmed to me that they are pursuing a zero-percent budget, and more importantly, cost-saving concessions going forward. Quite honestly, anyone who would be willing to take more from homeowners right now maybe should never have had the power to tax at all, Mr. Speaker.

#### AMENDMENT WITHDRAWN

Mr. CUTLER. I understand that this does not have the full support of the body, and I respectfully withdraw the amendment so that we can continue to work towards a solution that hopefully everyone can agree to, because, Mr. Speaker, this one is too important. This one is too important not to have the taxpayers know where we are at, and it is personally very frustrating that we have been stymied in these efforts.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Leader.

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

The SPEAKER. Representative Vitali, do you waive off? It would have to be on unanimous consent because there is nothing before us on the amendment.

Mr. VITALI. Withdrew?

The SPEAKER. Yes. Okay. Withdrawn.

Mr. VITALI. Then I have nothing to say.

The SPEAKER. Thank you.

Here is what I have been told by the Democratic leader's staff. Representative Otten has withdrawn amendment 02010. Representative McCarter has withdrawn all three of his amendments. And Representative Carroll, who has a late-filed amendment for which he would have to seek a motion to suspend, has withdrawn as well. Is that right? Okay.

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

Ms. OTTEN offered the following amendment No. **A02012**:

Amend Bill, page 3, line 5, by inserting after "participant."

Each volunteer service hour provided by a participant shall be compensated with a real property tax credit the value of which shall be no less than the minimum hourly wage required by the act of January 17, 1968 (P.L.11, No.5), known as The Minimum Wage Act of 1968.

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

The SPEAKER. Leader Dermody, on that amendment; sir.

Mr. DERMODY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I understand this is an agreed-to amendment.

The SPEAKER. And the majority leader, on the amendment; sir.

Mr. CUTLER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

That is our understanding as well, in consultation with the chairman.

The SPEAKER. Representative Peifer? Okay. Thank you. So Representative Peifer has indicated it is agreed to.

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

(Members proceeded to vote.)

The SPEAKER. The Chair turns to the majority whip and to the minority whip.

Representative Kerry Benninghoff, the majority whip, on the vote in front of us on amendment 02012.

Mr. BENNINGHOFF. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The board does reflect accurately what the majority's vote is. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Thank you.

And the minority whip, Representative Jordan Harris, on the vote.

Mr. HARRIS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The electronic board is correct.

The following roll call was recorded:

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| Bizzarro    | Flynn       | Mackenzie  | Rothman     |
| Boback      | Frankel     | Madden     | Rowe        |
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| Borowicz    | Fritz       | Maloney    | Ryan        |
| Boyle       | Gabler      | Markosek   | Sainato     |
| Bradford    | Gainey      | Marshall   | Samuelson   |
| Briggs      | Galloway    | Masser     | Sanchez     |
| Brooks      | Gaydos      | Matzie     | Sankey      |
| Brown       | Gillen      | McCarter   | Sappery     |
| Bullock     | Gillespie   | McClinton  | Saylor      |
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| Carroll     | Gregory     | Merski     | Schroeder   |
| Causer      | Greiner     | Metzgar    | Schweyer    |
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| Comitta     | Hanbidge    | Miller, B. | Sims        |
| Conklin     | Harkins     | Miller, D. | Snyder      |
| Cook        | Harris      | Mizgorski  | Solomon     |
| Cox         | Heffley     | Moul       | Sonney      |
| Cruz        | Helm        | Mullery    | Staats      |
| Culver      | Hennessey   | Mullins    | Stephens    |
| Cutler      | Hershey     | Murt       | Struzzi     |
| Daley       | Hickernell  | Mustello   | Sturla      |
| Davanzo     | Hohenstein  | Neilson    | Thomas      |
| Davidson    | Howard      | Nelson     | Tobash      |
| Davis, A.   | Innamorato  | O'Mara     | Toepel      |
| Davis, T.   | Irvin       | O'Neal     | Tomlinson   |
| Dawkins     | Isaacson    | Oberlander | Toohil      |
| Day         | James       | Ortitay    | Topper      |
| Deasy       | Jones       | Otten      | Ullman      |
| DeLissio    | Jozwiak     | Owlett     | Vitali      |
| Deloso      | Kail        | Pashinski  | Warner      |
| Delozier    | Kaufer      | Peifer     | Warren      |
| DeLuca      | Kauffman    | Petrarca   | Webster     |
| Dermody     | Keller      | Pickett    | Wentling    |
| Diamond     | Kenyatta    | Polinchock | Wheatley    |
| Donatucci   | Kim         | Puskaric   | Wheeland    |
| Dowling     | Kinsey      | Pyle       | White       |
| Driscoll    | Kirkland    | Quinn      | Williams    |
| Dunbar      | Klunk       | Rabb       | Youngblood  |
| Dush        | Knowles     | Rader      | Zabel       |
| Ecker       | Kortz       | Rapp       | Zimmerman   |
| Emrick      | Kosierowski | Ravenstahl |             |
| Evans       | Krueger     | Readshaw   | Turzai,     |
| Everett     | Kulik       | Reese      | Speaker     |
| Farry       | Lawrence    |            |             |

