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SENATE

TUESDAY, November 13, 1979.

The Senate met at 1:00 p.m., Eastern Standard Time.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore (Martin L. Murray) in the Chair.

PRAYER

The Chaplain, The Reverend Doctor FRANK E. RADCLIFFE, Pastor of Holy Spirit Lutheran Church, Reading, offered the following prayer:

In the Name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

O God, at whose word chaos became an ordered creation; brood over this troubled world and create in the Nations a love for Thee and for each other, which will make this world a new creation of peace and joy.

We pray for Thy guidance and help. We know that prayer is not a substitute for work. Therefore, may we use the mind Thou hast given us to think, to think hard, clearly and honestly, guided by Thy voice within us.

May we never fail to do the best we can. Help us to pray as though all depended on Thee, and then let us work as if it all depended on us, that together we may do that which is well pleasing in Thy sight. Amen.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. The Chair thanks the Reverend Doctor Radcliffe, who is the guest this week of Senator O'Pake.

JOURNAL APPROVED

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. A quorum of the Senate being present, the Clerk will read the Journal of the preceding Session.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the preceding Session, when, on motion of Senator SCANLON, further reading was dispensed with, and the Journal was approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Senator SCANLON. Mr. President, Senator Zemprelli from Allegheny County is confined to the McKeesport Hospital in McKeesport, Pennsylvania. I am requesting an indefinite personal leave of absence for Senator Zemprelli.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. The Chair hears no objection and the leave is granted.

SENATOR STAUFFER TO VOTE FOR SENATOR MANBECK

Senator STAUFFER. Mr. President, I ask for a legislative leave of absence for Senator Manbeck, who is attending meetings of the Transportation Committee, and we will be voting him.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. The Chair hears no objection and the leave is granted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR APPROVAL OF SENATE BILLS

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented communications in writing from His Excellency, the Governor, advising that the following Senate Bills had been approved and signed by the Governor:

SB 64, 95, 228, 234, 335, 372, 603, 731, 732, 733, 734, 762, 820 and 856.

NOMINATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

He also presented communications in writing from His Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which were read as follows, and referred to the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations:

SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH

November 1, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Mr. William R. Davis, 620 Welty Street, S.W., Greensburg 15601, Westmoreland County, Thirty-ninth Senatorial District, for appointment as Secretary of the Commonwealth, to serve until superseded, and until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified, vice The Honorable Ethel Allen, D.O., Philadelphia, terminated.

DICK THORNBURGH.

SECRETARY OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

November 1, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Ms. Shirley M. Dennis, 1656 Easton Road, Willow Grove 19090, Montgomery County, Twelfth Senatorial District, for appointment as Secretary of Community Affairs, to serve until the third Tuesday of January, 1983, and until her successor shall have been appointed

and qualified, vice The Honorable William R. Davis, Greensburg.

DICK THORNBURGH.

SECRETARY OF HEALTH

November 1, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Doctor H. Arnold Muller, 354 East Chocolate Avenue, Hershey 17033, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Secretary of Health, to serve until the third Tuesday of January, 1983, and until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified, vice The Honorable Gordon Kenneth MacLeod, M.D., Pittsburgh, resigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

SECRETARY OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY

November 1, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Charles J. Lieberth, 106 Pointvue Drive, Pittsburgh 15237, Allegheny County, Fortieth Senatorial District, for appointment as Secretary of Labor and Industry, to serve until the third Tuesday of January, 1983, and until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified, vice The Honorable Myron Joseph, Pittsburgh, resigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

CONTROLLER, MCKEAN COUNTY

November 7, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate John P. Edeen, 12 McClellan Avenue, Mount Jewett 16740, McKean County, Twenty-fifth Senatorial District, for appointment as Controller in and for the County of McKean, to serve until the first Monday of January 1982, vice E. Abbey Southwick, retired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD
OF BARBER EXAMINERS

November 8, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Anthony P. Alfano (Barber), 1532 Second Avenue, York 17403, York County, Twenty-eighth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the State Board of Barber Examiners, to serve until the third Tuesday of January, 1983, and until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD
OF BARBER EXAMINERS

November 8, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate John E. Bowerman (Barber), 405 Park Street, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Barber Examiners, to serve until the third Tuesday of January, 1983, and until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified, vice Thomas C. Bigler, Chambersburg, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD
OF BARBER EXAMINERS

November 9, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Robert L. Keene (Barber), 113 West Pine Street, Box 52, Boalsburg 16827, Centre County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Barber Examiners, to serve until the third Tuesday of January, 1983, and until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified, vice Leroy D. Cameroni, Erie, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

DISTRICT JUSTICE

November 13, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Mrs. Elverda J. Daw, 167-F Churchill Road, Wilkins Township, Turtle Creek, 15145, Allegheny County, Forty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as District Justice in and for the County of Allegheny, Class 2, District 08, to serve until the first Monday of January, 1982, vice Maurice Mysels, Pittsburgh, deceased.

DICK THORNBURGH.

DISTRICT JUSTICE

November 13, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Thomas E. League, 633 Chatham Road, Fairless Hills 19030, Bucks County, Tenth Senatorial District, for appointment as District Justice in and for the County of Bucks, Class 1, District 10, to serve until the first Monday of January, 1982, vice Gino J. Mattozzi, Levittown, resigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

HOUSE MESSAGES

HOUSE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE

The Clerk of the House of Representatives being introduced, presented for concurrence **HB 725**, which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Affairs.

He also presented for concurrence **HB 1771**, which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

He also presented for concurrence **HB 268**, which was referred to the Committee on Business and Commerce.

He also presented for concurrence **HB 173**, which was referred to the Committee on Education.

He also presented for concurrence **HB 893, 1150, 1235 and 1840**, which were referred to the Committee on Environmental Resources.

He also presented for concurrence **HB 852 and 1767**, which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

He also presented for concurrence **HB 1526**, which was referred to the Committee on Law and Justice.

He also presented for concurrence **HB 339**, which was referred to the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs.

He also presented for concurrence **HB 230, 1436, 1683, 1684 and 1720**, which were referred to the Committee on Public Health and Welfare.

He also presented for concurrence **HB 962**, which was referred to the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

He also presented for concurrence House Concurrent Resolution No. 131, which was referred to the Committee on Constitutional Changes and Federal Relations.

SENATE BILLS RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS

He also returned to the Senate **SB 210 and 337**, with the information that the House has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

The **PRESIDENT** pro tempore. The bills, as amended, will be placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILLS

He also informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to **HB 147, 1133 and 1275**.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL

He also returned to the Senate **SB 736**, with the information that the House has passed the same without amendments.

GENERAL COMMUNICATION

RESOLUTION OF CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF PHILADELPHIA

The **PRESIDENT** pro tempore laid before the Senate the following communication, which was read by the Clerk as follows:

CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF PHILADELPHIA

November 2, 1979.

Honorable William Scranton, III
Lieutenant Governor
Main Capitol Bldg.
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

Dear Mr. Scranton:

I am pleased to forward to you a certified copy of Council's Resolution adopted October 18th, 1979.

I ask that you accept it as evidence of the sincere sentiments of this legislative body.

Kind personal regards.

Sincerely,
GEORGE X. SCHWARTZ
President
City Council

COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK
ROOM 402, CITY HALL
PHILADELPHIA

(Resolution No. 554)
RESOLUTION

Memorializing the General Assembly of Pennsylvania to swiftly and expeditiously review and approve Senate Bill 982, introduced as a joint resolution on September 25 to allow local taxing authorities a greater power to make uniform tax provisions.

