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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The House convened at 12 m., e.d.t.

THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE (ROBERT F. MATZIE) PRESIDING

PRAYER

HON. BRYAN CUTLER, member of the House of Representatives, offered the following prayer:

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Please join me in prayer as your individual faith.

Father God, I just want to thank You for this opportunity. I want to thank You for the ability to be here, Lord, and represent our constituents. I want to thank You for this wonderful day, Lord, recognizing that You are the author of each and every day and that each and every day is a blessing that You have bestowed upon us.

Lord, You clearly said in Your Word, those that lack wisdom should ask for it. Lord, I ask that You just pour out wisdom upon this chamber as we head into what are hopefully the final days and weeks of budget discussion. Lord, I just ask that, as we work on behalf of our constituents, that You would have us see clearly, Lord, how You would have us to not only solve problems, but love one another.

I just ask this all, Lord, in Your name. Amen.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

JOURNAL APPROVAL POSTPONED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the approval of the Journal of Thursday, June 22, 2023, will be postponed until printed.

JOURNALS APPROVED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The following 2023 regular session Journals are in print and, without objection, will be approved: Tuesday, March 7, 2023; Wednesday, March 8, 2023.

GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER pro tempore. We have some very special guests to recognize.

To the left of the Speaker, Representative Tomlinson is having a bring your dad to work day. Former House member and Senator Tomlinson is here. Senator Tomlinson, welcome.

Representative Kazeem has special guests with us today. Randolph Dixon, Sr., is 93 years old and a Korean war veteran. Mr. Dixon enlisted on his 17th birthday and arrived in Korea 17 days later to become a member of the 24th Tactical Corps. He completed his service in Tokyo with the rank of corporal. Mr. Dixon is here today with his family. Thank you for your service, and again, welcome to the hall of the House. Another round of applause, please.

Representative Kazeem also is honored to have with us Viola Kilson, a civil rights activist dedicating her life to family and the welfare of many in her community in Chester city and across Pennsylvania. Get this: Mrs. Kilson is 102 years old. We thank you for being here. We have to catch up and find out what your secret is.

In the gallery, Representative Gaydos brings her district office staff member, Andrew Novak, to the Capitol today. Welcome, Andrew. Please rise to be recognized.

Representative Malagari has his interns visiting today. They are Julian Ortiz, who recently graduated from Temple University in May, majoring in political science and minoring in global studies; Rebecca Sandoval is attending Mount Holyoke College in Massachusetts, studying politics in Spanish; William Reavis is attending Montgomery County Community College and is also studying political science. We welcome you all to the hall of the House. Please rise and be recognized.

Representative Malagari also welcomes the North Penn High School Football Team, who had a perfect 28-0 season and are the PIAA 6A State Champions. Congratulations, and welcome. Correction. Script says football; it is softball. Either way, congratulations. Major accomplishment.

Representative Rabb has with us today Amanda Diggs, who is a senior at Susquehannock High School and would like to study political science when she goes to college. Welcome, Amanda. Please rise and be recognized.

Also in the gallery, Representatives Fink and D'Orsie are hosting Abby Wurzbach and Linda Grove, business solutions specialists from MANTEC. Welcome.

Representative Venkat welcomes Jack Hickerson, who is interning in his district office and is a student at La Roche University studying political science. Welcome, Jack. Please rise and be recognized.

Representative Martina White welcomes Kaitlyn Martinsen, who won Representative White's "There Ought To Be a Law" contest. Her law proposed that uniforms be required in all schools. Welcome, Kaitlyn.

Representative Mehaffie is hosting the Lower Dauphin High School Boys Volleyball Team, who won the 2023 PIAA Class AA Championship. Congratulations, and welcome. Please rise and be recognized. Way to go, men.

Representatives Mullins and Kosierowski have the Mid Valley Spartanettes visiting the Capitol today. They are the PIAA Class AAA Softball Champions. Congratulations, and welcome. Kat Davis is a summer intern, part of that championship team, so a special welcome highlighting you being here today.

Representative Frankel welcomes to the Capitol Yael Perlman, an intern in his district office, and he is a recent graduate of Brandeis University with a B.A. (bachelor of arts) in politics and economics. Yael also minored in Near Eastern and Judaic studies. Welcome to the Capitol.

Representative Hogan also has his district office interns here. They are Anthony Pantalone, who is a graduate of La Salle University with double major in political science and history and minor in philosophy, and he made the dean's list all 4 years. Samuel Ditty is also here, attending the University of Pittsburgh, also studying political science and foreign affairs. Welcome to you both. Please rise and be recognized. Thank you.

Representative Flood welcomes Adrienne Fors, Allie Fors, Tucker Fors, Aubri Duben, and Jacob Borger to the Capitol for a tour and to learn about the legislative process. Welcome to the Capitol.

Representative Malagari has Gillian Ladley, his district office director, also in the gallery today. Gillian has just recently received her U.S. citizenship. Congratulations, and welcome.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Are there requests for leaves of absence?

The Chair recognizes the majority whip; there are none.

The Chair recognizes the minority whip; there are none.

Without objection, there are no leaves of absence, I should say.

MASTER ROLL CALL

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

The following roll call was recorded:

PRESENT—203

Abney	Flick	Krupa	Rapp
Adams	Flood	Kulik	Rigby
Armanini	Frankel	Kutz	Roae
Banta	Freeman	Kuzma	Rossi
Barton	Friel	Labs	Rowe
Bellmon	Fritz	Lawrence	Rozzi
Benham	Gallagher	Leadbeter	Ryncavage
Benninghoff	Galloway	Mackenzie, M.	Salisbury
Bernstine	Gaydos	Mackenzie, R.	Samuelson

Bizzarro	Gergely	Madden	Sanchez
Bonner	Gillen	Madsen	Sappery
Borowicz	Giral	Major	Schemel
Borowski	Gleim	Mako	Scheuren
Boyd	Green	Malagari	Schlegel
Boyle	Gregory	Maloney	Schlossberg
Bradford	Greiner	Marcell	Schmitt
Brennan	Grove	Markosek	Schweyer
Briggs	Guenst	Marshall	Scialabba
Brown, A.	Guzman	Matzie	Scott
Brown, M.	Haddock	Mayes	Shusterman
Bullock	Hamm	McAndrew	Siegel
Burgos	Hanbidge	McNeill	Smith
Burns	Harkins	Mehaffie	Smith-Wade-El
C Freytiz	Harris	Mentzer	Solomon
Cabell	Heffley	Mercuri	Staats
Causar	Hogan	Merski	Stambaugh
Cephas	Hohenstein	Metzgar	Steele
Cerrato	Howard	Mihalek	Stehr
Ciresi	Innamorato	Miller, B.	Stender
Conklin	Irvin	Miller, D.	Struzzi
Cook	Isaacson	Moul	Sturla
Cooper	James	Mullins	Takac
Curry	Jones, M.	Munroe	Tomlinson
Cutler	Jones, T.	Mustello	Topper
D'Orsie	Jozwiak	Neilson	Twardzik
Daley	Kail	Nelson, E.	Venkat
Davanzo	Kaufar	Nelson, N.	Vitali
Davis	Kauffman	O'Mara	Warner
Dawkins	Kazeem	O'Neal	Warren
Deasy	Keefer	Oberlander	Watro
Delloso	Kenyatta	Ortitay	Waxman
Delozier	Kephart	Otten	Webster
Diamond	Kerwin	Owlett	Wentling
Donahue	Khan	Parker	White
Dunbar	Kim	Pashinski	Williams, C.
Ecker	Kinhead	Pickett	Williams, D.
Emrick	Kinsey	Pielli	Young
Evans	Klunk	Pisciottano	Zimmerman
Fee	Kosierowski	Probst	
Fiedler	Krajewski	Rabb	McClinton,
Fink	Krueger	Rader	Speaker
Fleming			

ADDITIONS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Two hundred and three members having voted on the master roll, a quorum is present.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION
INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

No. 159 By Representatives GIRAL, SMITH-WADE-EL, WAXMAN, SANCHEZ, GALLAGHER, HILL-EVANS and KHAN

A Resolution condemning elected members who believe that the mistreatment of workers, including the elimination of water breaks in high-temperature conditions, is acceptable.

Referred to Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, June 23, 2023.

**HOUSE BILLS
INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

No. 1000 By Representatives FRANKEL, MADDEN, SANCHEZ, BOROWSKI, BRENNAN, KRUEGER, KINSEY, McANDREW, CERRATO, INNAMORATO, KINKEAD, STEELE, STRUZZI, CONKLIN, HARKINS, ISAACSON, DONAHUE, O'MARA, SALISBURY, GALLOWAY, SHUSTERMAN, BOYLE, MAYES, DEASY, GREEN, KRAJEWSKI, DALEY, FLEMING, ROWE and KHAN

An Act amending the act of March 23, 1972 (P.L.136, No.52), known as the Professional Psychologists Practice Act, further providing for definitions, for State Board of Psychology and for powers of the board; providing for prescription certificate, for prescribing and administrative practices and for controlled substances; and further providing for refusal, suspension or revocation of license, for reporting of multiple licensure and for penalties and injunctions against unlawful practice.

Referred to Committee on PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, June 23, 2023.

No. 1422 By Representatives CIRESI, MADDEN, ISAACSON, SMITH-WADE-EL, SCHLOSSBERG, HANBIDGE, WEBSTER, GUENST, SANCHEZ, D. WILLIAMS, HOHENSTEIN, HADDOCK, PROBST, HOWARD, DELLOSO, ADAMS, HILL-EVANS, KAZEEM, MALAGARI, PIELLI, SALISBURY, BURNS, SHUSTERMAN, OTTEN, VITALI, RABB, FRIEL, CURRY, KENYATTA, STURLA, BOROWSKI, O'MARA, BENHAM, FIEDLER, CEPEDA-FREYITZ, VENKAT and DONAHUE

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in preliminary provisions, providing for advertising and sponsorships; in charter schools, further providing for definitions and for funding for charter schools, providing for funding for cyber charter schools, for cyber charter school requirements, for powers and composition of board of trustees and for educational management service providers, further providing for powers and duties of department and for assessment and evaluation, providing for annual reports and public reporting and for fund balance limits, further providing for cyber charter school requirements and prohibitions and for school district and intermediate unit responsibilities, providing for access to other schools' facilities, further providing for establishment of cyber charter school, providing for renewals, for charter amendments and for causes for nonrenewal, revocation or termination, further providing for State Charter School Appeal Board review, for cyber charter school application and for enrollment and notification, providing for enrollment parameters and for enrollee wellness checks and further providing for applicability of other provisions of this act and of other acts and regulations.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, June 22, 2023.

No. 1490 By Representatives GALLAGHER, HILL-EVANS, MADDEN, SCHLOSSBERG, CERRATO, BRENNAN, SANCHEZ, McNEILL, NEILSON, MULLINS and GREEN

An Act amending the act of February 14, 1986 (P.L.2, No.2), known as the Acupuncture Licensure Act, further providing for definitions, for regulation of the practice of acupuncture, for penalties and for approval of acupuncture educational programs.

Referred to Committee on PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, June 22, 2023.

No. 1491 By Representatives GALLAGHER, RABB, GUENST, SANCHEZ, KHAN, HILL-EVANS, BOROWSKI, MADDEN, HOHENSTEIN, CERRATO, CIRESI, KAZEEM and GREEN

An Act amending the act of October 10, 1975 (P.L.383, No.110), known as the Physical Therapy Practice Act, further providing for definitions, for powers and duties of board, for training and license required and exceptions, for qualifications for license, examinations, failure of examinations, licensure without examination, issuing of license, foreign applicants for licensure, temporary license and perjury, for continuing education, for practice of physical therapy and for physical therapist assistant, education and examination, scope of duties and certification.

Referred to Committee on PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, June 22, 2023.

No. 1492 By Representatives MERSKI, HARKINS, GALLAGHER, KAZEEM, SANCHEZ, MADDEN, PIELLI, PROBST, SCHLOSSBERG, McNEILL, N. NELSON, KULIK, BOROWSKI, DELLOSO, KINSEY, SCOTT, BRENNAN, D. WILLIAMS, OTTEN, DONAHUE, SHUSTERMAN, HANBIDGE, ROZZI, STEELE, HOWARD, HADDOCK, GERGELY, O'MARA, GREEN and BIZZARRO

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in miscellaneous provisions relating to emergency management services, providing for firefighter cancer screenings.

Referred to Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, June 22, 2023.

No. 1493 By Representatives MAYES, MADDEN, SANCHEZ, HILL-EVANS, FRANKEL, INNAMORATO, SALISBURY, BOROWSKI, DELLOSO, O'MARA, KINSEY, STEELE, CERRATO, PISCOTTANO, KHAN, CEPEDA-FREYITZ, WAXMAN, SCOTT, DONAHUE, GUENST, ABNEY, A. BROWN, KAZEEM, KRAJEWSKI, OTTEN, BURGOS, HANBIDGE, HOHENSTEIN, ROZZI and GREEN

An Act amending the act of May 17, 1921 (P.L.682, No.284), known as The Insurance Company Law of 1921, in casualty insurance, providing for fertility preservation coverage.

Referred to Committee on INSURANCE, June 22, 2023.

No. 1494 By Representative FRIEL

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in charter schools, providing for funding for cyber charter schools; and imposing penalties.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, June 22, 2023.

No. 1495 By Representative FRIEL

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in charter schools, further providing for funding for charter schools.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, June 22, 2023.

No. 1496 By Representatives FINK, ECKER, KAUFFMAN and ZIMMERMAN

An Act amending Title 20 (Decedents, Estates and Fiduciaries) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for training of public pension fund and State fund fiduciaries.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, June 22, 2023.

No. 1497 By Representatives SMITH, GUENST, STAATS, KINSEY, ROZZI, KAUFFMAN and ROWE

An Act designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 19716, carrying State Route 2019 over Mahoning Creek in Bell Township, Jefferson County, as the SP4 Michael Raymond Ishman Memorial Bridge.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, June 23, 2023.

No. 1498 By Representatives CABELL, KUTZ, HAMM, R. MACKENZIE, M. BROWN, ECKER, KAUFFMAN, MENTZER, LEADBETER, FLOOD, HEFFLEY, MOUL, GREINER, BARTON and GROVE

An Act amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), known as the Pennsylvania Election Code, in preliminary provisions, further providing for definitions; in the Secretary of the Commonwealth, further providing for powers and duties of the Secretary of the Commonwealth; and, in county boards of elections, further providing for powers and duties of county boards.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, June 23, 2023.

No. 1499 By Representative GREGORY

An Act designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 5550, carrying Woodbury Pike (Pennsylvania Route 36) over Halter Creek, spanning Blair and Freedom Townships, Blair County, as the Pvt. William E. Green Memorial Bridge.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, June 23, 2023.

No. 1501 By Representatives GREGORY and DIAMOND

An Act providing for filtered devices required, for manufacturer liability, for damages and for civil action for enforcement and penalties.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER PROTECTION, TECHNOLOGY AND UTILITIES, June 23, 2023.

No. 1502 By Representatives SHUSTERMAN, HOWARD, HOHENSTEIN, McNEILL, HILL-EVANS, MADDEN, SANCHEZ, FLEMING, PIELLI, GREEN, GUENST, KINSEY, SCHWEYER and PROBST

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in miscellaneous provisions relating to emergency management services, providing for emergency preparedness for owned animals.

Referred to Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, June 23, 2023.

No. 1503 By Representatives C. WILLIAMS, GUENST, STAATS, MOUL, PICKETT, MARCELL, TOMLINSON and T. JONES

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

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, June 23, 2023.

No. 1504 By Representatives C. WILLIAMS, GUENST and GILLEN

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in Department of Military Affairs, providing for chief counsel.

Referred to Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, June 23, 2023.

No. 1505 By Representatives DEASY, MALAGARI, MADDEN, VENKAT, KINSEY, HANBIDGE, NEILSON, HILL-EVANS, McANDREW, CURRY, CIRESI, STEELE, BRENNAN, McNEILL, SANCHEZ, DELLOSO and D. WILLIAMS

An Act amending Title 71 (State Government) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in benefits, providing for supplemental annuities for certain State Police officers commencing 2023.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, June 23, 2023.

SENATE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE

The clerk of the Senate, being introduced, presented the following bills for concurrence:

SB 37, PN 939

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, June 23, 2023.

SB 414, PN 361

Referred to Committee on HEALTH, June 23, 2023.

SB 694, PN 722

Referred to Committee on AGRICULTURE AND RURAL AFFAIRS, June 23, 2023.

SB 753, PN 800

Referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, June 23, 2023.

**BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE,
CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND
RECOMMITTED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES**

HB 859, PN 1716 (Amended) By Rep. STURLA

An Act amending Title 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in neighborhood blight reclamation and revitalization, further providing for municipal permit denial.

HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.

HB 1062, PN 1717 (Amended) By Rep. STURLA

An Act amending Title 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in neighborhood blight reclamation and revitalization, providing for State blight data collection system; establishing the Property Maintenance Code Serious Violations Registry and the Property Maintenance Code Serious Violations Registry Account; and making a transfer from the General Fund.

HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.

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

SB 95, PN 8 By Rep. NEILSON

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

TRANSPORTATION.