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NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—1

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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.

CALENDAR CONTINUED

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 1895, PN 2634**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 9, 1976 (P.L.817, No.143), known as the Mental Health Procedures Act, in general provisions, further providing for rights and remedies of persons in treatment.

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 Tom Murt is recognized on the bill.  
Mr. MURT. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I rise in strong support of HB 1895. Mr. Speaker, one of the great battles in the struggle for equity in mental health treatment concerns our brothers and sisters who live with mental health illness and struggles. Those of us who have fought for equitable mental health care know that individuals who struggle with mental illness and behavioral health concerns are among the most neglected, abused, and discriminated against in our country.

Mr. Speaker, history is replete with examples. For years we have left patients to suffer in overcrowded State hospitals. We have forced others to undergo lobotomies, and even forced sterilization, Mr. Speaker. It is one of the great blemishes on the history of health care in our great nation. While we have come a long way, abuse and discrimination sometimes continue, Mr. Speaker.

We continue to fail the one in five Americans diagnosed with a mental health disorder. Mr. Speaker, in some instances, we physically restrain children, we deny some people employment, and we fail to provide needed services to others. There still is a very serious stigma to mental illness, Mr. Speaker. We have made great progress, but we are not to the finish line yet. These failures need to be addressed, and this bill is effective in that regard.

This is no small issue, Mr. Speaker, as half of all Americans will experience a diagnosable mental health condition in their lifetime, including the men and women who serve in our Armed Forces who frequently return from Iraq and Afghanistan struggling with post-traumatic stress disorder. If you are not directly impacted, it is likely that it will be a friend or family member, whether we know it or not.

And let us not forget that those struggling with mental health issues are people too – our constituents, our brothers and sisters, our loved ones. They live and have dreams that they want to fulfill, and they deserve to be treated with dignity, and under the law, they deserve rights and protections. And, Mr. Speaker, in conclusion, this House bill provides those badly needed protections. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Thank you.

Representative David Rowe, do you wish to be recognized, sir? Okay.

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.)

The SPEAKER. The majority whip, Kerry Benninghoff, is recognized.

Mr. BENNINGHOFF. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The electronic voting board does reflect the unanimous vote by the majority party.

The SPEAKER. And the minority whip is recognized on this bill.

Mr. HARRIS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The electronic board is accurate.