WHEREAS, In 1865 the County Board of Revision of Taxes was created by the General Assembly of Pennsylvania and is now governed by the Act of 1939, No. 404; and

WHEREAS, The City of Philadelphia's legislative powers come from the Home Rule Charter which it adopted pursuant to the First Class City Home Act of 1949; and

WHEREAS, The First Class City Home Rule Act placed certain limitations over the City's powers stating that "no city shall exercise powers contrary to, or in limitation or enlargement of, powers granted by acts of general assembly which are . . . providing for the assessments of real or personal property and persons for taxation purposes," and

WHEREAS, In the past five years the citizens of Philadelphia have been confronted with almost annual excessive increases in assessments to their residences, in some neighborhoods an increase of over seventy-five per cent a year being sought by the County Board of Revision of Taxes; and

WHEREAS, The rehabilitation of properties in many communities of Philadelphia has resulted in the placing of inflated values on homes whose owners have struggled to meet payment of tax bills on fixed incomes while attempting to maintain the residence in that rehabilitated neighborhood; and

WHEREAS, On September 25, 1979 a Senate Bill was introduced by State Senator Vincent Fumo, et al, and referred to the Constitutional Changes and Federal Relations Committee; and

WHEREAS, The Senate Bill would place on the ballot a state-wide referendum for a Constitutional amendment establishing "standards and qualifications by which local taxing authorities may make uniform special tax provisions applicable to taxpayers who are longtime owner-occupants of residences in areas where real property taxes have risen markedly as a consequence of the refurbishing or renovating of deteriorating residences", therefore

Resolved, By the Council of the City of Philadelphia, That we hereby memorialize the General Assembly of Pennsylvania to swiftly and expeditiously review and approve Senate Bill 982, introduced as a joint Resolution on September 25 to allow local taxing authorities a greater power to make uniform tax provisions;

Resolved, That we introduce legislation in City Council as soon as enabling legislation from the General Assembly is approved by a referendum that will allow the City greater control over local taxing power.

Further Resolved, that certified copies of this Resolution be forwarded to Governor Richard Thornburgh and to all members of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania as evidence of the sentiments of this Legislative body.

CERTIFICATION: This is a true and correct copy of the original Resolution adopted by the Council of the City of Philadelphia on the eighteenth day of October, 1979.

GEORGE X. SCHWARTZ
President of City Council

ATTEST:
CHARLES H. SAWYER, JR.
Chief Clerk of the Council

Sponsored by
George X. Schwartz
Al Pearlman
Francis Rafferty
Harry P. Jannotti
Anna Cibotti Verna
Joseph E. Coleman

James J. Tayoun
Earl Vann
John B. Kelly, Jr.
Melvin J. Greenberg
Louis C. Johanson

BILLS SIGNED

The President pro tempore (Martin L. Murray) in the presence of the Senate signed the following bills:

SB 736, HB 147, 1133 and 1275.

BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

Senator GREENLEAF presented to the Chair **SB 1080**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of May 21, 1937 (P. L. 774, No. 211), entitled "Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission Act," further providing for fire and similar emergency service on the turnpike.

Which was committed to the Committee on Transportation.

Senators GREENLEAF and COPPERSMITH presented to the Chair **SB 1081**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of May 21, 1937 (P. L. 774, No. 211), entitled "Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission Act," further providing for ambulance service on the turnpike system.

Which was committed to the Committee on Transportation.

Senators SNYDER, KUSSE, EARLY and SCHAEFER presented to the Chair **SB 1082**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P. L. 31, No. 21), entitled "Public Welfare Code," providing for administration of, eligibility for, qualifications of and allowances to recipients of assistance.

Which was committed to the Committee on Public Health and Welfare.

Senators BODACK, ROMANELLI, O'CONNELL, STOUT, SCHAEFER, LLOYD, MELLOW, DWYER, LINCOLN, COPPERSMITH, HANKINS, MESSINGER, REIBMAN, FUMO, LOEPER, ANDREWS, LEWIS and GURZENDA presented to the Chair **SB 1083**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 8, 1959 (P. L. 1718, No. 632), entitled, as amended, "An act providing for the payment of the salary, medical and hospital expenses of employes of State penal and correctional institutions, State mental hospitals, Youth Development Centers, County Boards of Assistance, and under certain conditions other employes of the Department of Public Welfare, who are injured in the performance of their duties; . . ." further providing for the determination of salary while on disability.

Which was committed to the Committee on State Government.

Senator BELL presented to the Chair **SB 1084**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, granting preference in civil service examinations for certain National Guard service.

Which was committed to the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs.

Senators BELL, STOUT and PECORA presented to the Chair **SB 1085**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30, No. 14), entitled "Public School Code of 1949," requiring the Com-

monwealth to pay twenty-five per centum of the fees of active members of the National Guard at State Colleges and Indiana University of Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs.

Senator GREENLEAF presented to the Chair **SB 1086**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for the payment of costs by persons who join a municipality absolved of liability in a trespass action.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senator REIBMAN (By Request) presented to the Chair **SB 1087**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P. L. 6, No. 2), entitled "Tax Reform Code of 1971," further providing for exclusions from sales and use taxation.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

Senators SMITH, ORLANDO, O'PAKE, LEWIS and STAPLETON presented to the Chair **SB 1088**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P. L. 177, No. 175), entitled "The Administrative Code of 1929," creating a State Board of Orthotists and Prosthetists as a departmental administrative board in the Department of State.

Which was committed to the Committee on Professional Licensure.

They also presented to the Chair **SB 1089**, entitled:

An Act to regulate the practice of orthotics and prosthetics; defining certain terms; providing for a Board of Orthotists and Prosthetists; providing for qualifications, terms, powers and duties of the members of the board; providing for the educational training and qualifications of applicants; providing for apprentice and supervised training; providing for types of individual and dual certification as a registered prosthetist and/or registered orthotist; providing for application for registration and for initial and renewal fees; providing for examinations and for the renewal of registration; providing for the maintenance of a person registered under this act who is a member of the armed forces and for emeritus registration; providing for the registration of present orthotists and prosthetists and for reciprocity; providing for the refusal, revocation and suspension of registration; providing for administrative procedures and enforcement; providing for administration by the Commissioner of Professional and Occupational Affairs; prescribing penalties and making repeals.

Which was committed to the Committee on Professional Licensure.

Senators SCHAEFER, ZEMPRELLI, MELLOW, PECORA, STAPLETON and GREENLEAF presented to the Chair **SB 1090**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for offenses relating to public indecency.

Which was committed to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senators McKINNEY, KELLEY, ARLENE, FUMO, BODACK, PECORA, SCANLON, SMITH, LLOYD and LEWIS

presented to the Chair **SB 1091**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of August 9, 1963 (P. L. 628, No. 337), entitled "Solicitation of Charitable Funds Act," further providing for the definitions of "professional fund-raising counsel" and "professional solicitor," authorizing the conducting of gambling activities by charitable organizations and duly constituted religious organizations; and making repeals.

Which was committed to the Committee on State Government.

Senators ROMANELLI, ARLENE, ROSS, ORLANDO, PECORA, O'PAKE, REIBMAN, COPPERSMITH, LEWIS, SCANLON, GEKAS and ZEMPRELLI presented to the Chair **SB 1092**, entitled:

An Act reenacting and amending the act of November 29, 1967 (P. L. 636, No. 292), entitled "Neighborhood Assistance Act," to further provide for and encourage reinvestment by business and industry in neighborhoods.

Which was committed to the Committee on Urban Affairs and Housing.

Senators ROMANELLI and PRICE presented to the Chair **SB 1093**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of May 21, 1931 (P. L. 149, No. 105), entitled, as amended, "The Liquid Fuels Tax Act," further providing for the timeliness of applications for certain refunds to political subdivisions.