SB 96, PN 964 (Amended) By Rep. NEILSON

An Act designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 8537, carrying Pennsylvania Route 869 over a tributary of the Little Conemaugh River in Jackson Township, Cambria County, as the Sergeant Vance Stephan Keslar Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 8392, carrying Pennsylvania Route 53 over Bruebaker Run in Dean Township, Cambria County, as the U.S. Army Technical Sergeant Joseph F. Johnston Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 43267, on that portion of State Route 3041, also known as Dishong Mountain Road, over U.S. Route 22 in Jackson Township, Cambria County, as the Technical Sergeant Mike Capelli Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 45701, carrying Pennsylvania Route 403 over the Conemaugh River between Johnstown City and West Taylor Township, Cambria County, as the Captain Raymond W. Callahan, Jr., Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 8569, carrying State Route 1021 over Glendale Lake in White Township, Cambria County, as the CPL Reid Rex Ross 3 BT 26 Marine Reg. Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 56008, carrying Pennsylvania Route 403 over Stonycreek River in Johnstown City, Cambria County, as the Sgt. John C. Alaimo Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 8444, carrying US Route 219 over Pennsylvania Route 56, also known as Scalp Avenue, in Richland Township, Cambria County, as the PFC Stanley Albert Stys Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 8547, located on State Route 1002, also known as Friend Lea Road, over U.S. Route 219 in Cambria Township, Cambria County, as the PFC Cyril T. Yeckley Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 8654, carrying State Route 3035 over the Little Conemaugh River in East Taylor Township, Cambria County, as the East Taylor Township Veterans Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 43558, carrying U.S. Route 22 over a tributary of Hinckston Run in Jackson Township, Cambria County, as the Officer Matthew Krupa Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 55994, carrying State Route 4002 over California Run in Cambria Township, Cambria County, as the Senior Chief Stanley "Stush" Kubat, Jr., Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 46706, carrying State

Route 4001, also known as Iverson Road, over Stevens Run in Blacklick Township, Cambria County, as the PVT Donald D. Marsh Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 19716, carrying State Route 2019 over Mahoning Creek in Bell Township, Jefferson County, as the SP4 Michael Raymond Ishman Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 5550, carrying Woodbury Pike (Pennsylvania Route 36) over Halter Creek, spanning Blair and Freedom Townships, Blair County, as the Pvt. William E. Green Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 41606, carrying State Route 3011, also known as Branch Road, over Spring Creek in College Township, Centre County, as the Petty Officer John W. Coble Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 46159, carrying Pennsylvania Route 36 on Charger Highway, Blair Township, Blair County, as the Marine Lance Corporal Ralph Hammel Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 52767, carrying West High Street (State Route 4031), crossing the Ghost Town Trail, located in Ebensburg Borough, Cambria County, as the Corpsman Charles Doerr, United States Navy, Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 11781, on that portion of State Route 3004 over the West Branch Susquehanna River, Burnside Township, Clearfield County, as the United States Army Sergeant Harold Koller Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 8555, carrying State Route 1007 over Chest Creek on the border of Allegheny Township and East Carroll Township, Cambria County, as the Sergeant Regis H. Driskel Memorial Bridge; designating a portion of Pennsylvania Route 143 in Lynn Township, Lehigh County, from the intersection of Pennsylvania Route 309 to the border of Berks County, as Heroes Highway, in honor of fallen firefighter Marvin Gruber and Assistant Fire Chief Zachary Paris; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 47515, carrying Pennsylvania Route 286 over Blacklegs Creek in Conemaugh Township, Indiana County, as the Captain Robert M. Young Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 8574, carrying State Route 1021 over Clearfield Creek in White Township, Cambria County, as the Charles Owen Jenkins, Jr., Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 45509, carrying U.S. Route 40 over Pennsylvania Route 43 in Redstone Township, Fayette County, as the PFC John Balog Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 47947, carrying State Route 1054 over Indian Creek in Saltlick Township, Fayette County, as the Sgt. Earl D. Barkley Memorial Bridge; designating the section of State Route 403, also known as Cramer Pike, from the intersection with State Route 3041 in West Taylor Township, Cambria County, to the intersection with State Route 8010, Segment 250 (Ramp E) in East Wheatfield Township, Indiana County, as the Captain Harry G. Cramer Memorial Highway; and making repeals.

TRANSPORTATION.

SB 621, PN 965 (Amended) By Rep. NEILSON

An Act designating the portion of Pennsylvania Route 41 (Gap Newport Pike) from the intersection with Bernard Avenue to the intersection with Highland Road in West Fallowfield Township, Chester County, as the Corporal Brandon Hardy Memorial Highway; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 13775, carrying Pennsylvania Route 641 over Big Spring Creek on the border of Newville Borough and West Pennsboro Township, Cumberland County, as the SFC Randall Shughart Memorial Bridge; designating a portion of Johnson Mill Road (State Route 1001) from the bridge over Buffalo Creek (Bridge Key 33467) to the intersection of Colonel John Kelly Road (State Route 1002) in Buffalo Township, Union County, as the Sgt. Edward L. Shannon Memorial Highway; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 13617, carrying Pennsylvania Route 34, over Mountain Creek in Mount Holly Springs Borough, Cumberland County, as the Firefighter Jerome Guise Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 8553, carrying State Route 1006 on Syberton Road over Clearfield Creek in Gallitzin Township, Cambria County, as the Private Martin J. Hanlon Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 36247, carrying Pennsylvania Route 711 over Loyalhanna Creek in Ligonier Township, Westmoreland County, as the Sergeant Alvin P. Carey and Private John C. Ewing Medal of Honor Memorial Bridge; designating the bridge, identified as Bridge Keys 34474 and 34477, carrying Interstate 70 over Pennsylvania Route 18, on the border of Washington City and Canton Township, Washington County, as the Corporal Frank Sworden Memorial Bridge; designating a portion of Pennsylvania Route 310 between Knox Dale Road, also

known as State Route 2023, and Ash Street in McCalmont Township, Jefferson County, as the Lance Cpl. Bernard Himes Memorial Highway; and designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 33758, carrying Pennsylvania Route 427 over Sugar Creek in Sugarcreek Borough, Venango County, as the Staff Sergeant Richard James Mulholland Memorial Bridge.

TRANSPORTATION.

RULES COMMITTEE MEETING

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority caucus chair, Representative Schlossberg, for a caucus announcement.

Mr. SCHLOSSBERG. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Immediately upon the break, there will be a Rules Committee meeting in the majority caucus room.

House Democrats will caucus at 1 o'clock. We will be prepared to return to the floor at 1:45.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. There will be a Rules Committee meeting immediately in the majority caucus room.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the minority caucus chair, Representative Dunbar, for a caucus announcement.

Mr. DUNBAR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Republicans will caucus at 12:45. Republicans will caucus at 12:45.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the majority vice chairman of the Appropriations Committee, Representative Mullins, for an announcement.

Mr. MULLINS. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

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

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Appropriations Committee will meet immediately following the Rules Committee meeting in the majority caucus room.

Are there any other announcements?

RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The House stands in recess until 1:45, unless sooner recalled by the Speaker.

RECESS EXTENDED

The time of recess was extended until 3 p.m.; further extended until 4 p.m., further extended until 5 p.m.

THE SPEAKER (JOANNA E. McCLINTON) PRESIDING

AFTER RECESS

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

COMMUNICATION

The SPEAKER. The Speaker submits the following report to the record, which the clerk will now read.

The following communication was read:

The release of Training Mandates on Pennsylvania Public School Entities: Report of the Advisory Committee in response to HR 163 of 2021.

(Copy of communication is on file with the Journal clerk.)

HOUSE BILL INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

No. 1515 By Representatives MADDEN, SCHLOSSBERG, BRENNAN, CEPEDA-FREYITZ, T. DAVIS, GALLAGHER, GUENST, HANBIDGE, HILL-EVANS, KAZEEM, KHAN, MALAGARI, RABB, ROZZI and SANCHEZ

An Act amending Title 61 (Prisons and Parole) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in Nonnarcotic Medication-assisted Substance Abuse Treatment Grant Pilot Program, further providing for definitions, repealing provisions relating to establishment of pilot program, providing for establishment and further providing for county participation requirements, for use of grant funding, for powers and duties of department, for prior authorization, for report to General Assembly and for construction; imposing duties on the Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency; and making an editorial change.

Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES, June 26, 2023.

BILLS REREPORTED FROM COMMITTEES

HB 78, PN 1675

By Rep. HARRIS

An Act establishing the Medical Debt Relief Program; establishing requirements for hospital-based financial assistance; and imposing duties on the Department of Health.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 817, PN 774

By Rep. BRADFORD

An Act amending the act of September 27, 1961 (P.L.1700, No.699), known as the Pharmacy Act, further providing for State Board of Pharmacy.

RULES.

HB 818, PN 1592

By Rep. BRADFORD

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 State and its departmental administrative board, establishing the Pharmaceutical Collection Sites Educational Program; and making an appropriation.

RULES.

HB 897, PN 1676

By Rep. HARRIS

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in transfers of credits between institutions of higher education, further providing for definitions and for duties of public institutions of higher education, providing for guaranteed admission, for reports to General Assembly and for dispute resolution and further providing for Transfer and Articulation Oversight Committee, for duties of department and for applicability.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 1020, PN 1264

By Rep. HARRIS

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; and, in departmental powers and duties as to licensing, further providing for fees, providing for Keystone STARS Program and further providing for definition.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 1050, PN 1532

By Rep. HARRIS

An Act providing for health care insurance preventive services coverage protections; conferring authority on the Insurance Department and the Insurance Commissioner; and providing for regulations, for enforcement and for penalties.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 1108, PN 1677

By Rep. HARRIS

An Act amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in preliminary provisions relating to divorce, further providing for legislative findings and intent, for definitions and for effect of agreement between parties; and, in property rights, further providing for equitable division of marital property.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 1280, PN 1396

By Rep. HARRIS

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, in administrative organization, further providing for Pennsylvania State Police.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 1284, PN 1678

By Rep. HARRIS

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in rules of the road in general, further providing for enforcement of failure to stop for school bus with flashing red lights, for automated speed enforcement systems in active work zones and for pilot program for automated speed enforcement system on designated highway and providing for pilot program for automated speed enforcement systems in designated school zones.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 1316, PN 1563

By Rep. BRADFORD

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

RULES.

HB 1333, PN 1476

By Rep. BRADFORD

An Act amending the act of July 25, 1961 (P.L.857, No.372), referred to as the Stuffed Toy Manufacturing Act, further providing for definitions, for manufacturing, for materials and for enforcement; and providing for labeling.

RULES.

HB 1408, PN 1692

By Rep. HARRIS

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in grounds and buildings, further providing for limitation on new applications for Department of Education approval of public school building projects; and, in construction and renovation of buildings by school entities, further providing for definitions, for school construction and renovation approval process, for high-performance building standards, for maintenance program, for building condition assessments, for project reimbursement and for applicability.

APPROPRIATIONS.

**BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE,
CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND
RECOMMITTED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES**

HB 1323, PN 1458

By Rep. SOLOMON

An Act imposing the duty of Department of Environmental Protection to prohibit the construction or installation of wind turbines that negatively affect military installations.

VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY
PREPAREDNESS.

HB 1450, PN 1634

By Rep. SOLOMON

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in decorations, medals, badges and awards, further providing for authorized decorations, medals, badges and awards.

VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY
PREPAREDNESS.

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

SB 141, PN 17

By Rep. SOLOMON

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in decorations, medals, badges and awards, further providing for authorized decorations, medals, badges and awards.

VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY
PREPAREDNESS.

RESOLUTION REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

HR 147, PN 1545

By Rep. SOLOMON

A Resolution designating August 7, 2023, as "Purple Heart Day" in Pennsylvania.

VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS.

CALENDAR

RESOLUTIONS

Mr. SMITH-WADE-EL called up HR 66, PN 1564, entitled:

A Resolution directing the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee to conduct a study and issue a report on the impact of housing on health in this Commonwealth.

On the question, Will the House adopt the resolution?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—110

Table listing names of members who voted 'YEAS' for HR 66, PN 1564. Includes names like Abney, Bellmon, Benham, Bizzarro, Borowski, Boyd, Boyle, Bradford, Brennan, Briggs, Brown, A., Bullock, Burgos, Burns, C Freytiz, Cephas, Cerrato, Ciresi, Conklin, Curry, Daley, Davis, Dawkins, Deasy, Dellosa, Donahue, Evans, Fiedler, Fleming, Frankel, Freeman, Friel, Gallagher, Galloway, Gergely, Giral, Green, Guent, Guzman, Haddock, Hanbidge, Harkins, Harris, Hogan, Hohenstein, Howard, Innamorato, Isaacson, Kazeem, Kenyatta, Khan, Kim, Kinkead, Kinsey, Kosierowski, Krajewski, Krueger, Kulik, Madden, Madsen, Malagari, Marcell, Markosek, Matzie, Mayes, McAndrew, McNeill, Mehaffie, Mercuri, Merski, Mihalek, Miller, D., Mullins, Munroe, Neilson, Nelson, N., O'Mara, Otten, Parker, Pashinski, Pielli, Pisciotano, Probst, Rabb, Rozzi, Salisbury, Samuelson, Sanchez, Sappey, Schlossberg, Schweyer, Scott, Shusterman, Siegel, Smith-Wade-El, Solomon, Steele, Sturla, Takac, Tomlinson, Venkat, Vitali, Warren, Waxman, Webster, White, Williams, C., Williams, D., Young, McClinton, Speaker.

NAYS—93

Table listing names of members who voted 'NAYS' for HR 66, PN 1564. Includes names like Adams, Armanini, Banta, Barton, Benninghoff, Bernstine, Bonner, Borowicz, Brown, M., Cabell, Causer, Cook, Flood, Fritz, Gaydos, Gillen, Gleim, Gregory, Greiner, Grove, Hamm, Heffley, Irvin, James, Kutz, Kuzma, Labs, Lawrence, Leadbeter, Mackenzie, M., Mackenzie, R., Major, Mako, Maloney, Marshall, Mentzer, Rapp, Rigby, Roae, Rossi, Rowe, Ryncavage, Schemel, Scheuren, Schlegel, Schmitt, Scialabba, Smith.

Table listing names of members who were 'NOT VOTING' or 'EXCUSED'. Includes names like Cooper, Cutler, D'Orsie, Davanzo, Delozier, Diamond, Dunbar, Ecker, Emrick, Fee, Fink, Flick, Jones, M., Jones, T., Jozwiak, Kail, Kaufer, Kauffman, Keefer, Kephart, Kerwin, Klunk, Krupa, Metzgar, Miller, B., Moul, Mustello, Nelson, E., O'Neal, Oberlander, Ortitay, Owlett, Pickett, Rader, Staats, Stambaugh, Stehr, Stender, Struzzi, Topper, Twardzik, Warner, Watro, Wentling, Zimmerman.

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

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

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Mrs. DAVIS called up HR 139, PN 1425, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of June 2023 as "Homeownership Month" in Pennsylvania.

On the question, Will the House adopt the resolution?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—166

Table listing names of members who voted 'YEAS' for HR 139, PN 1425. Includes names like Abney, Adams, Banta, Bellmon, Benham, Benninghoff, Bizzarro, Borowski, Boyd, Boyle, Bradford, Brennan, Briggs, Brown, A., Bullock, Burgos, Burns, C Freytiz, Cabell, Causer, Cephas, Cerrato, Ciresi, Conklin, Cook, Curry, Daley, Davanzo, Davis, Dawkins, Deasy, Dellosa, Donahue, Dunbar, Ecker, Emrick, Flick, Flood, Frankel, Freeman, Friel, Fritz, Gallagher, Galloway, Gaydos, Gergely, Giral, Green, Greiner, Guent, Guzman, Haddock, Hanbidge, Harkins, Harris, Heffley, Hogan, Howard, Innamorato, Irvin, Isaacson, James, Jozwiak, Kaufer, Kauffman, Kazeem, Kenyatta, Kerwin, Khan, Kim, Kinkead, Kinsey, Klunk, Kutz, Kuzma, Labs, Lawrence, Mackenzie, M., Mackenzie, R., Madden, Madsen, Major, Mako, Malagari, Marcell, Markosek, Marshall, Matzie, Mayes, McAndrew, McNeill, Mehaffie, Mentzer, Mercuri, Merski, Metzgar, Mihalek, Miller, B., Miller, D., Mullins, Munroe, Mustello, Neilson, Nelson, E., Nelson, N., O'Mara, Oberlander, Ortitay, Otten, Owlett, Parker, Probst, Rabb, Rader, Rigby, Rozzi, Ryncavage, Salisbury, Samuelson, Sanchez, Sappey, Scheuren, Schlossberg, Schmitt, Schweyer, Scott, Shusterman, Siegel, Smith-Wade-El, Solomon, Staats, Steele, Stender, Struzzi, Sturla, Takac, Tomlinson, Topper, Venkat, Vitali, Warren, Watro, Waxman, Webster, Wentling, White, Williams, C., Williams, D., Young.

Evans	Kosierowski	Pashinski	Zimmerman
Fee	Krajewski	Pickett	
Fiedler	Krueger	Pielli	McClinton,
Fleming	Kulik	Pisciottano	Speaker

NAYS—37

Armanini	Gillen	Kephart	Rowe
Barton	Gleim	Krupa	Schemel
Bernstine	Gregory	Leadbeter	Schlegel
Borowicz	Grove	Maloney	Scialabba
Brown, M.	Hamm	Moul	Smith
Cooper	Jones, M.	O'Neal	Stambaugh
Cutler	Jones, T.	Rapp	Stehr
D'Orsie	Kail	Roae	Twardzik
Diamond	Keefer	Rossi	Warner
Fink			

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

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

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Mr. NEILSON called up **HR 154, PN 1604**, entitled:

A Concurrent Resolution extending in whole the disaster emergency declared on June 12, 2023, in response to the collapse of the northbound bridge and severe compromise of the southbound bridge on Interstate 95 in the City of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolution?

Mr. **ROAE** offered the following amendment No. **A01303**:

Amend Resolution, page 2, lines 24 and 25, by striking out "June 12, 2024," and inserting
September 30, 2023,

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

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the amendment, Representative Roae.

Mr. ROAE. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

My resolution – excuse me, my amendment on the resolution changes the date. The underlying resolution allows the state of emergency regarding the I-95 bridge to go on for an entire year. Madam Speaker, that is too long. My resolution would limit that to September 30 of this year. Before September 30, if we need to, we could extend the date again for the state of emergency for another 3 or 4 months. At a future date after that, we could extend it again. If we do it that way, Madam Speaker, we maintain a little bit of control. There is a little bit of checks and balances in place. If we do this for an entire year and things are not going how they should be going, there is not really much that we would be able to do.

I have a lot of bad memories about the last major state of emergency we had – face masks, vaccine mandates, school closures; casinos could be open, but fire department bingo had to be closed. There were a lot of things that happened during the

COVID state of emergency that makes me really nervous about extending a state of emergency for an entire year.

This amendment would continue the state of emergency. I do not want anybody to think that it gets rid of it. It just makes the date September 30 of this year rather than June 12 of next year. So I would urge the members to vote "yes." Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the maker of the amendment.

On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the resolution, Representative Neilson.