The following roll call was recorded:

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| Bizzarro    | Flynn      | Longietti  | Roebuck     |
| Boback      | Frankel    | Mackenzie  | Rothman     |
| Bonner      | Freeman    | Madden     | Rowe        |
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| Bradford    | Gainey     | Markosek   | Sainato     |
| Briggs      | Galloway   | Marshall   | Samuelson   |
| Brooks      | Gaydos     | Masser     | Sanchez     |
| Brown       | Gillen     | Matzie     | Sankey      |
| Bullock     | Gillespie  | McCarter   | Sappery     |
| Burgos      | Gleim      | McClinton  | Saylor      |
| Burns       | Goodman    | McNeill    | Schemel     |
| Caltagirone | Green      | Mehaffie   | Schlossberg |
| Carroll     | Gregory    | Mentzer    | Schmitt     |
| Causar      | Greiner    | Merski     | Schroeder   |
| Cephas      | Grove      | Metcalf    | Schweyer    |
| Ciresi      | Hahn       | Metzgar    | Shusterman  |
| Comitta     | Hanbidge   | Mihalek    | Simmons     |
| Conklin     | Harkins    | Millard    | Sims        |
| Cook        | Harris     | Miller, B. | Snyder      |
| Cox         | Heffley    | Miller, D. | Solomon     |
| Cruz        | Helm       | Mizgorski  | Sonney      |
| Culver      | Hennessey  | Moul       | Staats      |
| Cutler      | Hershey    | Mullery    | Stephens    |
| Daley       | Hickernell | Mullins    | Struzzi     |
| Davanzo     | Hohenstein | Murt       | Sturla      |
| Davidson    | Howard     | Mustello   | Thomas      |
| Davis, A.   | Innamorato | Neilson    | Thobash     |
| Davis, T.   | Irvin      | Nelson     | Toepel      |
| Dawkins     | Isaacson   | O'Mara     | Tomlinson   |
| Day         | James      | O'Neal     | Toohil      |
| Deasy       | Jones      | Oberlander | Topper      |
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| DeLuca    | Kauffman    | Pashinski  | Warren     |
| Dermody   | Keefer      | Peifer     | Webster    |
| Diamond   | Keller      | Petrarca   | Wentling   |
| Donatucci | Kenyatta    | Pickett    | Wheatley   |
| Dowling   | Kim         | Polinchock | Wheeland   |
| Driscoll  | Kinsey      | Puskaric   | White      |
| Dunbar    | Kirkland    | Pyle       | Williams   |
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| Ecker     | Knowles     | Rabb       | Zabel      |
| Emrick    | Kortz       | Rader      | Zimmerman  |
| Evans     | Kosierowski | Rapp       |            |
| Everett   | Krueger     | Ravenstahl | Turzai,    |
| Farry     | Kulik       | Readshaw   | Speaker    |

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—1

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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 437, PN 3194**, entitled:

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

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 Kail, please give us a summary of the bill and advocacy.

Mr. KAIL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, HB 437 adds an additional remedy, the awarding of comp time or makeup time with a child when a person is found to have willfully violated a custody order and has been found by a court to be in contempt. Currently the remedy for willfully violating a custody order, as punishment the court can institute a punishment like a fine or a period of incarceration. Amending the contempt statute will allow courts to temporarily modify a custody order to reestablish fairness without resorting to punishment. I would appreciate the members' support.

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.)

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority whip, Representative Kerry Benninghoff, on HB 437.

Mr. BENNINGHOFF. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The electronic voting board does reflect the majority vote of the party. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Representative Jordan Harris, the minority whip.

Mr. HARRIS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The electronic board is accurate.