Which was committed to the Committee on Finance.

Senators DWYER, STAPLETON, STOUT, MOORE, ORLANDO, HOPPER, REIBMAN, MURRAY, HAGER and O'PAKE presented to the Chair **SB 1094**, entitled:

An Act providing additional funds to an agency of the Executive Department for bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal period ending June 30, 1979.

Which was committed to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senators DWYER, MESSINGER, REIBMAN, LINCOLN, MURRAY, HAGER, O'PAKE and GREENLEAF presented to the Chair **SB 1095**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 18, 1974 (P. L. 483, No. 174), entitled "The Institutional Assistance Grants Act," further clarifying grants and making an appropriation.

Which was committed to the Committee on Education.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

RECESS ADJOURNMENT

Senator SCANLON offered the following resolution, which was read, considered and adopted:

In the Senate, November 13, 1979.

RESOLVED, (the House of Representatives concurring), That when the Senate adjourns this week it reconvene on Tuesday, November 27, 1979 unless sooner recalled by the President Pro Tempore and when the House of Representatives adjourns this week it reconvene on Tuesday, November 27, 1979 unless sooner recalled by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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

RECESS

Senator SCANLON. Mr. President, I request a recess of the Senate until 3:30 p.m., for the purpose of holding a Democratic caucus and a Republican caucus.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Are there any objections? The Chair hears no objection, and declares a recess of the Senate until 3:30 p.m., Eastern Standard Time.

AFTER RECESS

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. The time of recess having elapsed, the Senate will be in order.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR

NOMINATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

The Secretary to the Governor being introduced, presented communications in writing from His Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which were read as follows, and referred to the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations:

CORONER IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF PERRY

November 13, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Stephen W. Barninger, 403 North Market Street, Duncannon 17020, Perry County, Thirty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as Coroner in and for the County of Perry, to serve until the first Monday of January, 1980, vice Eugene Shoop, deceased.

DICK THORNBURGH.

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, LAWRENCE COUNTY

November 13, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate William Russell Balph, Jr., Esquire, Kingswood Road, New Castle 16105, Lawrence County, Twenty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, of the Fifty-third Judicial District of Pennsylvania, composed of the County of Lawrence, to serve until the first Monday of January, 1982, vice The Honorable John F. Henderson, P. J., resigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, LAWRENCE COUNTY

November 13, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Glenn McCracken, Jr., Esquire, R. D. #1, New Wilmington 16142, Lawrence County, Twenty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, of the Fifty-third Judicial District of Pennsylvania, composed of the County of Lawrence, to serve until the first Monday of January, 1980, vice The Honorable Howard W. Lyon, Deceased.

DICK THORNBURGH.

**MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF
PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS**

November 13, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Elmo M. Clemente, C.P.A., 669 Charles Avenue, Kingston 18704, Luzerne County, Twentieth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Examiners of Public Accountants, to serve for a term of four years and until his successor is appointed and qualified, vice Irving Yaverbaum, C.P.A., Harrisburg, deceased.

DICK THORNBURGH.

TREASURER, YORK COUNTY

November 13, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Betty J. Kinports, 1940 North Sherman Street, York, Springettsbury Township 17402, York County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Treasurer in and for the County of York, to serve until the first Monday of January, 1980, vice Alvin H. Hollander, York, resigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

**RECALL COMMUNICATION
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE**

He also presented communication in writing from His Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which was read as follows, and referred to the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations:

DISTRICT JUSTICE

November 13, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated August 28, 1979, for the appointment of Wilson Richard Holtzman, 424 Maclay Avenue, Lewisburg 17837, Union County, Twenty-seventh Senatorial District, for appointment as District Justice in and for the County of Union, Class 3, District 01, to serve until the first Monday of January, 1980, vice Paul S. Crow, Mandatory Retirement.

I respectfully request the return to me of the official message of nomination in the premises.

DICK THORNBURGH.

CALENDAR

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE

BILL OVER IN ORDER

HB 177 — Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator SCANLON.

BILL ON CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

BILL OVER IN ORDER

SB 276 — Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator SCANLON.

FINAL PASSAGE CALENDAR

RECONSIDERATION OF SB 261

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AMENDED

SB 261 (Pr. No. 263) — Senator KURY. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed on third consideration.

The motion was agreed to.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration?

Senator KURY, by unanimous consent, offered the following amendments:

Amend Sec. 3, page 3, line 1, by inserting after "dollars.": Any board, commission, council, committee or other organizational unit established within a department shall be reviewed and evaluated at the same time as the department and may be terminated as provided in section 7.

Amend Sec. 4, page 3, line 5, by inserting a period after "effectiveness"

Amend Sec. 4, page 3, line 5, by striking out "according to the" and inserting: The review and evaluation shall be conducted during the fiscal years beginning on the dates indicated in the

Amend Sec. 4, page 3, line 11, by striking out all of said line and inserting: Office of Administration

Amend Sec. 4, page 3, lines 21 and 22, by striking out both of said lines and inserting:

Department of Revenue
Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency

Amend Sec. 4, page 4, line 7, by striking out all of said line and inserting: State Harness Racing Commission

Amend Sec. 4, page 4, line 13, by striking out all of said line

Amend Sec. 4, page 4, line 14, by striking out "Arbitration and"

Amend Sec. 4, page 4, line 19, by striking out all of said line

Amend Sec. 4, page 4, lines 20 and 21, by striking out both of said lines and inserting:

Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency
Department of Aging

Amend Sec. 6, page 6, line 4, by striking out "may," and inserting: shall,

Amend Sec. 6, page 6, line 5, by striking out "or individually,"

Amend Sec. 6, page 6, line 10, by inserting after "hearing.": The chairmen of the standing committees shall act as co-chairmen of the hearings.

Amend Sec. 6, page 6, line 17, by striking out "modification"

Amend Sec. 6, page 6, line 18, by inserting after "termination": in whole or in part

Amend Sec. 6, page 6, lines 18 through 22, by striking out "Such report must be adopted by" in line 18, all of lines 19 through 22 and inserting: The report may also include recommendations regarding changes in administrative procedures, changes in rules and regulations and changes in laws.

Amend Sec. 7, page 6, line 24, by striking out "Every" and inserting: At the conclusion of its review and evaluation year, every

Amend Sec. 7, page 6, lines 25 and 26, by striking out "terminated at the conclusion of its review and evaluation year" and inserting: continued for a six-year period

Amend Sec. 7, page 6, lines 26 and 27, by striking out "modified or continued for a six-year period" and inserting: terminated in whole or in part

Amend Sec. 7, page 6, line 27, by removing the period after "Assembly" and inserting: or by adoption of a concurrent resolution.

Amend Sec. 7, page 6, line 28, by striking out "modified or continued" and inserting: terminated in whole or in part

Amend Bill, page 7, by inserting between lines 14 and 15:

Section 11. Repeals.

The following parts of acts are repealed to the extent they are inconsistent herewith:

Section 11, act of June 20, 1978 (P. L. 477, No. 70), entitled "An act amending the act of April 9, 1979 (P. L. 177, No. 175), entitled 'An act providing for and reorganizing the conduct of the executive and administrative work of the Commonwealth by the Executive Department thereof and the administrative departments, boards, commissions, and officers thereof, including the boards of trustees of State Normal Schools, or Teachers Colleges; abolishing, creating, reorganizing or authorizing the reorganization of certain administrative departments, boards, and commissions; defining the powers and duties of the Governor and other executive and administrative officers, and of the several administrative departments, boards, commissions, and officers; fixing the salaries of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and certain other executive and administrative officers; providing for the appointment of certain administrative officers, and of all deputies and other assistants and employes in certain departments, boards, and commissions; and prescribing the manner in which the number and compensation of the deputies and all other assistants and employes of certain departments, boards and commissions shall be determined,' creating the Department of Aging and prescribing its functions, powers and duties."