Mr. NEILSON. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

I ask the members to oppose amendment A01313. An extension to September 30 does not give the administration enough time, and it is well-known how good this project has been going. Any delay in this project would hurt the thousands and thousands of cars that drive up and down I-95 each day. This will eliminate – eliminate – an extension. And to compare it with COVID is very unfair. This is specifically to Interstate I-95, the tragedy, the collapse of I-95, and I really hope the members can stand with me and oppose this amendment.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—101

Adams	Gaydos	Lawrence	Rigby
Armanini	Gillen	Leadbeter	Roae
Banta	Gleim	Mackenzie, M.	Rossi
Barton	Gregory	Mackenzie, R.	Rowe
Benninghoff	Greiner	Major	Ryncavage
Bernstine	Grove	Mako	Schemel
Bonner	Hamm	Maloney	Scheuren
Borowicz	Heffley	Marcell	Schlegel
Brown, M.	Hogan	Marshall	Schmitt
Cabell	Irvin	Mehaffie	Scialabba
Causser	James	Mentzer	Smith
Cook	Jones, M.	Mercuri	Staats
Cooper	Jones, T.	Metzgar	Stambaugh
Cutler	Jozwiak	Mihalek	Stehr
D'Orsie	Kail	Miller, B.	Stender
Davanzo	Kaufer	Moul	Struzzi
Delozier	Kauffman	Mustello	Tomlinson
Diamond	Keefer	Nelson, E.	Topper
Dunbar	Kephart	O'Neal	Twardzik
Ecker	Kerwin	Oberlander	Warner
Emrick	Klunk	Ortitay	Watro
Fee	Krupa	Owlett	Wentling
Fink	Kutz	Pickett	White
Flick	Kuzma	Rader	Williams, C.
Flood	Labs	Rapp	Zimmerman
Fritz			

NAYS—102

Abney	Evans	Kinsey	Rabb
Bellmon	Fiedler	Kosierowski	Rozzi
Benham	Fleming	Krajewski	Salisbury
Bizzarro	Frankel	Krueger	Samuelson
Borowski	Freeman	Kulik	Sanchez
Boyd	Friel	Madden	Sappery
Boyle	Gallagher	Madsen	Schlossberg
Bradford	Galloway	Malagari	Schweyer
Brennan	Gergely	Markosek	Scott
Briggs	Giral	Matzie	Shusterman

Brown, A.	Green	Mayes	Siegel
Bullock	Guenst	McAndrew	Smith-Wade-El
Burgos	Guzman	McNeill	Solomon
Burns	Haddock	Merski	Steele
C Freytiz	Hanbidge	Miller, D.	Sturla
Cephas	Harkins	Mullins	Takac
Cerrato	Harris	Munroe	Venkat
Ciresi	Hohenstein	Neilson	Vitali
Conklin	Howard	Nelson, N.	Warren
Curry	Innamorato	O'Mara	Waxman
Daley	Isaacson	Otten	Webster
Davis	Kazeem	Parker	Williams, D.
Dawkins	Kenyatta	Pashinski	Young
Deasy	Khan	Pielli	
Delloso	Kim	Pisciottano	McClinton,
Donahue	Kinthead	Probst	Speaker

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

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

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

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the resolution, Representative Neilson.

Mr. NEILSON. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

As we all know, on June 11 a tanker truck fire erupted underneath the northbound and southbound bridge on 95 at the Cottman Avenue exit. The fire led to the collapse of the bridge and severely compromised the rest that did not collapse. As a result, all the lanes of I-95 were closed, both directions, between the Woodhaven and Aramingo exits.

Before I speak on this further, this accident resulted in a fatality – Nathan Moody, the driver; an Army veteran, a married father of three. I ask that you keep his loved ones in your thoughts and prayers during their difficult time.

This accident happened in Representative Gallagher's district, just right next door to mine. We were on site the day of the accident within hours.

I want to thank all the emergency responders and police officers and firefighters who immediately responded.

Since June 11 we have been in constant contact with the administration, Secretary Carroll, PennDOT, Mayor Kenney, Councilman Driscoll, Senator Dillon, and all the crews on the ground. We visited the site multiple times to see the extraordinary progress that is made to get this section of I-95 reopened. Like many of you, I have watched it live stream.

I want to thank Governor Shapiro and Secretary Carroll, PennDOT, and all the local contractors such as Buckley & Company, Pennoni, James Anderson Construction, and many more.

I want to thank SEPTA (Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority), who quickly responded to the closure of I-95 by adding three extra trains on the Trenton Line, as well as the increased capacity throughout the area. Ridership during this time increased 14 percent. SEPTA's response showed the critical need for the reliable transportation operations in Pennsylvania, especially in southeastern PA.

More importantly, most importantly, I want to thank the Philadelphia Building and Construction Trades. This locally trained union workforce worked 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. They stepped up. Thanks to them I-95 was reopened in only 12 days after it collapsed – well ahead of projections.

As a member myself of the Philadelphia Building Trades Council, I got to say, I worked many projects throughout the years. This one moved at a record pace, all hands on deck. But now we, the General Assembly, have to do the same. We have to do our part. The primary reason the administration has been able to respond to this accident so quickly is because Governor Shapiro signed a disaster proclamation on June 12 to expedite the rebuilding of I-95, cut through the red tape, allowed the Commonwealth to immediately draw down on Federal funds, made \$7 million in State funds available. It authorized PEMA (Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency), PennDOT, and the State Police to waive bidding and contracting procedures and other formalities normally prescribed by law. However, we, the General Assembly, under the State Constitution, made it so that the disaster expires after 21 days.

Phase 1 is now done. It is complete. With all the constant contact between the administration, they have assured me personally this will be lifted the day this job is complete, the day all lanes are open, all traffic is moving properly throughout the area.

My resolution extends the Governor's disaster until June 2024. The extension will allow the administration, our local contractors, and the building trades to keep on working on the project without interruption. Everybody knows the building cycles in the industry are 60, 90 days out. This will make certain all the members, all the people working on the project, all the contractors, everyone gets paid. The Governor's proclamation is site-specific, which I told you.

This has passed through the committee unanimously, and I ask today for all of your support on this resolution.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—165

Abney	Fiedler	Kulik	Rader
Adams	Fleming	Kutz	Rigby
Armanini	Flick	Kuzma	Rozzi
Banta	Flood	Labs	Ryncavage
Barton	Frankel	Lawrence	Salisbury
Bellmon	Freeman	Mackenzie, R.	Samuelson
Benham	Friel	Madden	Sanchez
Benninghoff	Fritz	Madsen	Sappay
Bizzarro	Gallagher	Major	Scheuren
Bonner	Galloway	Mako	Schlossberg
Borowski	Gergely	Malagari	Schmitt
Boyd	Gillen	Marcell	Schweyer
Boyle	Giral	Markosek	Scott
Bradford	Green	Marshall	Shusterman
Brennan	Greiner	Matzie	Siegel
Briggs	Grove	Mayes	Smith
Brown, A.	Guenst	McAndrew	Smith-Wade-El
Bullock	Guzman	McNeill	Solomon
Burgos	Haddock	Mehaffie	Staats
Burns	Hanbidge	Mentzer	Stambaugh
C Freytiz	Harkins	Mercuri	Steele

Cabell	Harris	Merski	Stender
Causer	Hogan	Mihalek	Struzzi
Cephas	Hohenstein	Miller, D.	Sturla
Cerrato	Howard	Mullins	Takac
Ciresi	Innamorato	Munroe	Tomlinson
Conklin	Irvin	Mustello	Topper
Cook	Isaacson	Neilson	Venkat
Curry	James	Nelson, N.	Vitali
Cutler	Kail	O'Mara	Warren
Daley	Kaufner	O'Neal	Watro
Davis	Kazeem	Oberlander	Waxman
Dawkins	Kenyatta	Ortitay	Webster
Deasy	Kerwin	Otten	Wentling
Delloso	Khan	Owlett	White
Delozier	Kim	Parker	Williams, C.
Donahue	Kinkead	Pashinski	Williams, D.
Dunbar	Kinsey	Pickett	Young
Ecker	Klunk	Pielli	
Emrick	Kosierowski	Pisciottano	McClinton,
Evans	Krajewski	Probst	Speaker
Fee	Krueger	Rabb	

NAYS—38

Bernstine	Gregory	Leadbeter	Rossi
Borowicz	Hamm	Mackenzie, M.	Rowe
Brown, M.	Heffley	Maloney	Schemel
Cooper	Jones, M.	Metzgar	Schlegel
D'Orsio	Jones, T.	Miller, B.	Scialabba
Davanzo	Jozwiak	Moul	Stehr
Diamond	Kauffman	Nelson, E.	Twardzik
Fink	Keefer	Rapp	Warner
Gaydos	Kephart	Roae	Zimmerman
Gleim	Krupa		

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

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

SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR A

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 817, PN 774**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of September 27, 1961 (P.L.1700, No.699), known as the Pharmacy Act, further providing for State Board of Pharmacy.

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

CALENDAR CONTINUED

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 668, PN 956**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in fostering independence through education, further providing for definitions, for fostering independence waiver program, for outreach and for report.

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

Ms. **BENHAM** offered the following amendment
No. **A01186**:

Amend Bill, page 3, line 1, by inserting after "caregiver"
,eligible for a Pell Grant

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

The **SPEAKER**. On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the amendment and the bill, Representative Benham.

Ms. **BENHAM**. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

This amendment makes a change to the eligibility requirement for the bill so that those individuals have to both be under the care of a kinship caregiver and be eligible for a Pell Grant. This makes the bill stronger, and I would urge a "yes" vote. Thank you.

The **SPEAKER**. The Chair thanks the maker of the amendment.

On that question, the Chair recognizes Representative Ortitay.
Mr. **ORTITAY**. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

I would like to thank my colleague from Allegheny County for working with me on this amendment and would like to request an affirmative vote. Thank you very much.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—202

Abney	Fleming	Krueger	Rapp
Adams	Flick	Krupa	Rigby
Armanini	Flood	Kulik	Roae
Banta	Frankel	Kutz	Rossi
Barton	Freeman	Kuzma	Rowe
Bellmon	Friel	Labs	Rozzi
Benham	Fritz	Lawrence	Ryncavage
Benninghoff	Gallagher	Leadbeter	Salisbury
Bernstine	Galloway	Mackenzie, M.	Samuelson
Bizzarro	Gaydos	Mackenzie, R.	Sanchez
Bonner	Gergely	Madden	Sappery
Borowicz	Gillen	Madsen	Schemel
Borowski	Giral	Major	Scheuren
Boyd	Gleim	Mako	Schlegel
Boyle	Green	Malagari	Schlossberg
Bradford	Gregory	Maloney	Schmitt
Brennan	Greiner	Marcell	Schweyer
Briggs	Grove	Markosek	Scialabba
Brown, A.	Guenst	Marshall	Scott
Brown, M.	Guzman	Matzie	Shusterman
Bullock	Haddock	Mayer	Siegel
Burgos	Hamm	McAndrew	Smith
Burns	Hanbidge	McNeill	Smith-Wade-El
C Freytiz	Harkins	Mehaffie	Solomon
Cabell	Harris	Mentzer	Staats
Causer	Heffley	Mercuri	Stambaugh
Cephas	Hogan	Merski	Steele
Cerrato	Hohenstein	Metzgar	Stehr
Ciresi	Howard	Mihalek	Stender
Conklin	Innamorato	Miller, B.	Struzzi
Cook	Irvin	Miller, D.	Sturla
Cooper	Isaacson	Moul	Takac
Curry	James	Mullins	Tomlinson
Cutler	Jones, M.	Munroe	Topper

D'Orsie	Jones, T.	Mustello	Twardzik
Daley	Jozwiak	Neilson	Venkat
Davanzo	Kail	Nelson, N.	Vitali
Davis	Kaufner	O'Mara	Warner
Dawkins	Kauffman	O'Neal	Warren
Deasy	Kazeem	Oberlander	Watro
Delloso	Keefer	Ortitay	Waxman
Delozier	Kenyatta	Otten	Webster
Diamond	Kephart	Owlett	Wentling
Donahue	Kerwin	Parker	White
Dunbar	Khan	Pashinski	Williams, C.
Ecker	Kim	Pickett	Williams, D.
Emrick	Kinthead	Pielli	Young
Evans	Kinsey	Pisciottano	Zimmerman
Fee	Klunk	Probst	
Fiedler	Kosierowski	Rabb	McClinton,
Fink	Krajewski	Rader	Speaker

NAYS-1

Nelson, E.

NOT VOTING-0

EXCUSED-0

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

On the question,

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

Mr. **BERNSTINE** offered the following amendment No. **A01302**:

Amend Bill, page 2, line 28, by striking out "either" and inserting one

Amend Bill, page 3, by inserting between lines 3 and 4

(iii) An individual adopted under 23 Pa.C.S. Pt.

III (relating to adoption).

Amend Bill, page 4, by inserting between lines 16 and 17

(x) The number of adopted individuals who are

participating in the program.

Amend Bill, page 4, line 19, by striking out "a paragraph" and inserting

paragraphs

Amend Bill, page 5, by inserting between lines 10 and 11

(10) The number of adopted individuals who are

participating in the program.

Amend Bill, page 5, line 11, by inserting after "2023"

, or immediately, whichever is later

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the amendment, Representative Bernstine.

Mr. BERNSTINE Thank you, Madam Speaker.

Madam Speaker, my concern – first off, I would like to thank the maker of the piece of legislation, a very good piece of legislation that looks to be a very good, strong bipartisan piece of legislation. But one of the concerns that I have with this particular piece of legislation is that it could potentially create an environment that disincentivizes people from actually going forward with a full adoption of children. And this is an issue that

I can tell you that I am personally dealing with myself. We have two children that we are currently in the process of adopting. They were actually running around on the House floor here earlier today, so thank you for everybody for coming up and saying hello to them. But in addition, I think that we also need to make sure that we are not creating an environment that creates a – disincentivizes people from moving forward with the full and complete adoption.

AMENDMENT WITHDRAWN

Mr. BERNSTINE. With that being said, I am afraid that if I continued with this amendment that it would actually kill this bill due to the costs associated with it, so I am going to pull this amendment. But I look forward to working with members on both sides of the aisle to move this issue that is clearly not partisan and is an issue that we should all be working toward to make sure that we are providing young people with great family homes.

So, Madam Speaker, at this point I would like to pull this amendment, but once again, I do look forward to working with both Republicans and Democrats to move this issue forward.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

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.

SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR A CONTINUED

BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 818, PN 1592**, entitled:

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 State and its departmental administrative board, establishing the Pharmaceutical Collection Sites Educational Program; and making an appropriation.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

Mr. **FRANKEL** offered the following amendment No. **A01083**:

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 23 and 24, by striking out "; and making an appropriation"

Amend Bill, page 2, lines 13 through 17, by striking out "The sum of two million dollars (\$2,000,000) is hereby" in line 13, all of lines 14 through 16 and "Money appropriated to the Department of State" in line 17 and inserting

Money shall be appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of State to administer the Pharmaceutical Collection Sites Educational Program and

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the amendment, Representative Frankel.

Mr. FRANKEL. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

Amendment A01083 allows the General Assembly to determine the appropriation for the program instead of setting a fixed amount. The high cost of drug take-back programs disincentivize pharmacies from participating in these programs, so helping with the implementation of collection bins and disposal will increase participation. However, some of the costs associated are front-loaded, so the amount needed may decrease as the program progresses. I believe it is prudent to allow flexibility to the appropriation to ensure that we are providing the proper amount needed to run the program.

Thank you, Madam Speaker, and I believe this is an agreed-to amendment by the prime sponsor. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—103

Abney	Fiedler	Kinsey	Rabb
Bellmon	Fleming	Kosierowski	Rozzi
Benham	Frankel	Krajewski	Salisbury
Bizzarro	Freeman	Krueger	Samuelson
Borowski	Friel	Kulik	Sanchez
Boyd	Gallagher	Madden	Sappey
Boyle	Galloway	Madsen	Schlossberg
Bradford	Gergely	Malagari	Schweyer
Brennan	Giral	Markosek	Scott
Briggs	Green	Matzie	Shusterman
Brown, A.	Guenst	Mayer	Siegel
Bullock	Guzman	McAndrew	Smith-Wade-El
Burgos	Haddock	McNeill	Solomon
Burns	Hanbidge	Merski	Steele
C Freytiz	Harkins	Miller, D.	Sturla
Cephas	Harris	Mullins	Takac
Cerrato	Hohenstein	Munroe	Venkat
Ciresi	Howard	Neilson	Vitali
Conklin	Innamorato	Nelson, N.	Warren
Curry	Isaacson	O'Mara	Waxman
Daley	Kaufer	Otten	Webster
Davis	Kazeem	Parker	Williams, D.
Dawkins	Kenyatta	Pashinski	Young
Deasy	Khan	Pielli	
Delloso	Kim	Pisciottano	McClinton,
Donahue	Kinkead	Probst	Speaker
Evens			

NAYS—100

Adams	Fritz	Lawrence	Rigby
Armanini	Gaydos	Leadbeter	Roae
Banta	Gillen	Mackenzie, M.	Rossi
Barton	Gleim	Mackenzie, R.	Rowe
Benninghoff	Gregory	Major	Ryncavage
Bernstine	Greiner	Mako	Schemel
Bonner	Grove	Maloney	Scheuren
Borowicz	Hamm	Marcell	Schlegel
Brown, M.	Heffley	Marshall	Schmitt
Cabell	Hogan	Mehaffie	Scialabba
Causar	Irvin	Mentzer	Smith
Cook	James	Mercuri	Staats
Cooper	Jones, M.	Metzgar	Stambaugh
Cutler	Jones, T.	Mihalek	Stehr
D'Orsio	Jozwiak	Miller, B.	Stender
Davanzo	Kail	Moul	Struzzi
Delozier	Kauffman	Mustello	Tomlinson

Diamond	Keefer	Nelson, E.	Topper
Dunbar	Kephart	O'Neal	Twardzik
Ecker	Kerwin	Oberlander	Warner
Emrick	Klunk	Ortitay	Watro
Fee	Krupa	Owlett	Wentling
Fink	Kutz	Pickett	White
Flick	Kuzma	Rader	Williams, C.
Flood	Labs	Rapp	Zimmerman

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

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.

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 1316, PN 1563**, entitled:

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

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

Mr. **LEADBETER** offered the following amendment No. **A01307**:

Amend Bill, page 1, line 16, by inserting after "amended" where it occurs the second time

and the section is amended by adding a subsection

Amend Bill, page 3, line 15, by striking out all of said line and inserting

(b.1) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, for fiscal years beginning after July 1, 2023, any amount transferred to the Housing Affordability and Rehabilitation Enhancement Fund under subsection (b)(3), (4) and (5) in excess of \$60,000,000 in a fiscal year shall only be used for projects in counties which are not subject to the act of December 13, 1988 (P.L.1190, No.146), known as the First and Second Class County Property Tax Relief Act.

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On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the amendment, Representative Leadbeter.

Mr. **LEADBETER**. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

I rise today to offer amendment 01307, which amends HB 1316. This amendment limits the use of the additional money being deposited into the Housing Affordability and Rehabilitation Enhancement Fund to only those counties that do not qualify for the First and Second Class County Property Tax Relief Act that was passed earlier this session. I believe that limiting the use of this additional housing money to the other

65 counties is only fair, as advocated by my good counterpart, the good gentleman from Carbon County. Since this House has seen fit to give two of our largest counties special tax relief authority, this balances the scales. We have the opportunity now to rectify that and replenish the housing stock in these counties through the Housing Affordability and Rehabilitation Enhancement Fund, and I ask for an affirmative vote.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the bill, Representative Innamorato.