The following roll call was recorded:

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| Bonner      | Freeman     | Madden     | Rowe        |
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| Boyle       | Gabler      | Maloney    | Ryan        |
| Bradford    | Gainey      | Markosek   | Sainato     |
| Briggs      | Galloway    | Marshall   | Samuelson   |
| Brooks      | Gaydos      | Masser     | Sanchez     |
| Brown       | Gillen      | Matzie     | Sankey      |
| Bullock     | Gillespie   | McCarter   | Sappey      |
| Burgos      | Gleim       | McClinton  | Saylor      |
| Burns       | Goodman     | McNeill    | Schemel     |
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| Ciresi      | Hahn        | Metzgar    | Shusterman  |
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| Conklin     | Harkins     | Millard    | Sims        |
| Cook        | Harris      | Miller, B. | Snyder      |
| Cox         | Heffley     | Miller, D. | Solomon     |
| Cruz        | Helm        | Mizgorski  | Sonney      |
| Culver      | Hennessey   | Moul       | Staats      |
| Cutler      | Hershey     | Mullery    | Stephens    |
| Daley       | Hickernell  | Mullins    | Struzzi     |
| Davanzo     | Hohenstein  | Murt       | Sturla      |
| Davidson    | Howard      | Mustello   | Thomas      |
| Davis, A.   | Innamorato  | Neilson    | Tobash      |
| Davis, T.   | Irvin       | Nelson     | Toepel      |
| Dawkins     | Isaacson    | O'Mara     | Tomlinson   |
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| Deasy       | Jones       | Oberlander | Topper      |
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| Delloso     | Kail        | Otten      | Vitali      |
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| DeLuca      | Kauffman    | Pashinski  | Warren      |
| Dermody     | Keefer      | Peifer     | Webster     |
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| Dunbar      | Kirkland    | Pyle       | Williams    |
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| Emrick      | Kortz       | Rader      | Zimmerman   |
| Evans       | Kosierowski | Rapp       |             |
| Everett     | Krueger     | Ravenstahl | Turzai,     |
| Farry       | Kulik       | Readshaw   | Speaker     |

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—1

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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 1984, PN 2789**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in proceedings prior to petition to adopt, further providing for petition for involuntary termination and providing for special provisions when child conceived as a result of rape or incest.

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 the majority whip, Representative Kerry Benninghoff, for remarks on the bill.

Mr. BENNINGHOFF. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Very briefly, this important piece of legislation allows somebody who petitions to terminate parental rights to not be forced by law to have been remarried or have a surrogate parent in order to adopt a child. I think this is good for the families, I think this is good for the victims, and I would appreciate a unanimous vote.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.  
The SPEAKER. Thank you, sir.

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.)

The SPEAKER. The majority whip is recognized on the vote on HB 1984.

Mr. BENNINGHOFF. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The majority party has a unanimous vote, and the board is correct. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Thank you.

And the Chair recognizes the majority whip, Representative Jordan Harris, on HB 1984.

Mr. HARRIS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.  
The electronic board is accurate.

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| Borowicz    | Fritz       | Malagari   | Rozzi       |
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| Briggs      | Galloway    | Marshall   | Samuelson   |
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| Cutler      | Hershey     | Mullery    | Stevens     |
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| Everett     | Krueger     | Ravenstahl | Turzai,     |
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NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—1

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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.

SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR B

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 1076, PN 3567**, entitled:

An Act Amending the act of June 27, 2006 (1st Sp.Sess., P.L.1873, No.1), known as the Taxpayer Relief Act, in senior citizens property tax and rent rebate assistance, further providing for filing of claim; and authorizing public school districts to implement a senior tax reduction incentive volunteer exchange program.

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

RULES SUSPENDED

The SPEAKER. There is an amendment that is going to be offered on third consideration, which requires a suspension vote of this House.

The Chair calls upon Chairman Tim Hennessey for a motion to suspend with respect to amendment 05160. Chairman Hennessey.

Mr. HENNESSEY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. It is 5150, amendment 5150. Please proceed, sir.

Mr. HENNESSEY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Last week— Well, let me just start again and say that I am going to ask for a vote to suspend the rules to allow for HB 1076 to be amended on third consideration.

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

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

(Members proceeded to vote.)

The SPEAKER. The majority whip, please, on the bill. Thank you, sir. On the motion to suspend.