Section 12, act of November 22, 1978 (P. L. 1166, No. 274), entitled "An act establishing the Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency, providing for its powers and duties establishing several advisory committees within the commission and providing for their powers and duties."

Amend Sec. 11, page 7, line 15, by striking out "11." and inserting: 12.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

Without objection, the bill, as amended, was passed over in its order at the request of Senator KURY.

THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

BILL REREPORTED FROM COMMITTEE AS AMENDED ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

SB 915 (Pr. No. 1274) — Considered the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49

Andrews,	Hankins,	Loeper,	Price,
Arlene,	Hess,	Lynch,	Reibman,
Bell,	Holl,	Manbeck,	Romanelli,

Bodack,	Hopper,	McKinney,	Ross,
Coppersmith,	Howard,	Mellow,	Scanlon,
Corman,	Jubelirer,	Messinger,	Schaefer,
Dwyer,	Kelley,	Moore,	Smith,
Early,	Kury,	Murray,	Snyder,
Fumo,	Kusse,	O'Connell,	Stapleton,
Gekas,	Lewis,	O'Pake,	Stauffer,
Greenleaf,	Lincoln,	Orlando,	Stout,
Gurzenda,	Lloyd,	Pecora,	Tilghman,
Hager,			

NAYS—0

A constitutional majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AMENDED

SB 1 (Pr. No. 667) — Considered the third time,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration?

Senator SMITH, by unanimous consent, offered the following amendments:

Amend Title, page 1, line 9 by striking out all of said line and inserting: removing certain liens imposed for assistance payments.

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 4), page 1, line 18 by inserting after "lien": for the expenses of any assistance

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 4), page 1, line 20 by inserting after "property": comprising the home of any individual or his spouse

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 4), page 1, line 21 by inserting after "property": comprising the home

Amend Sec. 3, page 2, line 17 by striking out "July 1, 1979." and inserting: immediately.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

Without objection, the bill, as amended, was passed over in its order at the request of Senator SMITH.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 118 (Pr. No. 2394) — Considered the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

(During the calling of the roll, the following occurred:)

Senator KURY. Mr. President, I would like to change my vote from "no" to "aye."

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. The gentleman will be so recorded.

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—49

Andrews,	Hankins,	Loeper,	Price,
Arlene,	Hess,	Lynch,	Reibman,

Bell,	Holl,	Manbeck,	Romanelli,
Bodack,	Hopper,	McKinney,	Ross,
Coppersmith,	Howard,	Mellow,	Scanlon,
Corman,	Jubelirer,	Messinger,	Schaefer,
Dwyer,	Kelley,	Moore,	Smith,
Early,	Kury,	Murray,	Snyder,
Fumo,	Kusse,	O'Connell,	Stapleton,
Gekas,	Lewis,	O'Pake,	Stauffer,
Greenleaf,	Lincoln,	Orlando,	Stout,
Gurzenda,	Lloyd,	Pecora,	Tilghman,
Hager,			

NAYS—0

A constitutional majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 144, 260, 355, 445 and 487 — Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator SCANLON.

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 552 (Pr. No. 2432) — Considered the third time,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration?

Senator ROMANELLI, by unanimous consent, offered the following amendments:

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 403), page 2, line 4, by inserting a period after "CHILDREN"

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 403), page 2, lines 4 and 5 by striking out "WITHIN THE PREVIOUS FIVE YEARS."

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 403), page 2, line 5, by removing the period after "YEARS" and inserting:

: Provided, however, That general assistance payments shall not be terminated for any full-time student enrolled at a college or university on the effective date of this act who is actively and continuously pursuing a full-time course of study leading to an undergraduate degree.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendments?

Senator ROMANELLI. Mr. President, the first amendment is to remove the five-year limit. Under this amendment, if the student ever received aid to dependent children, they would continue to receive general assistance.

The second amendment is a grandfather clause and under this amendment, students currently enrolled in an undergraduate degree granting program could continue to receive general assistance until the completion of their degree.

Mr. President, I ask the adoption of these amendments.

Senator STAUFFER. Mr. President, I rise to oppose the amendments offered by the gentleman from Allegheny, Senator Romanelli. My opposition is not based on merit or debate re-

garding the amendments themselves but on the fact that House Bill No. 552 is on the tenth day. If we were to amend the bill, it would mean it would go off the Calendar. I would also suggest that the issue before us is a clear-cut one. We should vote it today as part of the package that we plan to vote. For that reason, Mr. President, I would ask the Members to oppose the amendments.

Senator ROMANELLI. Mr. President, if either one of the two or both amendments are entered into the bill, we can table the bill and vote it tomorrow.

Mr. President, I request a roll call vote.

Senator HAGER. Mr. President, although the gentleman from Chester, Senator Stauffer, did not choose to debate the merits of the amendments, I very gladly will. It seems to me what we are really doing is saying to a number of students who should not be getting this in the first place, we are going to let you go ahead and get it, although we are going to deny it to all others. It seems to me that is a very bad mistake. I would recommend a "no" vote on the amendments.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the amendments?

(During the calling of the roll, the following occurred:)

Senator MCKINNEY. Mr. President, having voted under a misapprehension, I would like to change my vote from "no" to "aye."

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. The gentleman will be so recorded.

The yeas and nays were required by Senator ROMANELLI and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—14

Arlene,	Lewis,	McKinney,	Romanelli,
Bodack,	Lincoln,	Murray,	Scanlon,
Coppersmith,	Lloyd,	O'Pake,	Smith,
Hankins,	Lynch,		

NAYS—35

Andrews,	Hager,	Loeper,	Reibman,
Bell,	Hess,	Manbeck,	Ross,
Corman,	Holl,	Mellow,	Schaefer,
Dwyer,	Hopper,	Messinger,	Snyder,
Early,	Howard,	Moore,	Stapleton,
Fumo,	Jubelirer,	O'Connell,	Stauffer,
Gekas,	Kelley,	Orlando,	Stout,
Greenleaf,	Kury,	Pecora,	Tilghman,
Gurzenda,	Kusse,	Price,	

Less than a majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the negative.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration?

It was agreed to.

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of

the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—41

Bell,	Hopper,	Lynch,	Price,
Coppersmith,	Howard,	Manbeck,	Reibman,
Dwyer,	Jubelirer,	Mellow,	Ross,
Early,	Kelley,	Messinger,	Schaefer,
Fumo,	Kury,	Moore,	Smith,
Gekas,	Kusse,	Murray,	Snyder,
Greenleaf,	Lewis,	O'Connell,	Stapleton,
Gurzenda,	Lincoln,	O'Pake,	Stauffer,
Hager,	Lloyd,	Orlando,	Stout,
Hess,	Loeper,	Pecora,	Tilghman,
Holl,			

NAYS—8

Andrews,	Bodack,	Hankins,	Romanelli,
Arlene,	Corman,	McKinney,	Scanlon,

A constitutional majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

SB 579 (Pr. No. 1157) — Considered the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—45

Andrews,	Hess,	Loeper,	Reibman,
Bell,	Holl,	Lynch,	Romanelli,
Bodack,	Hopper,	Manbeck,	Ross,
Coppersmith,	Howard,	Mellow,	Scanlon,
Corman,	Jubelirer,	Messinger,	Schaefer,
Dwyer,	Kelley,	Moore,	Smith,
Early,	Kury,	Murray,	Snyder,
Fumo,	Kusse,	O'Connell,	Stapleton,
Gekas,	Lewis,	O'Pake,	Stauffer,
Greenleaf,	Lincoln,	Orlando,	Stout,
Gurzenda,	Lloyd,	Pecora,	Tilghman,
Hager,			

NAYS—4

Arlene,	Hankins,	McKinney,	Price,
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A constitutional majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

After announcement of vote, Senator LLOYD changed his vote from "aye" to "no."