Ms. INNAMORATO. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

Safe, healthy, affordable homes are something that every county deserves and currently requires. In committee we worked with my colleague from Schuylkill County to ensure that this bill aligns with the majority chairman's bill in the Senate so that we can deliver more funds to communities across this Commonwealth. So I urge a negative vote on this amendment.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the maker of the bill.

On that question, the Chair recognizes Representative Heffley.

Mr. HEFFLEY. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

And I agree with the previous speaker, the gentlewoman from Allegheny County, that every county should be treated equal, and every county should be receiving funding and tax relief so that people can stay in their homes. That is why I think this amendment should go in, because while we have two particular counties right now that have a benefit and are receiving extra tax deductions on their – or could possibly receive property tax relief, this funding can go to those communities that are not receiving it so they, too, can maintain their properties and afford affordable housing for working families, for single mothers, for seniors, and for everybody that lives in this Commonwealth.

I would ask for an affirmative vote until we can come back and get a good proposal where we can get statewide property tax relief. This amendment goes a long way to equal the playing field, and I would ask for an affirmative vote on this amendment.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS-101

Adams	Gaydos	Lawrence	Rigby
Armanini	Gillen	Leadbeter	Roae
Banta	Gleim	Mackenzie, M.	Rossi
Barton	Gregory	Mackenzie, R.	Rowe
Benninghoff	Greiner	Major	Ryncavage
Bernstine	Grove	Mako	Schemel
Bonner	Hamm	Maloney	Scheuren
Borowicz	Heffley	Marcell	Schlegel
Brown, M.	Hogan	Marshall	Schmitt
Cabell	Irvin	Mehaffie	Scialabba
Causser	James	Mentzer	Smith
Cook	Jones, M.	Mercuri	Staats
Cooper	Jones, T.	Metzgar	Stambaugh
Cutler	Jozwiak	Mihalek	Stehr
D'Orsie	Kail	Miller, B.	Stender
Davanzo	Kaufner	Moul	Struzzi
Delozier	Kauffman	Mustello	Tomlinson
Diamond	Keefer	Nelson, E.	Topper
Dunbar	Kephart	O'Neal	Twardzik

Ecker	Kerwin	Oberlander	Warner
Emrick	Klunk	Ortitay	Watro
Fee	Krupa	Owlett	Wentling
Fink	Kutz	Pickett	White
Flick	Kuzma	Rader	Williams, C.
Flood	Labs	Rapp	Zimmerman
Fritz			

NAYS-102

Abney	Evans	Kinsey	Rabb
Bellmon	Fiedler	Kosierowski	Rozzi
Benham	Fleming	Krajewski	Salisbury
Bizzarro	Frankel	Krueger	Samuelson
Borowski	Freeman	Kulik	Sanchez
Boyd	Friel	Madden	Sappery
Boyle	Gallagher	Madsen	Schlossberg
Bradford	Galloway	Malagari	Schweyer
Brennan	Gergely	Markosek	Scott
Briggs	Giral	Matzie	Shusterman
Brown, A.	Green	Mayes	Siegel
Bullock	Guenst	McAndrew	Smith-Wade-El
Burgos	Guzman	McNeill	Solomon
Burns	Haddock	Merski	Steele
C Freytiz	Hanbidge	Miller, D.	Sturla
Cephas	Harkins	Mullins	Takac
Cerrato	Harris	Munroe	Venkat
Ciresi	Hohenstein	Neilson	Vitali
Conklin	Howard	Nelson, N.	Warren
Curry	Innamorato	O'Mara	Waxman
Daley	Isaacson	Otten	Webster
Davis	Kazeem	Parker	Williams, D.
Dawkins	Kenyatta	Pashinski	Young
Deasy	Khan	Pielli	
Delloso	Kim	Pisciottano	McClinton,
Donahue	Kinhead	Probst	Speaker

NOT VOTING-0

EXCUSED-0

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

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

Bill was agreed to.

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 1333, PN 1476**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 25, 1961 (P.L.857, No.372), referred to as the Stuffed Toy Manufacturing Act, further providing for definitions, for manufacturing, for materials and for enforcement; and providing for labeling.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

Mr. **LEADBETER** offered the following amendment No. **A01069**:

Amend Bill, page 4, by inserting between lines 15 and 16
(3) Certification that the manufacturer or importer of the stuffed toy does not engage in child labor, forced labor or slave labor practices.

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

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the amendment, Representative Leadbeter.

Mr. LEADBETER. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

I rise once again to offer amendment 01069 that would require a manufacturer of imported or stuffed toys to certify that the toy manufacturer does not engage in any form of child labor, forced labor, or indentured labor. Many of the stuffed toys imported into this State are from other countries, such as China. Some of you may have seen some of the cosponsorship memos I have circulated in a fight against human trafficking. While we want to prioritize what is being used to stuff the toys that our children may play with within this Commonwealth, I think it is equally as important to prioritize who is doing the stuffing.

The amendment would send a message that this legislature will stand for and will take action to protect the most vulnerable in our society and across the globe, including children or those who may be forced into labor. I ask for an affirmative vote.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the maker of the amendment.

Those in favor of the amendment will be voting "aye"; those—
The Chair recognizes the maker of the bill, Representative Dawkins.

Mr. DAWKINS. Thank you, Madam Chair.

I want to thank the maker of A01069. This particular amendment – obviously, as you know, we have a bill that is running that deals with the labor laws in Pennsylvania – that we, hopefully, will have on the floor soon – by the gentlelady from Philadelphia. We have some concerns with the ability to enforce this, but again, from a legislator's standpoint, the legislature's standpoint, the department is going to really be the one that has to do the enforcement arm, and they have some issues with this particular amendment. I am pretty much a neutral on the amendment, to be honest. So for me, I do not have any direct opposition outside of stating what the department already put through is that they have a few challenges on how they can actually do the enforcement of this, particularly to figure out the origination of all of the actual pieces when it goes into these stuffed animals.

So for those reasons I am not opposing, we are just going to be a neutral on this particular amendment.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On that question, the Chair recognizes Representative Lawrence.

Mr. LAWRENCE. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

I would encourage a "yes" vote on this amendment. The bill specifically deals with stuffed animals that are sold in this Commonwealth and is very prescriptive on what must be contained on the tag that is attached to the stuffed animal. Now, we can argue about whether this is an area we should be legislating in, but regardless of that, the fact of the matter is, the bill is very prescriptive about the requirements that have to appear on the tag of the stuffed animal that is sold within the Commonwealth. And if the department is going to be going forward with checking up on these very specific requirements as outlined in the bill, certainly they could add what this – I mean, this is, what could be more important than ensuring that the items that are being proffered for sale in the Commonwealth were not

manufactured overseas with what is commonly recognized as a big issue: slave labor, child labor? That is an important issue that we should be addressing here. I personally think it is a very important issue and we should all be voting in the affirmative on the amendment.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—203

Abney	Flick	Krupa	Rapp
Adams	Flood	Kulik	Rigby
Armanini	Frankel	Kutz	Roae
Banta	Freeman	Kuzma	Rossi
Barton	Friel	Labs	Rowe
Bellmon	Fritz	Lawrence	Rozzi
Benham	Gallagher	Leadbeter	Ryncavage
Benninghoff	Galloway	Mackenzie, M.	Salisbury
Bernstine	Gaydos	Mackenzie, R.	Samuelson
Bizzarro	Gergely	Madden	Sanchez
Bonner	Gillen	Madsen	Sappay
Borowicz	Giral	Major	Schemel
Borowski	Gleim	Mako	Scheuren
Boyd	Green	Malagari	Schlegel
Boyle	Gregory	Maloney	Schlossberg
Bradford	Greiner	Marcell	Schmitt
Brennan	Grove	Markosek	Schweyer
Briggs	Guenst	Marshall	Scialabba
Brown, A.	Guzman	Matzie	Scott
Brown, M.	Haddock	Mayes	Shusterman
Bullock	Hamm	McAndrew	Siegel
Burgos	Hanbidge	McNeill	Smith
Burns	Harkins	Mehaffie	Smith-Wade-El
C Freytiz	Harris	Mentzer	Solomon
Cabell	Heffley	Mercuri	Staats
Causer	Hogan	Merski	Stambaugh
Cephas	Hohenstein	Metzgar	Steele
Cerrato	Howard	Mihalek	Stehr
Ciresi	Innamorato	Miller, B.	Stender
Conklin	Irvin	Miller, D.	Struzzi
Cook	Isaacson	Moul	Sturla
Cooper	James	Mullins	Takac
Curry	Jones, M.	Munroe	Tomlinson
Cutler	Jones, T.	Mustello	Topper
D'Orsie	Jozwiak	Neilson	Twardzik
Daley	Kail	Nelson, E.	Venkat
Davanzo	Kaufman	Nelson, N.	Vitali
Davis	Kauffman	O'Mara	Warner
Dawkins	Kazeem	O'Neal	Warren
Deasy	Keefer	Oberlander	Watro
Delloso	Kenyatta	Ortitay	Waxman
Delozier	Kephart	Otten	Webster
Diamond	Kerwin	Owlett	Wentling
Donahue	Khan	Parker	White
Dunbar	Kim	Pashinski	Williams, C.
Ecker	Kinhead	Pickett	Williams, D.
Emrick	Kinsey	Pielli	Young
Evans	Klunk	Pisciottano	Zimmerman
Fee	Kosierowski	Probst	
Fiedler	Krajewski	Rabb	McClinton,
Fink	Krueger	Rader	Speaker
Fleming			

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

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?

Mrs. **KEEFER** offered the following amendment No. **A01274**:

Amend Bill, page 1, line 12, by inserting after "labeling" and for expiration of act

Amend Bill, page 3, line 29, by striking out "a section" and inserting sections

Amend Bill, page 4, by inserting between lines 18 and 19 Section 9.2. This act shall expire December 31, 2023.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

The **SPEAKER**. On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the amendment, Representative Keefer.

Mrs. **KEEFER**. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

So this amendment would just have this section of law expire because, essentially, it is not needed. Recycled material is already used in most other States, and Pennsylvania is one of only three that have limitations on the use in this State. The act is unnecessary because there are already Federal regulations and guidelines that govern every toy industry and what materials can and cannot be used in manufacturing these toys. So this statute that we have is, essentially, not needed.

So this would just have this section of the statute expire and we would get rid of this whole issue altogether and it would resolve everybody's issue in here. So I would encourage my colleagues for a "yes" vote.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

The **SPEAKER**. The Chair thanks the maker of the amendment.

On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the bill, Representative Dawkins.

Mr. **DAWKINS**. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

So I want to thank the gentelady for bringing up the amendment, A01274. This particular amendment I am going to oppose. This particular amendment, as is currently drafted, does not make a lot of sense to amend the law and then add a provision to the law and recently add language that would sunset at the end of this year. So for those reasons I would ask for members to oppose this amendment.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—101

Adams	Gaydos	Lawrence	Rigby
Armanini	Gillen	Leadbeter	Roae
Banta	Gleim	Mackenzie, M.	Rossi
Barton	Gregory	Mackenzie, R.	Rowe
Benninghoff	Greiner	Major	Ryncavage
Bernstine	Grove	Mako	Schemel
Bonner	Hamm	Maloney	Scheuren

Borowicz	Heffley	Marcell	Schlegel
Brown, M.	Hogan	Marshall	Schmitt
Cabell	Irvin	Mehaffie	Scialabba
Causer	James	Mentzer	Smith
Cook	Jones, M.	Mercuri	Staats
Cooper	Jones, T.	Metzgar	Stambaugh
Cutler	Jozwiak	Mihalek	Stehr
D'Orsie	Kail	Miller, B.	Stender
Davanzo	Kaufer	Moul	Struzzi
Delozier	Kauffman	Mustello	Tomlinson
Diamond	Keefer	Nelson, E.	Topper
Dunbar	Kephart	O'Neal	Twardzik
Ecker	Kerwin	Oberlander	Warner
Emrick	Klunk	Ortitay	Watro
Fee	Krupa	Owlett	Wentling
Fink	Kutz	Pickett	White
Flick	Kuzma	Rader	Williams, C.
Flood	Labs	Rapp	Zimmerman
Fritz			

NAYS—102

Abney	Evans	Kinsey	Rabb
Bellmon	Fiedler	Kosierowski	Rozzi
Benham	Fleming	Krajewski	Salisbury
Bizzarro	Frankel	Krueger	Samuelson
Borowski	Freeman	Kulik	Sanchez
Boyd	Friel	Madden	Sappay
Boyle	Gallagher	Madsen	Schlossberg
Bradford	Galloway	Malagari	Schweyer
Brennan	Gergely	Markosek	Scott
Briggs	Giral	Matzie	Shusterman
Brown, A.	Green	Mayer	Siegel
Bullock	Guenst	McAndrew	Smith-Wade-El
Burgos	Guzman	McNeill	Solomon
Burns	Haddock	Merski	Steele
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Cephas	Harkins	Mullins	Takac
Cerrato	Harris	Munroe	Venkat
Ciresi	Hohenstein	Neilson	Vitali
Conklin	Howard	Nelson, N.	Warren
Curry	Innamorato	O'Mara	Waxman
Daley	Isaacson	Otten	Webster
Davis	Kazeem	Parker	Williams, D.
Dawkins	Kenyatta	Pashinski	Young
Deasy	Khan	Pielli	
Delloso	Kim	Pisciottano	McClinton,
Donahue	Kinhead	Probst	Speaker

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

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

On the question recurring,

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

Mrs. **KEEFER** offered the following amendment No. **A01275**:

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 1 through 12, by striking out all of said lines and inserting

Amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in public safety, providing for safety standards for toys; and making a repeal.

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 15 through 23; pages 2 and 3, lines 1 through 30; page 4, lines 1 through 19; by striking out all of said lines

on said pages and inserting

Section 1. Part III of Title 35 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a chapter to read:

CHAPTER 59
SAFETY STANDARDS FOR TOYS

Sec.

5901. Scope of chapter.

5902. Federal toy safety standards.

§ 5901. Scope of chapter.

This chapter relates to safety standards for toys.

§ 5902. Federal toy safety standards.

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the toy safety standards from the American Society for Testing and Materials F963-17, as specified in 16 CFR Pt. 1250 (relating to safety standard mandating ASTM F963 for toys), shall govern.

Section 2. Repeals are as follows:

(1) The General Assembly declares that the repeal under paragraph (2) is necessary to effectuate the addition of 35 Pa.C.S. Ch. 59.

(2) The act of July 25, 1961 (P.L.857, No.372), referred to as the Stuffed Toy Manufacturing Act, is repealed.

Section 3. Except as otherwise provided in 35 Pa.C.S. Ch. 59, all activities initiated under the act of July 25, 1961 (P.L.857, No.372), referred to as the Stuffed Toy Manufacturing Act, shall continue and remain in full force and effect and may be completed in accordance with 35 Pa.C.S. Ch. 59. Orders, regulations, rules and decisions which were made under the Stuffed Toy Manufacturing Act and which are in effect on the effective date of section 2 of this act shall remain in full force and effect until revoked, vacated or modified in accordance with 35 Pa.C.S. Ch. 59. Contracts, obligations and collective bargaining agreements entered into under the Stuffed Toy Manufacturing Act are not affected nor impaired by the repeal of the Stuffed Toy Manufacturing Act.

Section 4. This act shall take effect in 60 days.

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

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the amendment, Representative Keefer.

Mrs. KEEFER. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

Similar to my comments on the amendment prior to this, this one it would actually just be a gut and replace, so let us take the Federal guidelines that we have that govern every toy industry and replace that into Pennsylvania's law. Let us get rid of what we have and use what the Federal guidelines already state that every other toy manufacturer has to follow anyway. There is one additional step that we are requiring on Pennsylvania law regarding the use of recycled materials, which is antiquated. So why are we even bothering with this? We should just replace it, make it easier, make Pennsylvania a better place to work. Let us be business-friendly. Let us just get rid of it. It resolves everyone's issue with this certain section of the code, which is antiquated. So I would encourage a "yes" vote for this.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the maker of the amendment.

On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the bill, Representative Dawkins.

Mr. DAWKINS. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

Again, I want to thank the gentlelady for bringing up A01275, but for some of the same reasons I outlined in the last comments I made, I will be opposing this particular amendment for the same reasons outlined before. So I ask the members to oppose this amendment. Thank you.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—101

Adams	Gaydos	Lawrence	Rigby
Armanini	Gillen	Leadbeter	Roae
Banta	Gleim	Mackenzie, M.	Rossi
Barton	Gregory	Mackenzie, R.	Rowe
Benninghoff	Greiner	Major	Ryncavage
Bernstine	Grove	Mako	Schemel
Bonner	Hamm	Maloney	Scheuren
Borowicz	Heffley	Marcell	Schlegel
Brown, M.	Hogan	Marshall	Schmitt
Cabell	Irvin	Mehaffie	Scialabba
Causar	James	Mentzer	Smith
Cook	Jones, M.	Mercuri	Staats
Cooper	Jones, T.	Metzgar	Stambaugh
Cutler	Jozwiak	Mihalek	Stehr
D'Orsie	Kail	Miller, B.	Stender
Davanzo	Kaufer	Moul	Struzzi
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Diamond	Keefer	Nelson, E.	Topper
Dunbar	Kephart	O'Neal	Twardzik
Ecker	Kerwin	Oberlander	Warner
Emrick	Klunk	Ortitay	Watro
Fee	Krupa	Owlett	Wentling
Fink	Kutz	Pickett	White
Flick	Kuzma	Rader	Williams, C.
Flood	Labs	Rapp	Zimmerman
Fritz			

NAYS—102

Abney	Evans	Kinsey	Rabb
Bellmon	Fiedler	Kosierowski	Rozzi
Benham	Fleming	Krajewski	Salisbury
Bizzarro	Frankel	Krueger	Samuelson
Borowski	Freeman	Kulik	Sanchez
Boyd	Friel	Madden	Sappery
Boyle	Gallagher	Madsen	Schlossberg
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Brennan	Gergely	Markosek	Scott
Briggs	Giral	Matzie	Shusterman
Brown, A.	Green	Mayes	Siegel
Bullock	Guenst	McAndrew	Smith-Wade-El
Burgos	Guzman	McNeill	Solomon
Burns	Haddock	Merski	Steele
C Freytiz	Hanbidge	Miller, D.	Sturla
Cephas	Harkins	Mullins	Takac
Cerrato	Harris	Munroe	Venkat
Ciresi	Hohenstein	Neilson	Vitali
Conklin	Howard	Nelson, N.	Warren
Curry	Innamorato	O'Mara	Waxman
Daley	Isaacson	Otten	Webster
Davis	Kazeem	Parker	Williams, D.
Dawkins	Kenyatta	Pashinski	Young
Deasy	Khan	Pielli	
Delloso	Kim	Pisciotano	McClinton,
Donahue	Kinhead	Probst	Speaker

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

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

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

Bill as amended was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. The bill as amended will be reprinted.

SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR B

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 78, PN 1675**, entitled:

An Act establishing the Medical Debt Relief Program; establishing requirements for hospital-based financial assistance; and imposing duties on the Department of Health.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the bill, Representative Venkat.

Mr. VENKAT. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

Madam Speaker, as I stand here today, I carry a graveyard with me. The graveyard consists of the patients that I have lost over a well over 25-year career in medicine. Every one of those patients stays with me; however, the ones that keep me up at night are the ones whom I know that my colleagues and I might have been able to save if they had sought care earlier in the course of their illness, and no patient crystalized that for me more than one I saw 20 years ago as a physician in training.

She was in her early sixties. She came in with back pain, and at the time we had done very little to expand access to insurance in this country, and we commonly, in emergency departments, saw patients who had relatively minor complaints and we assumed that we would be able to see them quickly and send them on their way. Well, with this patient, I was incorrect. She could barely walk, and she was strangely clutching her gown across her chest in a manner that really was very uncomfortable to see. And it was how she clutched her gown that really caused me to pay more attention. And when I gently asked her if I could examine her chest, I saw something that I never thought I would see in my career, something that, frankly, I had only seen in the medical history books. Her entire left breast was as hard as a rock. It was consumed by cancer that must have developed over weeks to months, if not years. Frankly, when I saw this, my jaw dropped, because I assumed that in the modern day and age – and this was in the early 2000s – that we would have been able to detect this illness much sooner. Unfortunately, for my patient, that was not the case.

After I treated her pain and stabilized her, I asked her very gently what had stopped her from seeking care up to that point. And her answer has struck me to this day. In the most matter-of-fact manner you can imagine, she said, "I had developed medical

debt. I wasn't able to pay my bills and I was afraid to seek care until now." That response, unfortunately, is not one that is unique. My patient subsequently died. All we could do was treat her pain. And as much as I would love to say I never saw another patient like that, the answer truly is that I have. And I would be willing to wager that if every member of this chamber spoke with an emergency department nurse or an emergency physician in their district, they would hear some version of this story.

Well, today, Madam Speaker, we have the opportunity to change that. With the passage of HB 78, we have the opportunity, in a market-driven, fiscally responsible manner, to provide medical debt relief to hundreds of thousands of Pennsylvanians – predominantly in rural Pennsylvania, predominantly women, predominantly people of color. This is a win for every Pennsylvanian since we know that medical debt is the leading cause of bankruptcy in the United States and shifts responsibility for those costs to all of us. This is a win for everyone in this chamber. It is a win for all of our constituents.

I want to thank my fellow cosponsors, Representative Khan and Representative Kosierowski, fellow health professionals who I am sure can tell a very similar story; Representatives Bullock and Pisciotano.

I also want to thank Chair Frankel, who, through his leadership, was able to add further protections to this legislation. For the first time in this bill, hospitals will be required to notify patients of their charitable care programs, to assist patients in applying for that eligibility, and to also find a way to, if they are eligible, hold their bills in abeyance until that eligibility is verified. This, again, is real protection at a time when there are multiple news stories talking about how nonprofit hospitals are not meeting their obligations with charitable care.

Madam Speaker, I want to thank bipartisan members of the Health Committee who supported this legislation at that stage, and bipartisan members of this chamber who have worked on this topic.

And finally, I want to thank the hospitals, physicians, nurses, and patient advocates who came to the table to find a unified way to address this significant issue in Pennsylvania and across the country.

Madam Speaker, I will always carry my graveyard with me, but knowing in my heart and in my mind's eye the faces and names of patients I have lost who will never have the opportunity to speak to their pain but who died because they could not access care, I humbly and urgently ask for a "yes" vote on HB 78.

On the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—114

Abney	Fiedler	Kulik	Rigby
Bellmon	Fleming	Kuzma	Rozzi
Benham	Frankel	Madden	Salisbury
Bizzarro	Freeman	Madsen	Samuelson
Bonner	Friel	Malagari	Sanchez
Borowski	Gallagher	Markosek	Sappey
Boyd	Galloway	Matzie	Schemel
Boyle	Gergely	Mayes	Schlossberg
Bradford	Giral	McAndrew	Schweyer
Brennan	Green	McNeill	Scott

Briggs	Guenst	Mehaffie	Shusterman
Brown, A.	Guzman	Mercuri	Siegel
Brown, M.	Haddock	Merski	Smith-Wade-El
Bullock	Hanbidge	Mihalek	Solomon
Burgos	Harkins	Miller, D.	Steele
Burns	Harris	Mullins	Sturla
C Freytiz	Hohenstein	Munroe	Takac
Cephas	Howard	Neilson	Twardzik
Cerrato	Innamorato	Nelson, N.	Venkat
Ciresi	Isaacson	O'Mara	Vitali
Conklin	Kazeem	Otten	Warren
Curry	Kenyatta	Parker	Waxman
Daley	Khan	Pashinski	Webster
Davis	Kim	Pickett	Williams, C.
Dawkins	Kinthead	Pielli	Williams, D.
Deasy	Kinsey	Pisciottano	Young
Delloso	Kosierowski	Probst	
Donahue	Krajewski	Rabb	McClinton,
Evans	Krueger	Rapp	Speaker

NAYS—89

Adams	Fritz	Krupa	Rader
Armanini	Gaydos	Kutz	Roae
Banta	Gillen	Labs	Rossi
Barton	Gleim	Lawrence	Rowe
Benninghoff	Gregory	Leadbeter	Ryncavage
Bernstine	Greiner	Mackenzie, M.	Scheuren
Borowicz	Grove	Mackenzie, R.	Schlegel
Cabell	Hamm	Major	Schmitt
Causer	Heffley	Mako	Scialabba
Cook	Hogan	Maloney	Smith
Cooper	Irvin	Marcell	Staats
Cutler	James	Marshall	Stambaugh
D'Orsie	Jones, M.	Mentzer	Stehr
Davanzo	Jones, T.	Metzgar	Stender
Delozier	Jozwiak	Miller, B.	Struzzi
Diamond	Kail	Moul	Tomlinson
Dunbar	Kaufner	Mustello	Topper
Ecker	Kauffman	Nelson, E.	Warner
Emrick	Keefer	O'Neal	Watro
Fee	Kephart	Oberlander	Wentling
Fink	Kerwin	Ortitay	White
Flick	Klunk	Owlett	Zimmerman
Flood			

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

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 897, PN 1676**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in transfers of credits between institutions of higher education, further providing for definitions and for duties of public institutions of higher education, providing for guaranteed admission, for reports to General Assembly and for dispute resolution and further providing for Transfer and Articulation Oversight Committee, for duties of department and for applicability.

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

Bill was agreed to.

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—203

Abney	Flick	Krupa	Rapp
Adams	Flood	Kulik	Rigby
Armanini	Frankel	Kutz	Roae
Banta	Freeman	Kuzma	Rossi
Barton	Friel	Labs	Rowe
Bellmon	Fritz	Lawrence	Rozzi
Benham	Gallagher	Leadbeter	Ryncavage
Benninghoff	Galloway	Mackenzie, M.	Salisbury
Bernstine	Gaydos	Mackenzie, R.	Samuelson
Bizzarro	Gergely	Madden	Sanchez
Bonner	Gillen	Madsen	Sappety
Borowicz	Giral	Major	Schemel
Borowski	Gleim	Mako	Scheuren
Boyd	Green	Malagari	Schlegel
Boyle	Gregory	Maloney	Schlossberg
Bradford	Greiner	Marcell	Schmitt
Brennan	Grove	Markosek	Schweyer
Briggs	Guenst	Marshall	Scialabba
Brown, A.	Guzman	Matzie	Scott
Brown, M.	Haddock	Mayes	Shusterman
Bullock	Hamm	McAndrew	Siegel
Burgos	Hanbidge	McNeill	Smith
Burns	Harkins	Mehaffie	Smith-Wade-El
C Freytiz	Harris	Mentzer	Solomon
Cabell	Heffley	Mercuri	Staats
Causer	Hogan	Merski	Stambaugh
Cephas	Hohenstein	Metzgar	Steele
Cerrato	Howard	Mihalek	Stehr
Ciresi	Innamorato	Miller, B.	Stender
Conklin	Irvin	Miller, D.	Struzzi
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Davanzo	Kaufner	Nelson, N.	Vitali
Davis	Kauffman	O'Mara	Warner
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Delozier	Kephart	Otten	Webster
Diamond	Kerwin	Owlett	Wentling
Donahue	Khan	Parker	White
Dunbar	Kim	Pashinski	Williams, C.
Ecker	Kinthead	Pickett	Williams, D.
Emrick	Kinsey	Pielli	Young
Evans	Klunk	Pisciottano	Zimmerman
Fee	Kosierowski	Probst	
Fiedler	Krajewski	Rabb	McClinton,
Fink	Krueger	Rader	Speaker
Fleming			

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

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 1020, PN 1264**, 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; and, in departmental powers and duties as to licensing, further providing for fees, providing for Keystone STARS Program and further providing for definition.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the bill, Representative Mehaffie.

Mr. MEHAFFIE. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

I would like to thank the good gentleman from Philadelphia County for all his hard work and time on this bill. This bill passed unanimously in 2018, and the Keystone STARS (Standards, Training/Professional Development, Assistance, Resources, and Supports) program has been around since 2002.

We have worked this legislation to improve it to help out with those loved ones that want to send their children to an early childhood learning center. Now more than ever, we need those identifications – what and where you are going to send your child – more than ever with a shortage of these centers. One of the main provisions in this is the pathway that you can get certified by having work requirements and professional development. The other part of this is you can choose, if you are in the program, that you can advertise, by option, with a placard on your door, and also, if you would like, you can put it on your Web site.

I thank you all for your consideration on HB 1020. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the maker of the bill.

PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY

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

Mr. HAMM. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

I would like to make a parliamentary inquiry.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman is in order and may proceed.

Mr. HAMM. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

My parliamentary inquiry – looking for a – requesting a ruling concerning any potential conflict I may have under House rule 65, and by extension, Article III, section 13, of the Pennsylvania Constitution. HB 1020 concerns, among other things, regulations

related to child-care providers, specifically the Keystone STARS program. In my case, my wife is the executive director of a faith-based nonprofit early childhood learning center.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

It is the Chair's decision that the Representative is a member of a class and there is no conflict.

On that question, the Chair recognizes Representative Keefer. Mrs. KEEFER. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

We talk about affordable child care in this House and the General Assembly all the time. It is a pressing issue for all of us. And what this program does, first, it was the issue of safety. We wanted to make sure that we had quality child-care facilities, and somehow this star program was going to provide that. It was some kind of indicator of that. And then now it has become the issue of workforce. We do not have the workforce. We do not have the workforce anywhere.

But right now with the star program – the way it is set up and the way it continues to evolve, right? – it requires a continuing education into additional college credits that way, or you can get it through the number of actual professionals that you have that are graduates of child-care courses, whatever it may be, and we are actually pushing people out of the child-care market. We are pushing people – the in-home care providers that we have are getting pushed out, that it can only be some kind of an institutional child care. We are making it harder. It is more difficult. And when we have more regulations, which we continuously regulate and require more criteria for these workers, we are making it more expensive, and then they come back around and they will ask us for more money.

I know of individuals who work in child-care facilities that have been continuously requested by their employer to get additional continuing education credits so they can get a higher star rating. So the higher star rating is perpetuating all of this when they are willing to work. It is, essentially, it is a second job – a job that they have in their retirement just as something to fill their time with. They love children. This is a great deal for us as individuals who need child care. We are just increasing the cost now because these individuals are getting pushed out. They do not want to invest in continuing education and credits and things that are not necessary for child care at this level.

So it is frustrating that we are setting it up this way, that, you know, we are, A, overregulating, causing prices to go up, and then on the flip side of this, we want to turn around and give credits for unaffordable child care. So this is a solution in search of a problem.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentlelady.

PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Representative Smith. Mr. SMITH. Parliamentary inquiry, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman is in order, and he may proceed.

Mr. SMITH. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

I would like to make a parliamentary inquiry and request a ruling concerning a potential conflict I may have under House rule 65, and by extension, Article III, section 13, of the Pennsylvania Constitution. HB 1020 concerns, among other things, regulations of child-care providers specifically under

Keystone STARS. In my case, my spouse owns a child-care facility with Keystone STARS. Under House rule, do I need to recuse myself from this vote? I am happy to abide by the ruling of the Speaker.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

It is the Chair's decision that the Representative is a member of a class and there is no conflict.

On that question, the Chair recognizes Representative Solomon.

Mr. SOLOMON. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

It has been a pleasure working with the gentleman from Dauphin County on this important issue.

I just want to take us back to what this bill actually does. Number one, this codifies the Keystone STARS program. It takes it from guidelines and puts it into statute. So as the gentledady from York mentioned, she has a lot of issues with Keystone STARS. As an institution, now we can address them one by one. Secondly, it provides the option – the option – for providers to give information about Keystone STARS to guardians and parents.

Lastly – and this gets to the gentledady from York's comments – the main piece of this piece of legislation is that rather than simply allowing providers to move up the star matrix based on, based on cognitive development, based on environment, and based on higher level degrees, this piece of legislation says, for the first time, we are going to look at work. So if you have worked with kids for 10 or 15 years but do not have that higher level degree, now we are going to reward that behavior and make sure that your center is going to be able to move up and be a high-performing center in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY

The SPEAKER. For what purpose does the gentleman, Representative Leadbeter, rise?

Mr. LEADBETER. Parliamentary inquiry, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman is in order and may proceed.

Mr. LEADBETER. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

I would like to make a parliamentary inquiry and request a ruling concerning any potential conflict I may have under House rule 65, and by extension, Article III, section 13, of the Pennsylvania Constitution. HB 1020 concerns, among other things, regulations related to child-care providers. And in my case, my wife is the director of a nonprofit early childhood development center. Under the House rule, do I need to recuse myself from this vote? I am happy to abide by the ruling of the Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

It is the Chair's decision that the Representative is a member of a class and there is no conflict.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—151

Abney	Flood	Kutz	Rabb
Adams	Frankel	Kuzma	Rader
Banta	Freeman	Labs	Rozzi
Bellmon	Friel	Lawrence	Ryncavage
Benham	Gallagher	Mackenzie, M.	Salisbury
Benninghoff	Galloway	Mackenzie, R.	Samuelson
Bizzarro	Gergely	Madden	Sanchez
Borowski	Gillen	Madsen	Sapppey
Boyd	Giral	Major	Scheuren
Boyle	Green	Mako	Schlegel
Bradford	Grove	Malagari	Schlossberg
Brennan	Guenst	Marcell	Schweyer
Briggs	Guzman	Markosek	Scott
Brown, A.	Haddock	Marshall	Shusterman
Bullock	Hanbidge	Matzie	Siegel
Burgos	Harkins	Mayes	Smith-Wade-El
Burns	Harris	McAndrew	Solomon
C Freytiz	Hogan	McNeill	Staats
Cabell	Hohenstein	Mehaffie	Steele
Causer	Howard	Mentzer	Struzzi
Cephas	Innamorato	Merski	Sturla
Cerrato	Isaacson	Metzgar	Takac
Ciresi	James	Miller, D.	Tomlinson
Conklin	Jozwiak	Mullins	Topper
Curry	Kail	Munroe	Venkat
Cutler	Kaufert	Mustello	Vitali
Daley	Kazeem	Neilson	Warren
Davanzo	Kenyatta	Nelson, E.	Watro
Davis	Kerwin	Nelson, N.	Waxman
Dawkins	Khan	O'Mara	Webster
Deasy	Kim	O'Neal	Wentling
Delloso	Kinhead	Ortitay	White
Delozier	Kinsey	Otten	Williams, C.
Donahue	Klunk	Parker	Williams, D.
Ecker	Kosierowski	Pashinski	Young
Emrick	Krajewski	Pielli	
Evans	Krueger	Pisciottano	McClinton,
Fiedler	Kulik	Probst	Speaker
Fleming			

NAYS—52

Armanini	Flick	Kephart	Roae
Barton	Fritz	Krupa	Rossi
Bernstine	Gaydos	Leadbeter	Rowe
Bonner	Gleim	Maloney	Schemel
Borowicz	Gregory	Mercuri	Schmitt
Brown, M.	Greiner	Mihalek	Scialabba
Cook	Hamm	Miller, B.	Smith
Cooper	Heffley	Moul	Stambaugh
D'Orsie	Irvin	Oberlander	Stehr
Diamond	Jones, M.	Owlett	Stender
Dunbar	Jones, T.	Pickett	Twardzik
Fee	Kauffman	Rapp	Warner
Fink	Keefer	Rigby	Zimmerman

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

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 1050, PN 1532**, entitled:

An Act providing for health care insurance preventive services coverage protections; conferring authority on the Insurance Department and the Insurance Commissioner; and providing for regulations, for enforcement and for penalties.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the bill, Representative Boyle.

Mr. BOYLE. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

Preventative care is important. The Federal Affordable Care Act requires health insurers to cover many different types of preventative care such as mental health assessments. This preventative care has saved countless lives. Some of the screenings that have been done have been for depression, suicide risk assessments, autism, perinatal depression, numerous cancer screenings, and many other types of preventative care. Unfortunately, the Federal law could disappear.

Recently there was a judicial decision in Texas that invalidated some of these preventative care services from being mandated to be covered by the Affordable Care Act. The Fifth Circuit out of Texas, however, granted a stay, and the status quo is in effect. This bill, however, ensures Pennsylvanians can continue to access the preventative care that we have all relied on to stay healthy over the last 15 years, regardless of the changes in Federal law.

Please join me in supporting this bill and promoting a healthy Pennsylvania. And I would also like to thank my counterpart as the Insurance Committee chair, the Representative from Tioga County, Representative Pickett, for her support for this bill. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On that question, the Chair recognizes the gentlelady from Tioga County, Representative Pickett.

Ms. PICKETT. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

HB 1050 is a freestanding bill that will continue the requirement that health insurers cover preventive services without cost-sharing to the consumer. Preventive care is designed to detect diseases before they become serious, help our constituents who need counseling, and reduce financial burdens to the health-care system.

The bill is meant to be a continuation of care in the event that the Federal government would change the rules in which insurers follow today.

I also want to thank Chairman Boyle and his staff for working with our side and the stakeholders on an agreed-to amendment, which was unanimously adopted in committee.

I will be a "yes." I request a "yes" from all.

Thank you so much, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentlelady.