Mr. BENNINGHOFF. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The electronic voting board does reflect the vote of the majority party. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The minority whip, Jordan Harris.

Mr. HARRIS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The electronic board is accurate.

The SPEAKER. Thank you.

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NAYS—0

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A majority of the members required by the rules having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the motion was agreed to.

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

Mr. HENNESSEY offered the following amendment  
No. **A05150**:

Amend Bill, page 4, line 18, by striking out "JUNE 30, 2020"  
and inserting

December 31, 2020

Amend Bill, page 4, lines 19 through 22, by striking out "IF A CLAIM FILED FOR PROPERTY TAX OR RENT REBATE FOR" in line 19 and all of lines 20 through 22 and inserting

The secretary shall expedite a claim satisfying the eligibility requirements under this chapter for calendar year 2019 which had a calendar year 2018 claim approved for reimbursement.

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

The SPEAKER. Representative Hennessey, on the amendment, sir.

Mr. HENNESSEY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Last week when the House was considering HB 1076, we considered Representative White's amendment to expedite the sending of property tax and rent rebate checks out to our claimants. Representative Longietti from Mercer County pointed out a problem. I did not see it at the time, but upon reflection, I think he was correct. What I have done in amendment 5150, I think it is, was to simplify the language, give clarity to the bill. I am told that the Department of Revenue was opposed to the language of the bill prior to this amendment. With this amendment, the Department of Revenue will withdraw its opposition. So I ask for an affirmative vote on the amendment. And I thank Representative Longietti for his observations.

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

(Members proceeded to vote.)

The SPEAKER. The Chair calls upon the majority whip.  
Mr. BENNINGHOFF. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.  
The electronic voting board does reflect the vote of the majority party.

The SPEAKER. The minority whip.  
Mr. HARRIS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.  
The electronic board is accurate.

The following roll call was recorded:

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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 third consideration as amended?

The SPEAKER. Now, members, because that was on third consideration, your screens will not reflect the bill as amended, but we can move to the final consideration, the third consideration of HB 1076 as amended by amendment 5150.

On the question recurring,

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

Bill as amended 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.

(Members proceeded to vote.)

The SPEAKER. The Chair calls upon the majority whip.

Mr. BENNINGHOFF. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The electronic voting board does accurately reflect the vote of the majority party.

The SPEAKER. And the minority whip.

Mr. HARRIS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The electronic board is accurate.

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

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

The SPEAKER. There are no further votes at this time, but I am going to call upon the majority leader.

**RULES COMMITTEE MEETING**

The SPEAKER. The majority leader, Bryan Cutler, is recognized.

Mr. CUTLER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I would like to call an immediate meeting of the Rules Committee in the majority caucus room. That will be streamed online. An immediate meeting in the majority caucus room, Rules Committee.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, sir.

There will be an immediate meeting of the Rules Committee in the majority caucus room.

**APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING**

The SPEAKER. The Chair calls upon the majority Appropriations chair, Representative Stan Saylor, for a committee announcement; sir.

Mr. SAYLOR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Appropriations Committee will meet immediately after the Rules Committee in the majority caucus room. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

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

**ANNOUNCEMENT BY MINORITY LEADER**

Mr. DERMODY. Mr. Speaker?

The SPEAKER. Yes. The minority leader, Representative Dermody; go ahead, sir.

Mr. DERMODY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I rise to give notice of my intent to call up House Discharge Resolutions 2 and 3, resolutions which would discharge HBs 470 and 471 from the Insurance Committee. These bills would prohibit insurance companies from discriminating against consumers on the basis of pre-existing conditions such as COVID-19, and would prohibit insurance companies from instituting lifetime or annual dollar limits on essential health benefits on Monday, April 27, or on any day thereafter.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Leader.

So Discharge 2 and 3. Is that correct? Okay. That is noted in the record.