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

PERMISSION TO ADDRESS SENATE

Senator LLOYD asked and obtained unanimous consent to address the Senate.

Senator LLOYD. Mr. President, I inadvertently voted for Senate Bill 579 under a misapprehension, no doubt to the delight of some of my colleagues. I would like it to be known that I would have voted "no" on Senate Bill No. 579.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. The record will so show.

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

SB 581 (Pr. No. 1277) — Considered the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—45

Andrews,	Hess,	Lynch,	Reibman,
Bell,	Holl,	Manbeck,	Romanelli,
Bodack,	Hopper,	Mellow,	Ross,
Coppersmith,	Howard,	Messinger,	Scanlon,
Corman,	Jubelirer,	Moore,	Schaefer,
Dwyer,	Kelley,	Murray,	Smith,
Early,	Kury,	O'Connell,	Snyder,
Fumo,	Kusse,	O'Pake,	Stapleton,
Gekas,	Lewis,	Orlando,	Stauffer,
Greenleaf,	Lincoln,	Pecora,	Stout,
Gurzenda,	Loeper,	Price,	Tilghman,
Hager,			

NAYS—4

Arlene,	Hankins,	Lloyd,	McKinney,
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A constitutional majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

SB 587 (Pr. No. 619) — Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—45

Andrews,	Hess,	Lynch,	Reibman,
Bell,	Holl,	Manbeck,	Romanelli,
Bodack,	Hopper,	Mellow,	Ross,
Coppersmith,	Howard,	Messinger,	Scanlon,
Corman,	Jubelirer,	Moore,	Schaefer,
Dwyer,	Kelley,	Murray,	Smith,
Early,	Kury,	O'Connell,	Snyder,
Fumo,	Kusse,	O'Pake,	Stapleton,
Gekas,	Lewis,	Orlando,	Stauffer,
Greenleaf,	Lincoln,	Pecora,	Stout,
Gurzenda,	Loeper,	Price,	Tilghman,
Hager,			

NAYS—4

Arlene,	Hankins,	Lloyd,	McKinney,
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A constitutional majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

SB 588 (Pr. No. 620) — Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—44

Andrews,	Hager,	Loeper,	Reibman,
Bell,	Hess,	Lynch,	Romanelli,
Bodack,	Holl,	Manbeck,	Ross,
Coppersmith,	Hopper,	Mellow,	Scanlon,
Corman,	Howard,	Messinger,	Schaefer,
Dwyer,	Jubelirer,	Moore,	Smith,
Early,	Kelley,	Murray,	Snyder,
Fumo,	Kury,	O'Connell,	Stapleton,
Gekas,	Kusse,	O'Pake,	Stauffer,
Greenleaf,	Lewis,	Orlando,	Stout,
Gurzenda,	Lincoln,	Pecora,	Tilghman,

NAYS—5

Arlene,	Lloyd,	McKinney,	Price,
Hankins,			

A constitutional majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

SB 589 (Pr. No. 1159) — Considered the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

Senator BELL. Mr. President, Senate Bill No. 589 worries me because right now if someone is convicted of a crime and they get a suspended sentence, they can still be given food to eat and medical care. I do not see why this one crime should be made a token, why people who would be guilty of much more heinous crimes and turned loose on suspended sentences, why they should be permitted to receive welfare help, but if they sign a false statement for welfare payment, they do not eat and they die because they do not get any Medicare.

Therefore, Mr. President, I am voting "no."

And the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—40

Andrews,	Hager,	Loeper,	Pecora,
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Bodack,	Hess,	Lynch,	Ross,
Coppersmith,	Holl,	Manbeck,	Scanlon,
Corman,	Hopper,	Mellow,	Schaefer,
Dwyer,	Howard,	Messinger,	Smith,
Early,	Kelley,	Moore,	Snyder,
Fumo,	Kury,	Murray,	Stapleton,
Gekas,	Kusse,	O'Connell,	Stauffer,
Greenleaf,	Lewis,	O'Pake,	Stout,
Gurzenda,	Lincoln,	Orlando,	Tilghman,

NAYS—9

Arlene,	Jubelirer,	McKinney,	Reibman,
Bell,	Lloyd,	Price,	Romanelli,
Hankins,			

A constitutional majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AMENDED

SB 604 (Pr. No. 636) — Considered the third time,

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

Senator STAUFFER, by unanimous consent, offered the following amendments:

Amend Title, page 1, line 5, by removing the period after "programs" and inserting: and providing for their adoption.

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 1502), page 2, by inserting between lines 11 and 12:

Whenever the township shall undertake community development programs, it shall prepare a community development proposal. The proposal shall be in conformance with a comprehensive general plan for the community development area which plan shall have been developed by the municipal planning commission or the township commissioners in those townships which have no planning commission. The community development area plan shall include, without being limited to, the following:

(1) The boundaries of the area, with a map showing the existing uses of the real property therein.

(2) A land use plan of the area showing the proposed uses following community development.

(3) Standards of population densities, land coverage and building intensities in the proposed community development area.

(4) A preliminary site plan of the area.

(5) A statement of the proposed changes, if any, in zoning ordinances or maps.

(6) A statement of any proposed changes in street layouts, street levels and proposed traffic regulations, including the separation or exclusion of vehicular traffic partially or totally from pedestrian traffic.

(7) A statement of the extent and effect of rehousing of families which may be made necessary from the community development area plan and the manner in which such housing may be accomplished.

(8) A statement of the estimated cost of acquisition of any portions of the community development area which are to be

acquired and of all other costs necessary to prepare the area for community development.

(9) A statement of such continuing controls as may be deemed necessary to effectuate the purposes of this act.

No property may be acquired pursuant to these provisions unless such property shall fall within a community development area or unless such property shall be blighted property as defined in section 12.1 of the act of May 25, 1945 (P. L. 991, No. 385), known as the "Urban Redevelopment Law."

In conformity with such community development area plan, the township commissioners shall prepare a proposal for development of all or part of such area. They may, if they deem it desirable, hold public hearings prior to its final determination of the community development proposal.

The township commissioners shall submit the development proposal to the municipal planning commission for review. In the event that there is no municipal planning commission, the plan shall be submitted to the county planning commission for review. The planning commission shall, within forty-five days, certify to the township commissioners its recommendations on the community development proposal, which recommendations shall include either approval, rejection, or modification and in the event of a recommendation of modification, shall include a specification of the changes.

Upon receipt of the planning commission's recommendation or at the expiration of forty-five days, if no recommendation is made by the planning commission, the township commissioners shall hold a public hearing on the proposal. Notice as to the time, place and purpose of such hearing shall be published at least once each week for three consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in the township, the time of the hearing to be at least ten days from the last date of publication of notice. The notice shall describe the portion of the community development area affected by the proposal by boundaries and by blocks, street and house number. The community development proposal with such maps, plans, contracts or other documents as form part of said proposal, together with the recommendations, if any, of the planning commission and the supporting data shall be available for public inspection for at least ten days prior to the hearing.

At the hearing, the township commissioners shall afford an opportunity to all persons or agencies interested in being heard and shall receive, make known, to consider recommendations in writing with reference to the community development proposal.