On the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—199

Abney	Flick	Kutz	Rigby
Adams	Flood	Kuzma	Roae
Armanini	Frankel	Labs	Rossi
Banta	Freeman	Lawrence	Rowe
Barton	Friel	Leadbeter	Rozzi
Bellmon	Fritz	Mackenzie, M.	Ryncavage
Benham	Gallagher	Mackenzie, R.	Salisbury
Benninghoff	Galloway	Madden	Samuelson
Bernstine	Gaydos	Madsen	Sanchez
Bizzarro	Gergely	Major	Sappay
Bonner	Gillen	Mako	Schemel
Borowicz	Giral	Malagari	Scheuren
Borowski	Gleim	Maloney	Schlegel
Boyd	Green	Marcell	Schlossberg
Boyle	Gregory	Markosek	Schmitt
Bradford	Greiner	Marshall	Schweyer
Brennan	Grove	Matzie	Scialabba
Briggs	Guenst	Mayes	Scott
Brown, A.	Guzman	McAndrew	Shusterman
Brown, M.	Haddock	McNeill	Siegel
Bullock	Hanbidge	Mehaffie	Smith
Burgos	Harkins	Mentzer	Smith-Wade-El
Burns	Harris	Mercuri	Solomon
C Freytiz	Heffley	Merski	Staats
Cabell	Hogan	Metzgar	Stambaugh
Causar	Hohenstein	Mihalek	Steele
Cephas	Howard	Miller, B.	Stehr
Cerrato	Innamorato	Miller, D.	Stender
Ciresi	Irvin	Moul	Struzzi
Conklin	Isaacson	Mullins	Sturla
Cook	James	Munroe	Takac
Cooper	Jones, M.	Mustello	Tomlinson
Curry	Jones, T.	Neilson	Topper
Cutler	Jozwiak	Nelson, E.	Twardzik
D'Orsie	Kail	Nelson, N.	Venkat
Daley	Kaufner	O'Mara	Vitali
Davanzo	Kauffman	O'Neal	Warner
Davis	Kazeem	Oberlander	Warren
Dawkins	Kenyatta	Ortitay	Watro
Deasy	Kerwin	Otten	Waxman
Delloso	Khan	Owlett	Webster
Delozier	Kim	Parker	Wentling
Diamond	Kinlead	Pashinski	White
Donahue	Kinsey	Pickett	Williams, C.
Dunbar	Klunk	Pielli	Williams, D.
Ecker	Kosierowski	Pisciottano	Young
Emrick	Krajewski	Probst	Zimmerman
Evans	Krueger	Rabb	
Fee	Krupa	Rader	McClinton,
Fiedler	Kulik	Rapp	Speaker
Fleming			

NAYS—4

Fink	Hamm	Keefer	Kephart
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NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

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 1108, PN 1677**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in preliminary provisions relating to divorce, further providing for legislative findings and intent, for definitions and for effect of agreement between parties; and, in property rights, further providing for equitable division of marital property.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the bill, Representative Kulik.

Mrs. KULIK. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

HB 1108 sets forth guidelines to be used by courts, attorneys, and parties when considering pet custody in divorce cases. At this time our law treats pets as chattel – the same as a car or a piece of furniture. Families, however, do not look at their pets in this light. Rather, pets are a cherished part of the family; in many ways, providing comfort and companionship. Too often pets are used as leverage in domestic cases with one party holding the custody of the pet over the other in order to gain more out of the situation.

While this bill may seem insignificant to some, I have too often seen situations where one party tries to dominate the other through the court proceedings. There is currently no guidance for the courts or parties to properly deal with pets. The intent of this bill is to give that guidance to help give the courts something to lean on when deciding such a delicate issue.

There is no intent in this bill to equate pet custody with child custody, for example, but with pets being cherished companions to families, it is important to treat them in a different manner than inanimate pieces of property.

I ask my colleagues for a "yes" vote.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the maker of the bill.

On that question, the Chair recognizes the minority leader, Representative Cutler.

Mr. CUTLER. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

Madam Speaker, I know that the prime sponsor's intentions are good. I know that her heart is in the right place. But I spent some time recently talking about areas of misguided priorities during the budget season.

I do not know how many of the 203 members have received calls about pets in custody disputes. I can only speak for myself, which I have not. But I do represent a district where animals are a part of building a livelihood. We receive calls, however, about other inequities in our justice system and how, when it comes to custody disputes, the custody of human children, there remains a lot of work yet to do.

Madam Speaker, instead of focusing on that effort, unfortunately, we are here discussing this particular bill today, but I do think that it gives us an opportunity to refocus. We can and should redirect our attention to helping and growing families, help them here in the Commonwealth to be successful. The problems facing Pennsylvania are many and they are, indeed, complex, but it can only be solved with the proper focus, and, Madam Speaker, I, unfortunately, would prefer to focus on the rights of children involved in the dispute and not animals.

I will be a "no" vote on this bill on final passage.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On that question, the Chair recognizes the majority whip, Representative Dan Miller.

Mr. D. MILLER. Thanks, Madam Speaker.

I will be brief with that I appreciate – I think the good gentleman was trying to show some deference to the good work done by the bill's sponsor, and we appreciate that.

However, we also know that we are doing the people's business here, and there are so many things that we are doing this week and we should be able to do one bill that makes the divorce process a little bit easier, a little bit better, a little bit more humane. We should not be acting as if this one bill at 6 o'clock here in the evening is somehow distracting us from everything else that we are doing.

This bill here is timely. It is needed. It should have been done last session. We are going to get it done and we are going to get right into all the other issues that I know the good gentleman was referencing in relation to how to help, how to help with kids and the schools and the budget and all that good work that is going to come.

So I want to ensure the gentleman that we will be able to walk and chew gum. We are going to be able to help people today in relation to this issue that does impact people in divorce. And we are going to be able to do much more, just give us a little bit more time.

On the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—125

Abney	Fiedler	Kinsey	Pielli
Bellmon	Fleming	Kosierowski	Pisciottano
Benham	Flood	Krajewski	Probst
Benninghoff	Frankel	Krueger	Rabb
Bernstine	Freeman	Kulik	Rader
Bizzarro	Friel	Kuzma	Rozzi
Bonner	Gallagher	Mackenzie, R.	Salisbury
Borowski	Galloway	Madden	Samuelson
Boyd	Gaydos	Madsen	Sanchez
Boyle	Gergely	Mako	Sappery
Bradford	Gillen	Malagari	Schlossberg
Brennan	Giral	Maloney	Schweyer
Briggs	Green	Markosek	Scialabba
Brown, A.	Guenst	Marshall	Scott
Bullock	Guzman	Matzie	Shusterman
Burgos	Haddock	Mayes	Siegel
Burns	Hanbidge	McAndrew	Smith-Wade-El
C Freytiz	Harkins	McNeill	Solomon
Cephas	Harris	Mercuri	Steele

Cerrato	Hohenstein	Merski	Sturla
Ciresi	Howard	Mihalek	Takac
Conklin	Innamorato	Miller, D.	Venkat
Cooper	Irvin	Mullins	Vitali
Curry	Isaacson	Munroe	Warren
Daley	James	Mustello	Waxman
Davis	Jozwiak	Neilson	Webster
Dawkins	Kaufer	Nelson, N.	Williams, D.
Deasy	Kazeem	O'Mara	Young
Delloso	Kenyatta	Ortitay	
Donahue	Khan	Otten	McClinton,
Emrick	Kim	Parker	Speaker
Evans	Kinthead	Pashinski	

NAYS—78

Adams	Gleim	Mackenzie, M.	Schemel
Armanini	Gregory	Major	Scheuren
Banta	Greiner	Marcell	Schlegel
Barton	Grove	Mehaffie	Schmitt
Borowicz	Hamm	Mentzer	Smith
Brown, M.	Heffley	Metzgar	Staats
Cabell	Hogan	Miller, B.	Stambaugh
Causar	Jones, M.	Moul	Stehr
Cook	Jones, T.	Nelson, E.	Stender
Cutler	Kail	O'Neal	Struzzi
D'Orsie	Kauffman	Oberlander	Tomlinson
Davanzo	Keefer	Owlett	Topper
Delozier	Kephart	Pickett	Twardzik
Diamond	Kerwin	Rapp	Warner
Dunbar	Klunk	Rigby	Watro
Ecker	Krupa	Roae	Wentling
Fee	Kutz	Rossi	White
Fink	Labs	Rowe	Williams, C.
Flick	Lawrence	Ryncavage	Zimmerman
Fritz	Leadbeter		

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

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 1280, PN 1396**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, in administrative organization, further providing for Pennsylvania State Police.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the bill, Representative Briggs.

Mr. BRIGGS. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

I rise today to ask my colleagues to support HB 1280. HB 1280 eliminates the artificial cap imposed on the Pennsylvania State Police complement. The current cap is set in the Administrative Code at 4,310.

Madam Speaker, the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee did a study a few years ago on the State Police complement and recommended we raise the number of troopers. Madam Speaker, the Pennsylvania State Police is the only State agency with a cap on the number of employees it may hire.

Madam Speaker, I feel comfortable eliminating this cap because we can continue to assert our legislative oversight through the annual budget process. Madam Speaker, the need and urgency to remove this cap has grown in recent years, with many rural communities across the Commonwealth defunding their local police departments and relying on the State Police as their primary police coverage.

Madam Speaker, as the Commonwealth prepares to lay to rest the latest trooper to lay down his life protecting our Commonwealth, we can support our troopers with action.

I humbly ask for an affirmative vote on HB 1280.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—203

Abney	Flick	Krupa	Rapp
Adams	Flood	Kulik	Rigby
Armanini	Frankel	Kutz	Roae
Banta	Freeman	Kuzma	Rossi
Barton	Friel	Labs	Rowe
Bellmon	Fritz	Lawrence	Rozzi
Benham	Gallagher	Leadbeter	Ryncavage
Benninghoff	Galloway	Mackenzie, M.	Salisbury
Bernstine	Gaydos	Mackenzie, R.	Samuelson
Bizzarro	Gergely	Madden	Sanchez
Bonner	Gillen	Madsen	Sapprey
Borowicz	Giral	Major	Schemel
Borowski	Gleim	Mako	Scheuren
Boyd	Green	Malagari	Schlegel
Boyle	Gregory	Maloney	Schlossberg
Bradford	Greiner	Marcell	Schmitt
Brennan	Grove	Markosek	Schweyer
Briggs	Guenst	Marshall	Scialabba
Brown, A.	Guzman	Matzie	Scott
Brown, M.	Haddock	Mayes	Shusterman
Bullock	Hamm	McAndrew	Siegel
Burgos	Hanbidge	McNeill	Smith
Burns	Harkins	Mehaffie	Smith-Wade-El
C Freytiz	Harris	Mentzer	Solomon
Cabell	Heffley	Mercuri	Staats
Causar	Hogan	Merski	Stambaugh
Cephas	Hohenstein	Metzgar	Steele
Cerrato	Howard	Mihalek	Stehr
Ciresi	Innamorato	Miller, B.	Stender
Conklin	Irvin	Miller, D.	Struzzi
Cook	Isaacson	Moul	Sturla

Cooper	James	Mullins	Takac
Curry	Jones, M.	Munroe	Tomlinson
Cutler	Jones, T.	Mustello	Topper
D'Orsie	Jozwiak	Neilson	Twardzik
Daley	Kail	Nelson, E.	Venkat
Davanzo	Kaufer	Nelson, N.	Vitali
Davis	Kauffman	O'Mara	Warner
Dawkins	Kazeem	O'Neal	Warren
Deasy	Keefer	Oberlander	Watro
Delloso	Kenyatta	Ortitay	Waxman
Delozier	Kephart	Otten	Webster
Diamond	Kerwin	Owlett	Wentling
Donahue	Khan	Parker	White
Dunbar	Kim	Pashinski	Williams, C.
Ecker	Kinthead	Pickett	Williams, D.
Emrick	Kinsey	Pielli	Young
Evans	Klunk	Pisciottano	Zimmerman
Fee	Kosierowski	Probst	
Fiedler	Krajewski	Rabb	McClinton,
Fink	Krueger	Rader	Speaker
Fleming			

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

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 1284, PN 1678**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in rules of the road in general, further providing for enforcement of failure to stop for school bus with flashing red lights, for automated speed enforcement systems in active work zones and for pilot program for automated speed enforcement system on designated highway and providing for pilot program for automated speed enforcement systems in designated school zones.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the bill, Representative Neilson.

Mr. NEILSON. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

This bill was negotiated in a bipartisan manner and passed through the committee unanimously. Last week we amended the bill on the floor with two of my colleagues on the other side of the aisle. This is what true bipartisan work means. This will extend the camera programs running in the Commonwealth.

I ask for an affirmative vote, and I submit the rest of my comments for the record.

REMARKS SUBMITTED FOR THE RECORD

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

This bill was negotiated in a bipartisan manner to address the needs of several camera programs, many of which expire very soon. We have a tight window to ensure that these programs do not expire.

First, this bill provides for the school bus stop arm camera program, which allows school districts to install cameras on school buses to capture vehicles that illegally pass a school bus with its red lights on and stop arm extended. This bill extends PennDOT's temporary regulations, scheduled to expire in October 2023, and makes necessary technical fixes to the program. This program was previously authorized by the General Assembly, but there were some operational issues that made it unenforceable. This bill resolves those issues. These school bus stop arm cameras will help protect our students.

Second, this provides for the Roosevelt Boulevard speed camera program. It eliminates the December 2023 expiration date for the program and expands it to the entire city of Philadelphia at locations approved by city ordinance and by PennDOT. This program has been an overwhelming success. Violations have decreased by 93 percent since the start of the program and continue to decline. This bill solves that problem and ensures that this successful program can continue to operate without interruption.

Finally, this bill creates a new 5-year pilot program for speed cameras in active school zones in the city of Philadelphia. Locations must be approved by city ordinance and by PennDOT. I have multiple school zones in my district. I receive complaints almost every day from concerned parents about drivers racing through school zones while their kids are crossing the street. We must do something to better protect our schoolchildren. This pilot program is a step in the right direction and will provide us with important data on whether these cameras work in school zones.

The goal of each of these camera programs is not to raise revenue. It is to get people to slow down and follow our traffic laws. This bill is about safety, not revenue.

This bill was unanimously approved by the House Transportation Committee. Last week the bill was further amended on the floor by two of my colleagues on the other side of the aisle. This is truly a bipartisan bill and proof that when we all work for the good of the people instead of party politics, we can get good things done. I want to thank all the members of the PA House Transportation Committee for their work on this legislation.

I urge a "yes" vote for HB 1284.

On the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—141

Abney	Emrick	Kosierowski	Rabb
Adams	Evans	Krajewski	Rigby
Armanini	Fee	Krueger	Rozzi
Bellmon	Fiedler	Kulik	Ryncavage
Benham	Fleming	Kuzma	Salisbury
Benninghoff	Frankel	Labs	Samuelson
Bizzarro	Freeman	Mackenzie, M.	Sanchez
Bonner	Friel	Madden	Sappery
Borowski	Fritz	Madsen	Schlegel
Boyd	Gallagher	Malagari	Schlossberg
Boyle	Galloway	Marcell	Schmitt
Bradford	Gaydos	Markosek	Schweyer
Brennan	Gergely	Marshall	Scott
Briggs	Gillen	Matzie	Shusterman

Brown, A.	Giral	Mayes	Siegel
Bullock	Green	McAndrew	Smith
Burgos	Grove	McNeill	Smith-Wade-El
Burns	Guenst	Mehaffie	Solomon
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Cabell	Haddock	Merski	Struzzi
Causer	Hanbidge	Mihalek	Sturla
Cephas	Harkins	Miller, D.	Takac
Cerrato	Harris	Moul	Tomlinson
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Conklin	Hogan	Munroe	Vitali
Curry	Hohenstein	Neilson	Warren
Cutler	Howard	Nelson, E.	Waxman
Daley	Innamorato	Nelson, N.	Webster
Davanzo	Isaacson	O'Mara	White
Davis	Jozwiak	Ortitay	Williams, C.
Dawkins	Kazeem	Otten	Williams, D.
Deasy	Kenyatta	Parker	Young
Delloso	Khan	Pashinski	
Delozier	Kim	Pielli	McClinton,
Donahue	Kinkead	Pisciottano	Speaker
Dunbar	Kinsey	Probst	

NAYS—62

Banta	Hamm	Mackenzie, R.	Rossi
Barton	Irvin	Major	Rowe
Bernstine	James	Mako	Schemel
Borowicz	Jones, M.	Maloney	Scheuren
Brown, M.	Jones, T.	Mercuri	Scialabba
Cook	Kail	Metzgar	Staats
Cooper	Kaufner	Miller, B.	Stambaugh
D'Orsie	Kauffman	Mustello	Stehr
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Flick	Klunk	Pickett	Warner
Flood	Krupa	Rader	Watro
Gleim	Kutz	Rapp	Wentling
Gregory	Lawrence	Roae	Zimmerman
Greiner	Leadbeter		

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

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 1408, PN 1692**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in grounds and buildings, further providing for limitation on new applications for Department of Education approval of public school building projects; and, in construction and renovation of buildings by school entities, further providing for definitions, for school construction and renovation approval process, for high-performance building standards, for maintenance program, for building condition assessments, for project reimbursement and for applicability.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the bill, Representative Schweyer.

Mr. SCHWEYER. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

I rise and ask for an affirmative vote on HB 1408. I do not want to belabor the point. For almost a decade, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania has stopped investing in our public school facilities. We have schools across the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania that have lead paint, asbestos, mold issues, and in some cases, were built as far back as the mid-1800s where we are still sending our children to learn.

If we want a first-class education system, Madam Speaker, we need to make sure we have first-class facilities. HB 1408 will reverse the trend of disinvestment in our public schools.

I would like to thank my colleagues, in the minority committee members, for their help in crafting amendments to this bill to make it more robust, and once again I ask for an affirmative vote.
Thank you.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On that question, the Chair recognizes Representative Topper.
Mr. TOPPER. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

I would like to thank the majority chairman of the Education Committee. He has been open to a lot of the ideas that have been presented, and I do believe that the amendments that were adopted here on the floor, as well as some of the things that we were able to negotiate into the bill, do make this bill better, and also make it accessible for school districts around the Commonwealth.

We understand that school construction and buildings that either need to adapt to growing areas in the suburbs or areas like I represent, 10 school districts in rural Pennsylvania that are in serious need of renovation projects or new buildings, I believe we have put the appropriate guardrails in place to ensure that we are able to meet the commitments that we make, unlike the first time with the original PlanCon legislation.

I would also like to call to your attention something that I believe is very important that can be found in this bill, and that is money that will be accessible to our CTCs, our career and technical education centers. If we are truly going to invest in our career and technical education centers, they need space. They need equipment. They need expansion. And unfortunately, as that burden falls to our home school districts, many of which are unable to keep up with their own buildings, we see our CTCs falling further behind. And this is something that if we want to address our workforce issues, if we want to continue to bring our educational system where it needs to be here in the Commonwealth for these students, then they need these adequate facilities.