The Chair is going to remain at the rostrum until the completion of the Rules Committee vote and the Appropriations Committee vote, and those reports will be read across the rostrum today. So I am going to remain here until after both the Rules Committee meets and the Appropriations Committee meets. There will not be any further votes. So I am going to stay open. Of course, we are back on the floor tomorrow at 11 a.m. – remote voting, obviously, as well – but the House will return on April 21, 2020, at 11 a.m.; Tuesday, April 21, 2020, at 11 a.m.

Thank you. I am going to do housekeeping at this time.

**BILLS RECOMMITTED**

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

HB 974;

HB 1403;

HB 2387;

HB 2388; and

SB 413.

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 1279 and HB 2259 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.

**BILL REMOVED FROM TABLE**

The SPEAKER. The majority leader moves that HB 80 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.

**BILL TABLED**

The SPEAKER. The majority leader moves that HB 80 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****BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION**

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 1633, PN 2185**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in child protective services, further providing for employees having contact with children; adoptive and foster parents.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

**BILL TABLED**

The SPEAKER. The majority leader moves that HB 1633 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 1633 be removed from the tabled calendar and placed on the active calendar.

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

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 247, PN 999**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 58 (Oil and Gas) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in development, further providing for well permits.

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

**BILL TABLED**

The SPEAKER. The majority leader moves that HB 247 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 247 be removed from the tabled calendar and placed on the active calendar.

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

**BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION**

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 309, PN 3133**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), known as the Human Services Code, in departmental powers and duties as to supervision, providing for Keystone STARS Program participants; and, in departmental powers and duties as to licensing, further providing for fees, providing for Keystone STARS Program participants and further providing for definition.

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

**BILL TABLED**

The SPEAKER. The majority leader moves that HB 309 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 309 be removed from the tabled calendar and placed on the active calendar.

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

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **SB 790, PN 1446**, entitled:

An Act relating to conventional wells and the development of oil, gas and coal; imposing powers and duties on the Department of Environmental Protection; providing for preliminary provisions, for general requirements, for enforcement and remedies, for related funds and for miscellaneous provisions; and making an appropriation.

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

**BILL TABLED**

The SPEAKER. The majority leader moves that SB 790 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 SB 790 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.

The SPEAKER. To our dedicated staff here at the rostrum, members, I am just going to stop down to my office briefly. I will be back up to do the report from the Rules Committee and from the Appropriations Committee, but I am going to stop down to my office for a few moments and I will be back to the rostrum.

The House will come back to order.

### VOTE CORRECTION

The SPEAKER. Representative Jordan Harris, the Democratic whip, is recognized.

Mr. HARRIS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I would like to correct the record.

The SPEAKER. Yes, sir.

Mr. HARRIS. On HB 1070 Representative Steve McCarter should be voted in the negative by remote voting, in the negative.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, sir.

Mr. HARRIS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

### BILL REREPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

**HB 1822, PN 3595** (Amended) By Rep. SAYLOR

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176), known as The Fiscal Code, providing for COVID-19 effect on employment; in Local Government Capital Project Loan Fund, further providing for definitions, for assistance to municipalities and for powers and duties of department; and, in 2019-2020 restrictions on appropriations for funds and accounts, providing for temporary restrictions on special funds.

APPROPRIATIONS.

### BILL ON CONCURRENCE REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

**SB 327, PN 1655** (Amended) By Rep. CUTLER

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, providing for COVID-19 emergency statutory and regulatory suspensions and waivers reporting requirements, for COVID-19 debt cost reduction review and for COVID-19 Cost and Recovery Task Force; in powers and duties of the Department of General Services and its departmental administrative and advisory boards and commissions, providing for report of State facilities owned or leased; providing for emergency regulatory tolling; and making an appropriation.

RULES.

### 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. The House at this time is taking a motion from Representative Marci Mustello, who is on the House floor. She moves that the House be adjourned until Tuesday, April 21, 2020, 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 6:03 p.m., e.d.t., the House adjourned.