The township commissioners shall not approve a community development proposal unless they are satisfied that adequate provisions will be made to rehouse displaced families, if any, without undue hardship.

Upon approval by the township commissioners of the community development proposal, the township is authorized to take such action as may be necessary to carry it out.

The community development proposal may contain the form of a community development contract with a developer selected and upon approval of the township commissioners of the pro-

posal, the township is authorized to execute the said contract. If the proposal does not contain the form of the development contract with the developer selected, the township shall not execute a contract thereafter selected until such said contract shall have been approved by the township commissioners and found to be in substantial conformity with the proposal theretofore approved by the township commissioners.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

Without objection, the bill, as amended, was passed over in its order at the request of Senator STAUFFER.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 605, 606, 607 and 608 — Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator ROSS.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AMENDED

SB 776 (Pr. No. 1221) — Considered the third time,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration?

Senator PRICE, by unanimous consent, offered the following amendments:

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 8105), page 1, line 9, by inserting after "judgment": against State or local government

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 8105), page 1, line 10, by inserting after "judgment": entered against any State or local governmental entity, which is

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 8105), page 1, line 11, by inserting after "record": and a new trial granted

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 8105), page 2, line 5, by inserting a comma after "IF"

Amend Sec. 1 (Sec. 8105), page 2, line 6, by inserting after "JUDGMENT": against any State or local governmental entity,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendments?

They were agreed to.

Without objection, the bill, as amended, was passed over in its order at the request of Senator PRICE.

BILL OVER IN ORDER

SB 966 — Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator SCANLON.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

SB 999 (Pr. No. 1295) — Considered the third time and agreed to,

And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48

Andrews,	Hager,	Lloyd,	Pecora,
Arlene,	Hankins,	Loeper,	Price,
Bell,	Hess,	Lynch,	Reibman,
Bodack,	Holl,	Manbeck,	Romanelli,
Coppersmith,	Hopper,	McKinney,	Ross,
Corman,	Howard,	Mellow,	Scanlon,
Dwyer,	Jubelirer,	Messinger,	Smith,
Early,	Kelley,	Moore,	Snyder,
Fumo,	Kury,	Murray,	Stapleton,
Gekas,	Kusse,	O'Connell,	Stauffer,
Greenleaf,	Lewis,	O'Pake,	Stout,
Gurzenda,	Lincoln,	Orlando,	Tilghman,

NAYS—1

Schaefer,

A constitutional majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 1066, HB 1068 and 1069 — Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator SCANLON.

The PRESIDING OFFICER (H. Craig Lewis) in the Chair.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

Senator FUMO, by unanimous consent, from the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations, reported the following nominations, made by His Excellency, the Governor, which were read by the Clerk as follows:

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

October 30, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate James H. Cawley, Esquire, 7 Eastgate Drive, Camp Hill 17011, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, for the residue of the term ending April 1, 1981, vice Louis J. Carter, Esquire, Philadelphia, resigned.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

July 11, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Susan M. Shanaman, Esquire, 6226 Westover Drive, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, for the residue of the term ending April 1, 1983, vice Mrs. Helen Bohlen O'Bannon, Pittsburgh.

DICK THORNBURGH.

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

October 30, 1979.

To the Honorable, the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate Linda C. Taliaferro, Esquire, 500 East Bruceton Road, Suite 323, Pittsburgh 15236, Allegheny County, Forty-fifth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, for the residue of the term ending April 1, 1989, vice Robert K. Bloom, Mechanicsburg, whose term expired.

DICK THORNBURGH.

EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion was made by Senator FUMO,

That the Senate do now resolve itself into Executive Session for the purpose of considering certain nominations made by the Governor.

Which was agreed to.

CONSIDERATION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

Senator FUMO asked and obtained unanimous consent for immediate consideration of the nominations made by His Excellency, the Governor, and reported from committee at today's Session.

NOMINATION TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator FUMO. Mr. President, I call from the table for consideration the nomination reported from committee today and previously read by the Clerk for Linda C. Taliaferro, Esquire, as a member of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

On the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the nomination?

The yeas and nays were required by Senator FUMO and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—38

Andrews,	Holl,	Manbeck,	Romanelli,
Arlene,	Howard,	McKinney,	Ross,
Bodack,	Jubelirer,	Messinger,	Scanlon,
Coppersmith,	Kelley,	Moore,	Schaefer,
Corman,	Kury,	Murray,	Smith,
Dwyer,	Kusse,	O'Connell,	Snyder,
Gekas,	Lewis,	Pecora,	Stapleton,
Gurzenda,	Lincoln,	Price,	Stauffer,
Hager,	Loeper,	Reibman,	Tilghman,
Hankins,	Lynch,		

NAYS—11

Bell,	Greenleaf,	Lloyd,	Orlando,
Early,	Hess,	Mellow,	Stout,
Fumo,	Hopper,	O'Pake,	

A constitutional two-thirds majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Governor be informed accordingly.

NOMINATION TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator FUMO. Mr. President, I call from the table for consideration the nomination reported from committee today and previously read by the Clerk for Susan M. Shanaman, Esquire, as a member of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

On the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the nomination?

The yeas and nays were required by Senator FUMO and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—46

Andrews,	Hankins,	Manbeck,	Reibman,
Arlene,	Hess,	McKinney,	Romanelli,
Bell,	Holl,	Mellow,	Ross,
Bodack,	Hopper,	Messinger,	Scanlon,
Coppersmith,	Howard,	Moore,	Schaefer,
Corman,	Jubelirer,	Murray,	Smith,
Dwyer,	Kelley,	O'Connell,	Snyder,
Fumo,	Kury,	O'Pake,	Stapleton,
Gekas,	Kusse,	Orlando,	Stauffer,
Greenleaf,	Lincoln,	Pecora,	Stout,
Gurzenda,	Loeper,	Price,	Tilghman,
Hager,	Lynch,		

NAYS—3

Early,	Lewis,	Lloyd,
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A constitutional two-thirds majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Governor be informed accordingly.

NOMINATION TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator FUMO. Mr. President, I call from the table for consideration the nomination reported from committee today and previously read by the Clerk for James H. Cawley, Esquire, as a member of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

On the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the nomination?

The yeas and nays were required by Senator FUMO and were as follows, viz:

YEAS—48

Andrews,	Hankins,	Loeper,	Price,
Arlene,	Hess,	Lynch,	Reibman,
Bell,	Holl,	Manbeck,	Romanelli,
Bodack,	Hopper,	McKinney,	Ross,
Coppersmith,	Howard,	Mellow,	Scanlon,
Corman,	Jubelirer,	Messinger,	Schaefer,
Dwyer,	Kelley,	Moore,	Smith,
Fumo,	Kury,	Murray,	Snyder,
Gekas,	Kusse,	O'Connell,	Stapleton,
Greenleaf,	Lewis,	O'Pake,	Stauffer,
Gurzenda,	Lincoln,	Orlando,	Stout,
Hager,	Lloyd,	Pecora,	Tilghman,

NAYS—1

Early,

A constitutional two-thirds majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Governor be informed accordingly.

PERMISSION TO ADDRESS SENATE

Senator EARLY asked and obtained unanimous consent to address the Senate.

Senator EARLY. Mr. President, in fairness I would like to take this opportunity to explain my negative vote. It is certainly out of character for me to vote "no" on nominations to the PUC.

Mr. President, I go back to when Herbert Denenberg was defeated, receiving only twenty-two votes. I voted in the affirmative.

Helen O'Bannon was confirmed, and I voted in the affirmative.

Michael Johnson passed. I voted in the affirmative.