So I would encourage a "yes" vote on HB 1408.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On that question, the Chair recognizes Representative Grove.
Mr. GROVE. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

Today I rise in opposition to HB 1408. If you read the first few lines of the bill, it closes PlanCon currently. Many of you may not have been around for when we actually had to deal with PlanCon, but it was a failed school construction program of

which we needed to bond billions of dollars to repay school districts for failure to keep up with those reimbursements over the years. It acted like a revolving fund. This legislation just reinstates that under a different name. The simple fact is that school districts since we have closed down PlanCon have still built schools. It has not hurt school construction, building of new schools, school maintenance over the Commonwealth in the past recent years.

Furthermore, Madam Speaker, we are still paying the bond debt. We are still paying the bond debt of the prior PlanCon program. One would imagine, this will eventually turn into a bond program and we will be paying the debt of not only the old school debt but the new school debt envisioned in this bill.

Further, the two programs, new programs, built into this were not encompassed in HB 611. They are two new programs with spending above the 14-percent increase of which the majority party passed. This level of spending is unsustainable.

Madam Speaker, if you look at the fiscal notes produced by the majority party for all the bills combined, it is close to \$2.5 billion of spending. Now, the interesting part about this fiscal note is there is no real money attached to it because it is, quote, going to be negotiated with the budget. So this, while there might be some administrative costs, is going to be another hundreds of millions of dollars on top of what was already provided for in HB 611. Again, this level of spending is unsurmountable.

Further, we do not know how much school construction, school maintenance money we need. We have zero knowledge. We do not know if we need \$1, \$10 trillion, we do not know. Part of this bill – there are two parts: one, permanently shutting down PlanCon; and two, actually asking school districts how much need is out there should be what we are doing right now to figure out what that cost is moving forward. We are putting the cart in front of the horse, Madam Speaker.

I will close by saying, we need to be very prudent on what we are doing moving forward. HB 1408 provides a construct of funding that we cannot maintain this year or into the future. I would urge a "no" vote.

Thank you, Madam Speaker

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On that question, the Chair recognizes Representative Ciresi. Mr. CIRESI. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

I rise today in support of 1408, and I want to speak about PlanCon and what PlanCon was. Being a school board member for 12 years, we tapped into PlanCon – I think we were the last years of PlanCon – and PlanCon helped. While it was not all the money that we needed, it helped offset the costs of the rising cost of construction in our district, a district that grew in leaps and bounds. It helped offset the taxes for our seniors who were taking the burden to help build these buildings in our community.

This bill once again gives us the opportunity for growing districts across this Commonwealth to have a place to go to, to have a place to help fund their taxes, to make sure these buildings come up. And as we all know across this Commonwealth, it is not only in suburbia and the collar counties, but throughout the Commonwealth, we have buildings falling apart on a daily basis. We should be ashamed of the conditions of our buildings and sending our children to these buildings that are falling apart. We know that in the city of the first class, their buildings are in dire need of something like this. We need to invest right now when we have the opportunity to invest. We need to make sure that this bill passes.

So I would ask everyone for an affirmative vote on 1408.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On the question recurring,

Shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—142

Abney	Freeman	Mackenzie, M.	Rozzi
Adams	Friel	Mackenzie, R.	Ryncavage
Banta	Gallagher	Madden	Salisbury
Bellmon	Galloway	Madsen	Samuelson
Benham	Gaydos	Major	Sanchez
Bizzarro	Gergely	Mako	Sappey
Borowski	Giral	Malagari	Scheuren
Boyd	Green	Marcell	Schlegel
Boyle	Guenst	Markosek	Schlossberg
Bradford	Guzman	Marshall	Schweyer
Brennan	Haddock	Matzie	Scott
Briggs	Hanbidge	Mayes	Shusterman
Brown, A.	Harkins	McAndrew	Siegel
Bullock	Harris	McNeill	Smith-Wade-El
Burgos	Heffley	Mehaffie	Solomon
Burns	Hogan	Mercuri	Staats
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Cabell	Howard	Metzgar	Stender
Cephas	Innamorato	Mihalek	Struzzi
Cerrato	Irvin	Miller, D.	Sturla
Ciresi	Isaacson	Mullins	Takac
Conklin	James	Munroe	Tomlinson
Curry	Kail	Neilson	Topper
Daley	Kaufner	Nelson, E.	Venkat
Davanzo	Kazeem	Nelson, N.	Vitali
Davis	Kenyatta	O'Mara	Warren
Dawkins	Khan	O'Neal	Watro
Deasy	Kim	Ortitay	Waxman
Delloso	Kinkead	Otten	Webster
Donahue	Kinsey	Parker	White
Dunbar	Kosierowski	Pashinski	Williams, C.
Emrick	Krajewski	Pielli	Williams, D.
Evans	Krueger	Pisciottano	Young
Fiedler	Kulik	Probst	
Fleming	Kuzma	Rabb	McClinton,
Frankel	Labs	Rigby	Speaker

NAYS—61

Armanini	Fink	Kephardt	Rader
Barton	Flick	Kerwin	Rapp
Benninghoff	Flood	Klunk	Roae
Bernstine	Fritz	Krupa	Rossi
Bonner	Gillen	Kutz	Rowe
Borowicz	Gleim	Lawrence	Schemel
Brown, M.	Gregory	Leadbeter	Schmitt
Causar	Greiner	Maloney	Scialabba
Cook	Grove	Mentzer	Smith
Cooper	Hamm	Miller, B.	Stambaugh
Cutler	Jones, M.	Moul	Stehr
D'Orsie	Jones, T.	Mustello	Twardzik
Delozier	Jozwiak	Oberlander	Warner
Diamond	Kauffman	Owlett	Wentling
Ecker	Keefer	Pickett	Zimmerman
Fee			

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

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.

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

No. 161 By Representatives HILL-EVANS, GUENST, M. JONES, HOWARD, RABB, BRENNAN, MADDEN and SAMUELSON

A Resolution designating November 15, 2023, as "Articles of Confederation Day" in Pennsylvania; and recognizing the City of York, York County, for its important contribution to the forging of our nation.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, June 26, 2023.

No. 162 By Representatives BELLMON, KHAN, KIM, VENKAT, DALEY, BOROWSKI, KAZEEM, CEPEDA-FREYITZ, HOHENSTEIN, GIRAL, SOLOMON, INNAMORATO, MADDEN, SCHLOSSBERG, RABB, HILL-EVANS, VITALI, SANCHEZ, McNEILL, PARKER, DONAHUE, A. BROWN, ABNEY, KRAJEWSKI, BOYD and D. WILLIAMS

A Resolution recognizing the month of June 2023 as "National Immigrant Heritage Month" in Pennsylvania.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, June 26, 2023.

HOUSE BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

No. 1506 By Representatives FRIEL, GUENST, HOWARD, MADDEN, SANCHEZ, KHAN, SCHLOSSBERG, PROBST, PIELLI, BELLMON, T. DAVIS, HILL-EVANS, OTTEN, SALISBURY, BOROWSKI, CEPEDA-FREYITZ, BRENNAN and DONAHUE

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in terms and courses of study, providing for prohibited review of curriculum, instructional materials and voluntary inquiry material in public school entities.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, June 26, 2023.

No. 1507 By Representatives TOPPER, BERNSTINE, KAUFFMAN, KUTZ, M. MACKENZIE and STENDER

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in preliminary provisions, providing for minimum number of days or hours.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, June 26, 2023.

No. 1508 By Representatives MALONEY, COOK, ECKER, HAMM, KULIK, LABS, PICKETT, SMITH and STENDER

An Act amending Titles 30 (Fish) and 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission, further providing for organization of commission; and, in Pennsylvania Game Commission, further providing for organization of commission.

Referred to Committee on GAME AND FISHERIES, June 26, 2023.

No. 1509 By Representatives N. NELSON, KIM, WEBSTER, KHAN, A. BROWN, MADDEN, HILL-EVANS, PROBST, SANCHEZ, DELLOSO, KINSEY, D. WILLIAMS and GREEN

An Act amending Title 61 (Prisons and Parole) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in county correctional institutions, further providing for establishment.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, June 26, 2023.

No. 1510 By Representatives MENTZER, PICKETT, ARMANINI, JAMES, FEE, KULIK, ZIMMERMAN, BENHAM, KHAN and RADER

An Act providing for the use of certain credentialing applications and for credentialing requirements for health insurers; imposing penalties; and conferring powers and imposing duties on the Insurance Department.

Referred to Committee on INSURANCE, June 26, 2023.

No. 1511 By Representatives WENTLING, JAMES, CAUSER and ROWE

An Act amending Title 12 (Commerce and Trade) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in Pennsylvania Industrial Development Program, further providing for job creation and providing for terms and repayment of loans.

Referred to Committee on COMMERCE, June 26, 2023.

No. 1512 By Representatives SAPPEY, HILL-EVANS, HANBIDGE, D. WILLIAMS, ISAACSON, BURGOS, MADDEN, GUENST, SANCHEZ, CIRESI, KINSEY, SCHLOSSBERG, VENKAT, GALLOWAY, HOHENSTEIN, SAMUELSON, DEASY, FREEMAN, CERRATO, KHAN, HOWARD, WARREN, OTTEN, HARRIS, KINKEAD, STURLA, CONKLIN, FLEMING, TAKAC, PARKER and GREEN

An Act amending Title 40 (Insurance) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in regulation of insurers and related persons generally, providing for telemedicine.

Referred to Committee on INSURANCE, June 26, 2023.

No. 1513 By Representatives WHITE, M. MACKENZIE, STAATS, KEEFER, ROZZI, TOPPER, BERNSTINE, KAUFFMAN, HAMM, R. MACKENZIE, MERCURI, O'NEAL, MARCELL, ROWE and STRUZZI

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in educational tax credits, further providing for definitions, for qualification and application by organizations, for limitations and for opportunity scholarships and providing for economically disadvantaged school scholarships.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, June 26, 2023.

No. 1514 By Representatives PISCOTTANO, SANCHEZ, McNEILL, SCHLOSSBERG, MADDEN, GALLAGHER, MALAGARI, HILL-EVANS, HARKINS, KHAN and DELLOSO

An Act amending Title 62 (Procurement) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in procurement organization, further providing for powers and duties of Department of General Services and providing for limited contract adjustment due to construction material price escalation.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, June 26, 2023.

No. 1516 By Representatives WARNER, COOK, SMITH, DAVANZO, KINSEY, KAUFFMAN, ROWE, KEPHART, TOPPER, STAATS and GILLEN

An Act designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 47947, carrying State Route 1054 over Indian Creek in Saltlick Township, Fayette County, as the Sgt. Earl D. Barkley Memorial Bridge.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, June 26, 2023.

No. 1517 By Representatives WARNER, COOK, SMITH, DAVANZO, KINSEY, KAUFFMAN, FLICK, JAMES, ROWE, TOPPER, STAATS and GILLEN

An Act designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 45509, carrying U.S. Route 40 over Pennsylvania Route 43 in Redstone Township, Fayette County, as the PFC John Balog Memorial Bridge.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, June 26, 2023.

No. 1518 By Representatives KENYATTA, BELLMON, MADDEN, SANCHEZ, KINSEY and KRAJEWSKI

An Act authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission, with the approval of the Governor, to grant and convey certain lands and improvements situate in the 47th Ward of the City of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, to New Freedom Theatre, Inc.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, June 26, 2023.

No. 1519 By Representatives N. NELSON, PROBST, SANCHEZ, HILL-EVANS, SCHLOSSBERG, MADDEN, T. DAVIS, PARKER, OTTEN, GUENST, O'MARA, KINSEY, KAZEEM, BOROWSKI and GREEN

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in pupils and attendance, further providing for excuses from attending school.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, June 26, 2023.

No. 1520 By Representatives PARKER, MADDEN, HILL-EVANS, KINSEY, SANCHEZ, GIRAL, HOHENSTEIN, CIRESI, D. WILLIAMS, KRAJEWSKI and GREEN

An Act establishing the Pennsylvania Local Business Forgivable Loan Program; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Department of Community and Economic Development; and making an appropriation.

Referred to Committee on COMMERCE, June 26, 2023.

No. 1521 By Representatives McANDREW, MADDEN, McNEILL, MADSEN, PROBST, PIELLI, PISCOTTANO, GIRAL, T. DAVIS, CEPEDA-FREYITZ, STEELE, DONAHUE, SANCHEZ, WARREN, HILL-EVANS, KINKEAD, BOROWSKI and SMITH-WADE-EL

An Act amending Titles 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) and 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in magisterial district judges, further providing for adjudication alternative program; in licensing of drivers, further providing for drivers required to be licensed, for suspension of operating privilege, for suspension of operating privilege for failure to respond to citation and for driving while operating privilege is suspended or revoked, providing for driving while operating privilege is suspended for certain other offenses, for relief from administrative suspension and for relief from administrative suspension participation requirements; in fees, further providing for reinstatement of operating privilege or vehicle registration; and, in penalties and disposition of fines, further providing for inability to pay fine and costs.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, June 26, 2023.

RECESS

The SPEAKER. The House stands in recess until 7:30 p.m.

RECESS EXTENDED

The time of recess was extended until 8 p.m.

AFTER RECESS

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

CALENDAR CONTINUED

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 1461**, **PN 1619**, entitled:

A Supplement to the act of July 7, 1972 (P.L.743, No.176), known as the Lincoln University-Commonwealth Act, making an appropriation for carrying the same into effect; providing for a basis for payments of the appropriation; providing for a method of accounting for the funds appropriated; and providing for certain fiscal information disclosure.

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 House will be at ease.

The House will come to order.

On the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, that Chair recognizes the minority leader, Representative Cutler.

Mr. CUTLER. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

Madam Speaker, one of the issues that I have continually discussed and raised is one of predictability for students and families, and I must say, I actually want to praise this institution for a promise that they made. They made a promise to freeze tuition going forward for their students. I personally believe that is in fact putting families and students first, and for that reason I support this and urge members to please be a "yes."

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman.

On the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—195

Abney	Flick	Kulik	Rapp
Adams	Flood	Kutz	Rigby
Armanini	Frankel	Kuzma	Roae
Banta	Freeman	Labs	Rossi
Barton	Friel	Lawrence	Rowe
Bellmon	Fritz	Leadbeter	Rozzi
Benham	Gallagher	Mackenzie, M.	Ryncavage
Benninghoff	Galloway	Mackenzie, R.	Salisbury
Bernstine	Gaydos	Madden	Samuelson
Bizzarro	Gergely	Madsen	Sanchez
Bonner	Gillen	Major	Sappey
Borowicz	Giral	Mako	Schemel
Borowski	Gleim	Malagari	Scheuren
Boyd	Green	Maloney	Schlegel
Boyle	Gregory	Marcell	Schlossberg
Bradford	Greiner	Markosek	Schmitt
Brennan	Grove	Marshall	Schweyer
Briggs	Guenst	Matzie	Scialabba
Brown, A.	Guzman	Mayes	Scott
Brown, M.	Haddock	McAndrew	Shusterman
Bullock	Hanbidge	McNeill	Siegel
Burgos	Harkins	Mehaffie	Smith
Burns	Harris	Mentzer	Smith-Wade-El
C Freytiz	Heffley	Mercuri	Solomon
Cabell	Hogan	Merski	Staats
Causer	Hohenstein	Mihalek	Stambaugh
Cephas	Howard	Miller, B.	Steele
Cerrato	Innamorato	Miller, D.	Stehr
Ciresi	Irvin	Moul	Stender
Conklin	Isaacson	Mullins	Struzzi
Cook	James	Munroe	Sturla
Cooper	Jones, M.	Mustello	Takac
Curry	Jones, T.	Neilson	Tomlinson
Cutler	Jozwiak	Nelson, E.	Topper
D'Orsie	Kail	Nelson, N.	Twardzik
Daley	Kaufner	O'Mara	Venkat
Davis	Kauffman	O'Neal	Vitali
Dawkins	Kazeem	Oberlander	Warren
Deasy	Kenyatta	Ortitay	Watro
Delloso	Kerwin	Otten	Waxman

Delozier	Khan	Owlett	Webster
Diamond	Kim	Parker	Wentling
Donahue	Kinthead	Pashinski	White
Dunbar	Kinsey	Pickett	Williams, C.
Ecker	Klunk	Pielli	Williams, D.
Emrick	Kosierowski	Pisciottano	Young
Evans	Krajewski	Probst	
Fee	Krueger	Rabb	McClinton,
Fiedler	Krupa	Rader	Speaker
Fleming			

NAYS—8

Davanzo	Hamm	Kephart	Warner
Fink	Keefer	Metzgar	Zimmerman

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

The two-thirds 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 1459, PN 1618**, entitled:

A Supplement to the act of November 30, 1965 (P.L.843, No.355), known as the Temple University—Commonwealth Act, making an appropriation for carrying the same into effect; providing for a basis for payments of such appropriation; and providing a method of accounting for the funds appropriated and for certain fiscal information disclosure.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, the Chair recognizes Representative Eric Nelson.

Mr. E. NELSON. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

I just want to set the stage for this vote. It is good to see that these institutions are being voted individually. I recognize that at times Harrisburg can be a tricky rascal, and it is my hope that all of these schools will be voted individually moving forward.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the gentleman, although the Chair does not agree that this is a tricky rascal.