Wilson Goode passed, was confirmed and I voted in the affirmative.

Robert Bloom, unfortunately, went down in defeat and I voted for him.

Joseph Cosetti, unfortunately, went down in defeat and I voted for him. Of all the ones that the Governors, and that is both Governor Shapp and Governor Thornburgh have sent over, I voted in the affirmative for all except one, and that was Philip Kalodner.

Mr. President, today I voted against all three nominations of Governor Thornburgh. I voted "no" because I think it is shameful that we in the Senate, after having an opportunity to vote for individuals that I just enumerated, and voting against them, we then vote for individuals who have been closely aligned with either the Democratic or the Republican party.

Mr. President, twenty years ago, thirty years ago, when the Public Utility Commission was not as important as it is today, and I say that Mr. President, because twenty, thirty years ago, individuals were not in a crisis situation. It is no secret that some individuals this winter will have an opportunity of making a choice of either eating or purchasing heat.

Mr. President, with this as important as it is, unfortunately we in the Senate decided to play politics. We played politics by voting down individuals who were immensely qualified for the positions, only to find out that those who are closely aligned with either the Democratic Party or the Republican Party could get the sufficient votes to pass.

So, Mr. President, I think that we in the Senate today show that we can play hard ball when it comes to politics and we did an excellent job of it. I think we did that at the expense of the people of the State of Pennsylvania. Mr. President, I voted "no" and as you well know all three were confirmed. I think it is a shame because we had excellent individuals who could have been there long before today who were tremendously qualified.

EXECUTIVE SESSION RISES

Senator FUMO. Mr. President, I move that the Executive Session do now rise.

The motion was agreed to.

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED

SECOND CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

SB 478 (Pr. No. 1244) — Considered the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third consideration.

BILL OVER IN ORDER

HB 485 — Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator SCANLON.

BILL REREFERRED

SB 542 (Pr. No. 1257) — Upon motion of Senator SCANLON, and agreed to, the bill was rereferred to the Committee on Appropriations.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

HB 630 (Pr. No. 1858) — Considered the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third consideration.

BILL OVER IN ORDER

SB 667 — Without objection the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator SCANLON.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

SB 825 (Pr. No. 1275) — Considered the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third consideration.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION AMENDED

SB 826 (Pr. No. 1276) — The bill was considered.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on second consideration?

Senator KUSSE offered the following amendment and, if agreed to, asked that the bill be considered for the second time:

Amend Sec. 2 (Sec. 506), page 8, lines 2 through 4, by striking out "not made for items declared" in line 2, all of line 3, and "Urban Development pursuant to" in line 4, and inserting: of the type that would be insurable under

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on second consideration, as amended?

It was agreed to.

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third consideration.

BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

HB 830 (Pr. No. 2373) and **SB 869 (Pr. No. 990)** — Considered the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third consideration.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 924 and **985** — Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator SCANLON.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

SB 1005 (Pr. No. 1185) — Considered the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be transcribed for a third consideration.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 1019, HB 1177, 1211 and **1531** — Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator SCANLON.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore (Martin L. Murray) in the Chair.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

Senator MCKINNEY, from the Committee on State Government, reported, as committed, **HB 601** and **855**.

Senator LEWIS, from the Committee on Local Government, reported, as amended, **SB 986**.

CONGRATULATORY RESOLUTIONS

The PRESIDENT pro tempore laid before the Senate the following resolutions, which were read, considered and adopted:

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to The Right Reverend Monsignor Francis S. Mussari by Senator Murray.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. James C. Weaver by Senator Moore.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. James Sherron and to Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. McAuley by Senator Stapleton.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Kilian Staab, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond R. Edwards and to Anthony J. "Honus" Dezort by Senator Early.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to the Chestnut Hill Hospital by Senator Price.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to the Reverend James McCracken, the members of the Union of Polish Women, Group 37, Reading and to Mayor Joseph P. Kuzminski by Senator O'Pake.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. James H. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Rowles and to Mr. and Mrs. Roy J. Cupp by Senator Corman.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to the Key Club of John H. Linton Intermediate High School by Senator Pecora.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Gray F. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Hamer Geiser, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene W. Cypher, Mr. and Mrs. Jennings T. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. John Mittermeier, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wise, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Deckerhoff, Mr. and Mrs. Rush G. Stuck, Sr., Margaret Laidig, the Blair Plant of Mead Products, Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Gates and to Mr. and Mrs. Victor Miller by Senator Jubelirer.

CONDOLENCE RESOLUTIONS

The PRESIDENT pro tempore laid before the Senate the following resolutions, which were read, considered and adopted:

Condolences of the Senate were extended to the family of the late Mamie Doud Eisenhower by Senator Moore.

Condolences of the Senate were extended to the wife of the late Bruce Crumm by Senator Jubelirer.

BILLS ON FIRST CONSIDERATION

Senator SCANLON. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now proceed to consideration of all bills reported from committees for the first time at today's Session.

The motion was agreed to.

The bills were as follows:

SB 986, HB 601 and 855.

And said bills having been considered for the first time,
Ordered, To be laid aside for second consideration.

PETITIONS AND REMONSTRANCES

Senator JUBELIRER. Mr. President, today we have voted to restore to the Public Utility Commission the full complement of Commissioners. This action is of great importance because with only two sitting Commissioners, the decision-making powers of the PUC were indeed impaired, a crisis is now relieved. Mr. President, there are several other aspects of this action which merit attention.

The field of utility regulation is particularly a troubled sector of State Government requiring regulators with foresight, personal integrity and balance of judgment. It is highly significant that the Governor has nominated and we have confirmed two Senate staff members to these positions of tremendous responsibility. It is in this area, Mr. President, that I significantly disagree with my esteemed colleague, the gentleman from Allegheny, Senator Early.

Mr. President, for too long we have labored under a cloud of criticism, charging that our support troops are nothing more than patronage hacks or incompetent cronies. Susan Shanaman and James Cawley lay this misbegotten theory to rest. The hearings the Committee on Consumer Affairs held on these nominees demonstrated that they, like many of their peers, are extremely bright and uniquely talented. They share an outlook, marked by keen perceptiveness and an enthusiasm for the future, certainly welcome traits in Harrisburg.

Mr. President, it has been a distinct privilege to have had Susan Shanaman serve as my legal counsel the past four years. She has contributed a great deal to my efforts and those of our caucus and she has worked in many, many instances with Senators on both sides of this aisle. I have been continually impressed by her sharp legal skills, her astute judgments, her insight into utility law and regulation; her sensitivity to the needs and concerns of ratepayers and taxpayers; her innate ability to balance the goals of opposing groups in achieving a reasonable and responsible solution to a vexing problem.

At the same time, Mr. President, we recognize the equally im-

mense talents and abilities of James Cawley. While those Senators he has worked for may speak better on his behalf, I personally will assert that he has been a credit to the Democratic caucus and has demonstrated that bipartisanship approach to problems solving we so badly need.

Mr. President, the contributions both he and Susan made toward shaping Act 215 and Act 216 will long be remembered by the Senators who worked for passage of those comprehensive reforms.

Finally, Mr. President, we have given our sanction to Linda Taliaferro. While I have not seen her in action, her experience and background certainly indicate that a third highly qualified person has been touted by the Governor and confirmed significantly by this Body.

Mr. President, there is one footnote to these observations. Since the vacancies were created and the Governor announced his nominations, we have received some unsolicited but disturbingly venomous advice from a self-appointed specialist on consumer interest. Said individual has referred to this Body as a "zoo" and I quote: "A shabby legislative Body far beyond any sort of redemption." Mr. President, surely this is not a reflection of his distaste for the rejection he met when he was nominated for this very high position.

Perhaps these descriptions were mild when compared to those applied to the nominees whom he labeled "turkeys" although he does not explain how one does, indeed, become a turkey. The Governor he has tagged as "humbug," no doubt after boning up on his Charles Dickens. Alas it is unfortunate that an allegedly responsible commentator runs out of adjectives and stoops to gutter level slang.

Even more unfortunate is that he chose to attack qualified people, excellently qualified people, in a childish manner without even the barest substantiation or minimal sense of fair play. However, Mr. President, we need not despair because the future performances of the trio we have confirmed are apt to, in his Thanksgiving terminology, pluck his credibility, baste his observation, roast his conclusions and stuff his turkey with crow rather than the traditional breadcrumbs.

When Christmas rolls around, Mr. President, perhaps Santa will be beneficent and drop a primer on responsible journalism in the critic's stocking, a volume he most assuredly needs.

Senator LLOYD. Mr. President, I rise to discuss briefly Senate Bill No. 579, which was passed today by this Body and at which point I did not debate because having worked aggressively for its defeat in both caucus and individually with Members of the other side of the aisle, I was unable to achieve that defeat.

I think it should be noted that Senate Bill No. 579, which we passed today, states if a welfare recipient is unable to work or take part in a training program because of alcohol or drug dependence and that person does not participate in an available drug treatment program, then that person will not qualify for welfare funds.

The reality of this type of situation is that if a father of five or six, which is often the case in welfare families, is suffering from alcoholism or drug addiction, according to this bill, his portion of that family's funds will be deleted in the monthly

welfare check. The reality, however, is that that person will not move out of that household, that those people left in that household will just have less money to work with for the same number of people. I do not think it is the responsible action for the Senate of Pennsylvania to fly this as the banner of welfare reform when legitimate welfare reform would be with regard to provider fraud which has been blatantly exposed by the gentleman from Berks, Senator O'Pake, and a special investigating committee for which there will be upcoming legislation.

I would just like to go on record that we are defrauding the people of Pennsylvania if we go back to our districts and indicate that this in any way represents true welfare reform.

Mr. President, I thank you for the opportunity to speak.

Senator MCKINNEY. Mr. President, I just rise to echo the sentiments that were so well put by my colleague, the gentleman from Blair, Senator Jubelirer. A lot of things I would have said, he has already said, particularly about Ms. Shanaman and Mr. Cawley. I worked with them a year and a half investigating the PUC along with the gentleman from Blair, Senator Jubelirer, the gentleman from Allegheny, Senator Early, and others. They did a tremendous job. Late hours at night; all over the city; rain, cold, what have you. They turned in a tremendous performance.

With Linda Taliaferro, I would like to say to her, "Happy Birthday." Today is her birthday and she could not receive a better birthday present than being confirmed on her birthday.

Senator BELL. Mr. President, I could not help but when I heard the gentleman from Blair, Senator Jubelirer, talk about that wonderful television commentator, radio commentator, and columnist in various newspapers, to refresh the memory of the Senate of Pennsylvania to an occasion about 116 years ago when the editor of the old Patriot and Union, a newspaper of this city, the predecessor of the present Harrisburg Patriot, covered the Gettysburg Address with this observation:

"We pass over the silly remarks of the President. For the credit of the nation, we are willing that the veil of oblivion shall be dropped over them and that they shall be no more repeated or thought of."

That was the remarks of the editor of the Patriot and Union as to the Gettysburg Address.

Senator SNYDER. Mr. President, I heard just part of the comments of the gentleman from Philadelphia, Senator Lloyd, on one of the welfare bills, and if I understood the gentleman correctly, he appears under the misapprehension that the drug and alcohol addicts would be removed from welfare. Let me add this. They would be removed only if they refuse treatment. I think it is only fair that if the State is going to support them, it has a certain right to require that they do their best to end their weaknesses. I think perhaps otherwise we are just feeding the habit, as it is said, and certainly that is a waste of public funds and indeed it is probably doing the person more harm than good. I think we have every right to say that if a person is going to receive welfare and drug or alcohol is their weakness, they should take the remedial steps that will get them out of that addiction and off welfare and back on the payrolls.

Senator PRICE. Mr. President, in addition to the comments which have been made by Senators regarding the public assist-

ance bills before us, I would like to add two observations.

Number one, we certainly cannot be all things to all people. The way I analyze House Bill No. 552, which would remove those students from receiving public assistance who have not been in a family receiving public assistance for the past five years, is that anyone in that position has the sufficient get up and go to make it on his or her own. I do not think that is what we have in mind when we talk about public assistance. Therefore, I voted for House Bill No. 552.

With respect to the remarks about Senate Bill No. 579, the gentleman from Philadelphia, Senator Lloyd, stated it as far as I am concerned, and that is that the family would suffer as a result of the head of the household not accepting treatment. In that regard, I think the public assistance program should help those who are unable to help themselves, namely, the family.

Finally, with respect to the penalties which were voted in other bills today which I supported, I think it is only justifiable and only right that we increase penalties for fraud in any area, whether it is public assistance or any other.

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SECRETARY

The following announcements were read by the Secretary of the Senate:

SENATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1979

- 9:00 A.M. CONSUMER AFFAIRS Senate Minority
to (Public Hearing on Senate Caucus Room
12:00 Noon Bill No. 1032)
- 9:30 A.M. PUBLIC HEALTH AND Senate Majority
WELFARE (Public Hear- Caucus Room
ing on Senate Bill No.
928)
- 10:30 A.M. LABOR AND INDUSTRY Room 286
(to consider Senate Bills
No. 135, 136, 699 and
895)
- 11:00 A.M. JUDICIARY (Public Hear- Supreme Court
ing on the nomination of Chamber
Kenneth G. Biehn, Es-
quire, for Judge to the
Court of Common Pleas)
- 12:30 P.M. INSURANCE (Public Hear- Senate Majority
ing on Senate Bill No. Caucus Room
937)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1979

- 9:30 A.M. PUBLIC HEALTH AND Senate Majority
WELFARE (Public Hear- Caucus Room
ing on Emergency Medical
Care on the Pennsylvania
Turnpike and in Pennsylv-
ania generally)

9:30 A.M. STATE GOVERNMENT (to consider the nominations of Hart Stotter for the Horse Racing Commission and William R. Davis for the Secretary of the Commonwealth) Senate Minority Caucus Room

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1979

9:30 A.M. CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES AND FEDERAL RELATIONS (Public Hearing on Constitutional Spending. — Taxation Limitations for Pennsylvania) Council Chambers, City Hall, Philadelphia, PA

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1979

10:00 A.M. Special Senate Committee on Medicaid Fraud (to consider Fraud and Abuse of the Medicaid Program) Council Chambers, City Hall, Philadelphia, PA

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1979

10:00 A.M. LABOR AND INDUSTRY (Public Hearing on the nomination of Charles J. Lieberth as Secretary of Labor and Industry) Senate Majority Caucus Room

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1979

1:00 P.M. PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE (Public Hearing on Senate Bill No. 770) Senate Majority Caucus Room

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1979

9:30 A.M. PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE (Public Hearing on Senate Bill No. 909) Senate Majority Caucus Room

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1979

9:00 A.M. ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES and CONSUMER AFFAIRS (Public Hearing regarding the Commonwealth's participation in the upcoming Energy Crisis Assistance Program) Senate Majority Caucus Room

ADJOURNMENT

Senator SCANLON. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now adjourn until Wednesday, November 14, 1979, at 1:00 p.m., Eastern Standard Time.

The motion was agreed to.

The Senate adjourned at 5:45 p.m., Eastern Standard Time.