On the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—120

Abney	Fleming	Labs	Salisbury
Armanini	Frankel	Madden	Samuelson
Bellmon	Freeman	Madsen	Sanchez
Benham	Friel	Malagari	Sappey
Benninghoff	Gallagher	Marcell	Schlossberg
Bizzarro	Galloway	Markosek	Schmitt
Borowski	Gergely	Marshall	Schweyer
Boyd	Giral	Matzie	Scott
Boyle	Green	Mayes	Shusterman
Bradford	Guenst	McAndrew	Siegel
Brennan	Guzman	McNeill	Smith-Wade-El
Briggs	Haddock	Mehaffie	Solomon
Brown, A.	Hanbidge	Merski	Steele
Bullock	Harkins	Miller, D.	Sturla
Burgos	Harris	Mullins	Takac
Burns	Hogan	Munroe	Tomlinson
C Freytiz	Hohenstein	Mustello	Topper
Causer	Howard	Neilson	Venkat
Cephas	Innamorato	Nelson, N.	Vitali
Cerrato	Isaacson	O'Mara	Warren
Ciresi	James	Oberlander	Waxman
Conklin	Kazeem	Ortitay	Webster
Curry	Kenyatta	Otten	Wentling
Daley	Khan	Parker	White
Davis	Kim	Pashinski	Williams, C.
Dawkins	Kinkead	Pielli	Williams, D.
Deasy	Kinsey	Pisciottano	Young
Delloso	Kosierowski	Probst	
Donahue	Krajewski	Rabb	McClinton,
Evans	Krueger	Rozzi	Speaker
Fiedler	Kulik		

NAYS—83

Adams	Flood	Krupa	Rapp
Banta	Fritz	Kutz	Rigby
Barton	Gaydos	Kuzma	Roae
Bernstine	Gillen	Lawrence	Rossi
Bonner	Gleim	Leadbeter	Rowe
Borowicz	Gregory	Mackenzie, M.	Ryncavage
Brown, M.	Greiner	Mackenzie, R.	Schemel
Cabell	Grove	Major	Scheuren
Cook	Hamm	Mako	Schlegel
Cooper	Heffley	Maloney	Scialabba
Cutler	Irvin	Mentzer	Smith
D'Orsie	Jones, M.	Mercuri	Staats
Davanzo	Jones, T.	Metzgar	Stambaugh
Delozier	Jozwiak	Mihalek	Stehr
Diamond	Kail	Miller, B.	Stender
Dunbar	Kaufner	Moul	Struzzi
Ecker	Kauffman	Nelson, E.	Twardzik
Emrick	Keefer	O'Neal	Warner
Fee	Kephart	Owlett	Watro
Fink	Kerwin	Pickett	Zimmerman
Flick	Klunk	Rader	

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

Less than the two-thirds majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the negative and the bill fell.

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 1458, PN 1617**, entitled:

A Supplement to the act of July 28, 1966 (3rd Sp.Sess., P.L.87, No.3), known as the University of Pittsburgh—Commonwealth Act, making appropriations for carrying the same into effect; and providing for a basis for payments of such appropriations, for a method of accounting for the funds appropriated and for certain fiscal information disclosure.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—117

Abney	Fiedler	Krueger	Rigby
Armanini	Fleming	Kulik	Rozzi
Bellmon	Frankel	Labs	Salisbury
Benham	Freeman	Madden	Samuelson
Benninghoff	Friel	Madsen	Sanchez
Bizzarro	Gallagher	Malagari	Sappey
Borowski	Galloway	Markosek	Schlossberg
Boyd	Gaydos	Marshall	Schweyer
Boyle	Gergely	Matzie	Scott
Bradford	Giral	Mayes	Shusterman
Brennan	Green	McAndrew	Siegel
Briggs	Guenst	McNeill	Smith-Wade-El
Brown, A.	Guzman	Mehaffie	Solomon
Bullock	Haddock	Mercuri	Steele
Burgos	Hanbidge	Merski	Sturla
Burns	Harkins	Miller, D.	Takac
C Freytiz	Harris	Mullins	Tomlinson
Causer	Hogan	Munroe	Venkat
Cephas	Hohenstein	Neilson	Vitali
Cerrato	Howard	Nelson, N.	Warren
Ciresi	Innamorato	O'Mara	Waxman
Conklin	Isaacson	Oberlander	Webster
Curry	Kazeem	Ortitay	White
Daley	Kenyatta	Otten	Williams, C.
Davis	Khan	Parker	Williams, D.
Dawkins	Kim	Pashinski	Young
Deasy	Kinkead	Pielli	
Delloso	Kinsey	Pisciottano	McClinton,
Donahue	Kosierowski	Probst	Speaker
Evans	Krajewski	Rabb	

NAYS—86

Adams	Fritz	Kuzma	Roae
Banta	Gillen	Lawrence	Rossi
Barton	Gleim	Leadbeter	Rowe
Bernstine	Gregory	Mackenzie, M.	Ryncavage
Bonner	Greiner	Mackenzie, R.	Schemel
Borowicz	Grove	Major	Scheuren
Brown, M.	Hamm	Mako	Schlegel
Cabell	Heffley	Maloney	Schmitt
Cook	Irvin	Marcell	Scialabba

Cooper	James	Mentzer	Smith
Cutler	Jones, M.	Metzgar	Staats
D'Orsie	Jones, T.	Mihalek	Stambaugh
Davanzo	Jozwiak	Miller, B.	Stehr
Delozier	Kail	Moul	Stender
Diamond	Kaufner	Mustello	Struzzi
Dunbar	Kauffman	Nelson, E.	Topper
Ecker	Keefer	O'Neal	Twardzik
Emrick	Kephart	Owlett	Warner
Fee	Kerwin	Pickett	Watro
Fink	Klunk	Rader	Wentling
Flick	Krupa	Rapp	Zimmerman
Flood	Kutz		

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

Less than the two-thirds majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the negative and the bill fell.

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 1456, PN 1616**, entitled:

A Supplement to the act of April 1, 1863 (P.L.213, No.227), entitled "An act to accept the grant of Public Lands, by the United States, to the several states, for the endowment of Agricultural Colleges," making appropriations for carrying the same into effect; providing for a basis for payments of such appropriations, for a method of accounting for the funds appropriated and for certain fiscal information disclosure; and making an appropriation from a restricted account within the Agricultural College Land Scrip Fund.

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

DECISION OF CHAIR RESCINDED

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the Chair rescinds her announcement that HB 1456 is agreed to on third consideration.

BILL PASSED OVER

The SPEAKER. The bill will temporarily be over.

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 612, PN 1703**, entitled:

An Act providing for funding for State-related universities for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2024, for costs basis, for frequency of payments and for recordkeeping requirements; imposing a duty on the Auditor General; providing for financial statements and for the Agricultural College Land Scrip Fund; and making appropriations.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—118

Abney	Fleming	Krajewski	Probst
Bellmon	Frankel	Krueger	Rabb
Benham	Freeman	Kulik	Rozzi
Benninghoff	Friel	Labs	Salisbury
Bizzarro	Fritz	Madden	Samuelson
Borowski	Gallagher	Madsen	Sanchez
Boyd	Galloway	Malagari	Sappery
Boyle	Gaydos	Marcell	Schlossberg
Bradford	Gergely	Markosek	Schweyer
Brennan	Giral	Marshall	Scott
Briggs	Green	Matzie	Shusterman
Brown, A.	Guenst	Mayes	Siegel
Bullock	Guzman	McAndrew	Smith-Wade-El
Burgos	Haddock	McNeill	Solomon
Burns	Hanbidge	Mehaffie	Steele
C Freytiz	Harkins	Merski	Sturla
Causer	Harris	Miller, D.	Takac
Cephas	Hogan	Mullins	Tomlinson
Cerrato	Hohenstein	Munroe	Venkat
Ciresi	Howard	Mustello	Vitali
Conklin	Innamorato	Neilson	Warren
Curry	Isaacson	Nelson, N.	Waxman
Daley	James	O'Mara	Webster
Davis	Kazeem	Oberlander	White
Dawkins	Kenyatta	Ortitay	Williams, C.
Deasy	Khan	Otten	Williams, D.
Delloso	Kim	Parker	Young
Donahue	Kinhead	Pashinski	
Evans	Kinsey	Pielli	McClinton,
Fiedler	Kosierowski	Pisciottano	Speaker

NAYS—85

Adams	Flood	Kuzma	Roae
Armanini	Gillen	Lawrence	Rossi
Banta	Gleim	Leadbeter	Rowe
Barton	Gregory	Mackenzie, M.	Ryncavage
Bernstine	Greiner	Mackenzie, R.	Schemel
Bonner	Grove	Major	Scheuren
Borowicz	Hamm	Mako	Schlegel
Brown, M.	Heffley	Maloney	Schmitt
Cabell	Irvin	Mentzer	Scialabba
Cook	Jones, M.	Mercuri	Smith
Cooper	Jones, T.	Metzgar	Staats
Cutler	Jozwiak	Mihalek	Stambaugh
D'Orsie	Kail	Miller, B.	Stehr
Davanzo	Kaufner	Moul	Stender
Delozier	Kauffman	Nelson, E.	Struzzi
Diamond	Keefer	O'Neal	Topper
Dunbar	Kephart	Owlett	Twardzik
Ecker	Kerwin	Pickett	Warner
Emrick	Klunk	Rader	Watro
Fee	Krupa	Rapp	Wentling
Fink	Kutz	Rigby	Zimmerman
Flick			

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

Less than the two-thirds majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the negative and the bill fell.

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 613, PN 1122**, entitled:

An Act making appropriations to the Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—177

Abney	Fee	Krajewski	Rader
Adams	Fiedler	Krueger	Rigby
Armanini	Fleming	Kulik	Rozzi
Banta	Flick	Kutz	Ryncavage
Barton	Flood	Kuzma	Salisbury
Bellmon	Frankel	Labs	Samuelson
Benham	Freeman	Lawrence	Sanchez
Benninghoff	Friel	Madden	Sappey
Bernstine	Fritz	Madsen	Scheuren
Bizzarro	Gallagher	Major	Schlegel
Bonner	Galloway	Mako	Schlossberg
Borowski	Gaydos	Malagari	Schmitt
Boyd	Gergely	Marcell	Schweyer
Boyle	Gillen	Markosek	Scialabba
Bradford	Giral	Marshall	Scott
Brennan	Green	Matzie	Shusterman
Briggs	Gregory	Mayes	Siegel
Brown, A.	Greiner	McAndrew	Smith
Brown, M.	Grove	McNeill	Smith-Wade-El
Bullock	Guenst	Mehaffie	Solomon
Burgos	Guzman	Mentzer	Staats
Burns	Haddock	Mercuri	Steele
C Freytiz	Hanbidge	Merski	Stender
Cabell	Harkins	Mihalek	Struzzi
Causer	Harris	Miller, D.	Sturla
Cephas	Heffley	Moul	Takac
Cerrato	Hogan	Mullins	Tomlinson
Ciresi	Hohenstein	Munroe	Topper
Conklin	Howard	Mustello	Twardzik
Cook	Innamorato	Neilson	Venkat
Cooper	Irvin	Nelson, E.	Vitali
Curry	Isaacson	Nelson, N.	Warren
Cutler	James	O'Mara	Watro
Daley	Jozwiak	O'Neal	Waxman
Davis	Kail	Oberlander	Webster
Dawkins	Kaufner	Ortitay	Wentling
Deasy	Kazeem	Otten	White
Delloso	Kenyatta	Owlett	Williams, C.
Delozier	Kerwin	Parker	Williams, D.

Diamond	Khan	Pashinski	Young
Donahue	Kim	Pickett	Zimmerman
Dunbar	Kinhead	Pielli	
Ecker	Kinsey	Pisciottano	McClinton,
Emrick	Klunk	Probst	Speaker
Evans	Kosierowski	Rabb	

NAYS—26

Borowicz	Jones, T.	Mackenzie, R.	Rossi
D'Orsie	Kauffman	Maloney	Rowe
Davanzo	Keefer	Metzgar	Schemel
Fink	Kephart	Miller, B.	Stambaugh
Gleim	Krupa	Rapp	Stehr
Hamm	Leadbeter	Roae	Warner
Jones, M.	Mackenzie, M.		

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

The two-thirds 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.

RECONSIDERATION MOTIONS FILED

The **SPEAKER**. The Chair is in receipt of the following motions to reconsider.

Madam Speaker, pursuant to rule 26, we, the undersigned, move that the vote by which HB 1458, PN 1617, was defeated on the 26th day of June be reconsidered. Signed by Matthew Bradford and Jordan Harris. The Chair cannot read the signatures.

Representatives Cutler and Grove move that the vote by which HB 612 was defeated on the 26th day of June be reconsidered. Bryan Cutler, Seth Grove, signed.

Representatives Cutler and Grove move that the vote by which HB 1459 was defeated on the 26th day of June be reconsidered. Signed by Representative Cutler and Representative Grove.

For the record, the same motion was filed by Representative Bradford and Representative Harris.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 1067, PN 1086**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in professional employees, further providing for qualifications; and, in certification of teachers, further providing for State certificates.

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

(Bill analysis was read.)

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

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

On that question, the Chair recognizes the maker of the bill, Representative Cepeda-Freytiz.

Mrs. CEPEDA-FREYITIZ. Gracias, Madam Speaker.

Good evening. I stand here before you as, obviously, a freshman legislator, eager to be effective, to be impactful. I want to make a difference and create solutions to existing and growing problems in my community, and as we all know, the teacher shortage is rapidly growing.

In my district in particular – and I represent 3 school districts, Reading, Wyomissing, and Wilson, and in Reading, among the 19 schools, 5 of which are middle schools, there are currently 96 vacancies – we are desperately in need of teachers. And as I looked at current law, the Pennsylvania Department of Education's Teacher Information Management System prevents non-U.S. citizens from completing an application for certification unless they are applying for a certificate to teach a foreign language or hold an immigrant visa, green card, and sign an affidavit of intent to become a U.S. citizen.

I believe that removal of this barrier will create more opportunities for folks who already reside here who hold education degrees, who have done the student teaching to become certified. We must remove this barrier to allow more folks to become teachers. This is a commonsense, cost-effective approach to handling this growing problem that we are currently experiencing in our Commonwealth.

So I urge and kindly ask a "yes" vote. Let us, as a collective, tackle this growing problem, and let us continue to eliminate some of these barriers that do not apply to most careers in the Commonwealth, let alone in the United States. We have so many people that are qualified. So please, join me in voting "yes" for HB 1067.

Thank you so much. Thank you in advance for considering.

The SPEAKER. The Chair thanks the maker of the bill.

On that question, the Chair recognizes Representative Topper. Mr. TOPPER. Thank you, Madam Speaker.

There are, indeed, many actions that we can take as a Commonwealth to encourage more educators to enter and also to stay in the field of education, and we have talked before on this House floor about specifically where some of the greatest needs are. And I believe that we can, as we have heard in a very lengthy hearing that we had on this issue, we can make the transition from the private-sector knowledge to the classroom quicker and less expensive. We can create reciprocal agreements with our States, particularly the ones on our border, in regards to teacher certification. We can allow flexibility within grade-level certifications so the administrators have the ability to fill some of these needs within their own school districts as they see best. We can create pathways for adjunct teachers. We can create more accessible pathways for our paraeducators to become teachers. All of these things that I have listed were issues that were brought up and have begun to be vetted not just by the House, but by the Department of Education as we look to solve some of these problems.

I commend the Representative for this idea and this proposal, but this is not one of those ideas that was brought before us, the subject of a hearing, and something that has not been entirely vetted by all parties. First of all, to be clear, there is a process by which a non-U.S. citizen with legal status can become an educator, and it does involve a waiver from the Department of Education, as well as a commitment from the individual to the

process of obtaining citizenship. And it is true that while we have that process for other professionals, such as ones that were brought up in committee, doctors and medical professionals to operate without such a waiver, there are some specific requirements from the Federal government as well as the State government for those as well, including the Conrad 30 program, something that was developed through time. And this waiver does permit all of those to stay and work in the U.S. after their residency for a number of years instead of returning home for 2 years, which is the original J-1 visa, if they receive a waiver, but each State only has 30 waivers.

So I believe that this is something that as we look at certifications throughout our Commonwealth and the idea of teacher certification that we could look at, but I do believe it needs more time. And I do believe there is something that separates schools and government-run institutions from areas like hospitals, and that is, we are government-run institutions. This House on several occasions has taken votes to require civics being taught in schools, because again, that is part of what we do in terms of government-run institutions. And so I think this – while I, again, commend the Representative and I look forward to working with her and others on the other side of the aisle to continue to bring more diversity into our classrooms and retain more teachers that are burned out in our classrooms and find areas that we desperately need in subject matters and geographical areas, at this time I do not believe I can support this bill, and I would encourage a "no" vote.

Thank you, Madam Speaker.

On the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—110

Abney	Fiedler	Kosierowski	Rabb
Adams	Fleming	Krajewski	Rozzi
Bellmon	Flick	Krueger	Ryncavage
Benham	Frankel	Kulik	Salisbury
Bizzarro	Freeman	Madden	Samuelson
Borowski	Friel	Madsen	Sanchez
Boyd	Gallagher	Malagari	Sappery
Boyle	Galloway	Markosek	Schlossberg
Bradford	Gergely	Marshall	Schweyer
Brennan	Giral	Matzie	Scott
Briggs	Green	Mayes	Shusterman
Brown, A.	Guenst	McAndrew	Siegel
Bullock	Guzman	McNeill	Smith-Wade-El
Burgos	Haddock	Mehaffie	Solomon
C Freytiz	Hanbidge	Merski	Steele
Cabell	Harkins	Mihalek	Sturla
Cephas	Harris	Miller, D.	Takac
Cerrato	Hohenstein	Mullins	Venkat
Ciresi	Howard	Munroe	Vitali
Conklin	Innamorato	Neilson	Warren
Curry	Isaacson	Nelson, N.	Watro
Daley	Kaufner	O'Mara	Waxman
Davis	Kazeem	Otten	Webster
Dawkins	Kenyatta	Parker	Williams, D.
Deasy	Khan	Pashinski	Young
Delloso	Kim	Pielli	
Donahue	Kinthead	Pisciottano	McClinton,
Evans	Kinsey	Probst	Speaker

NAYS—93

Armanini	Gaydos	Labs	Rigby
Banta	Gillen	Lawrence	Roae
Barton	Gleim	Leadbeter	Rossi
Benninghoff	Gregory	Mackenzie, M.	Rowe
Bernstine	Greiner	Mackenzie, R.	Schemel
Bonner	Grove	Major	Scheuren
Borowicz	Hamm	Mako	Schlegel
Brown, M.	Heffley	Maloney	Schmitt
Burns	Hogan	Marcell	Scialabba
Causser	Irvin	Mentzer	Smith
Cook	James	Mercuri	Staats
Cooper	Jones, M.	Metzgar	Stambaugh
Cutler	Jones, T.	Miller, B.	Stehr
D'Orsie	Jozwiak	Moul	Stender
Davanzo	Kail	Mustello	Struzzi
Delozier	Kauffman	Nelson, E.	Tomlinson
Diamond	Keefer	O'Neal	Topper
Dunbar	Kephart	Oberlander	Twardzik
Ecker	Kerwin	Ortitay	Warner
Emrick	Klunk	Owlett	Wentling
Fee	Krupa	Pickett	White
Fink	Kutz	Rader	Williams, C.
Flood	Kuzma	Rapp	Zimmerman
Fritz			

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—0

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.

BILLS RECOMMITTED

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

HB 668;
 HB 817;
 HB 818;
 HB 1316; and
 HB 1333.

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 746 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. For the information of the members, there will be no further votes.

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 Chair is in receipt of a motion from the gentlelady from Berks County, Representative Johanny Cepeda-Freytiz, that this House now adjourn until Tuesday, June 27, 2023, 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 8:30 p.m., e.d.t., the House adjourned.