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### **SENATE**

MONDAY, November 18, 2013

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

The PRESIDENT pro tempore (Senator Joseph B. Scarnati III) in the Chair.

#### **PRAYER**

The Chaplain, Reverend Dr. BRADLEY HAUFF, of All Saints' Episcopal Church, Philadelphia, offered the following prayer:

Let us pray.

Most Holy One of wisdom, grace, and love, we offer You thanks for the gift of this day, the talents and privileges that You have bestowed upon us, and the blessings of liberty that we enjoy in this great country, the United States of America, and in our beloved land, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. We ask that Your spirit be present in our discussions and in our decisions, that all we say and do will be in the interest of truth, justice, and righteousness. Make us Your servants, make us instruments of Your will and purpose for all. Grant that in our work, we will never forget those who are not in this room, those whom we represent, those who are at the heart of our government. Above all, we pray that peace and good will for all humankind will prevail. All of this we ask for the sake of Your love. Amen.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. The Chair thanks Reverend Dr. Hauff, who is the guest today of Senator Stack.

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR

#### RECALL COMMUNICATION REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

The PRESIDENT pro tempore laid before the Senate the following 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:

### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS

November 18, 2013

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 September 13, 2013, for the appointment of Mike Downing, 123 Stanford Court, Mechanicsburg 17050, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, as a member of the State Board of Barber Examiners, to serve for a term of three years and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Michael J. DeRiggi, Harmony, resigned.

I respectfully request the return to me of the official message of

nomination on the premises.

TOM CORBETT Governor

#### NOMINATIONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

The PRESIDENT pro tempore laid before the Senate the following 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:

#### MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF PARDONS

November 14, 2013

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. Williams, Jr., MD, MBA, 901 Glenbrook Avenue, Bryn Mawr 19010, Delaware County, Seventeenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Pardons, to serve until November 30, 2019, vice Russell A. Walsh, Ph.D., Cheswick, whose term will expire.

> TOM CORBETT Governor

# RECORDER OF DEEDS, REGISTER OF WILLS AND CLERK OF THE ORPHANS' COURT. **CLINTON COUNTY**

November 15, 2013

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, Stephanie Moore, 349 Orchard Road, Millerstown 17062, Juniata County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as Recorder of Deeds, Register of Wills and Clerk of the Orphans' Court, in and for the County of Clinton, to serve until the first Monday of January 2016, vice The Honorable Gail M. Gephart, resigned.

> TOM CORBETT Governor

# MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS

November 18, 2013

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, Joseph T. Ferruzza, 26 Academy Avenue, Apartment B-2, Pittsburgh 15228, Allegheny County, Thirty-seventh Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Barber Examiners, to serve for a term of three years and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Michael J. DeRiggi, Harmony, resigned.

# TOM CORBETT Governor

#### **HOUSE MESSAGES**

#### SENATE BILL RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate SB 731, with the information the House has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Pursuant to Senate Rule 13(c)(2)(i), the bill will be referred to the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations.

# HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE AMENDMENTS BY AMENDING SAID AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL

The Clerk of the House of Representatives informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate by amending said amendments to **HB 1098**, in which concurrence of the Senate is requested.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Pursuant to Senate Rule 13(c)(2)(i), this bill will be referred to the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations.

## HOUSE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE

The Clerk of the House of Representatives presented to the Senate the following bills for concurrence, which were referred to the committees indicated:

#### November 18, 2013

HB 112 and 710 -- Committee on Judiciary.

**HB 744** -- Committee on State Government.

**HB 982** -- Committee on Labor and Industry.

**HB 1341** and **1665** -- Committee on Transportation.

HB 1420 -- Committee on Public Health and Welfare.

### BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

The PRESIDENT pro tempore laid before the Senate the following Senate Bills numbered, entitled, and referred as follows, which were read by the Clerk:

#### November 15, 2013

Senators EICHELBERGER, BLAKE, ROBBINS, ERICKSON, WOZNIAK and WARD presented to the Chair **SB 1157**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 10, 1987 (P.L.246, No.47), known as the Municipalities Financial Recovery Act, further providing for title of act; providing for declaration of fiscal emergencies and receivership in municipalities; authorizing certain taxes; providing for disincorporation of municipalities and the establishment of unincorporated service districts; establishing the Unincorporated Service District Trust Fund; and making extensive amendments, additions and editorial changes.

Which was committed to the Committee on LOCAL GOV-ERNMENT, November 15, 2013.

Senators ROBBINS, EICHELBERGER, ERICKSON, WOZNIAK and BLAKE presented to the Chair **SB 1158**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of February 9, 1984 (P.L.3, No.2), known as the Deputy Sheriffs' Education and Training Act, further providing for title and short title of act and for definitions; renaming the Deputy Sheriffs' Education and Training Board and further providing for its duties; further providing for the training program and for continuing education; providing for sheriff training requirement; further providing for deputy sheriff training requirement; providing for revocation of certification; renaming the Deputy Sheriffs' Education and Training Account; and further providing for reimbursement to counties.

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, November 15, 2013.

Senators ERICKSON, WOZNIAK, RAFFERTY, PILEGGI and SOLOBAY presented to the Chair **SB 1162**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in general provisions, further providing for definitions; in contract carrier by motor vehicle and broker, further providing for declaration of policy and definitions; and providing for liability for commuter ride-sharing vehicles.

Which was committed to the Committee on CONSUMER PROTECTION AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, November 15, 2013.

Senators FOLMER, RAFFERTY, SCARNATI, WHITE, PILEGGI, HUTCHINSON, DINNIMAN, BRUBAKER and ARGALL presented to the Chair **SB 1169**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 24 (Education) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for definitions.

Which was committed to the Committee on FINANCE, November 15, 2013.

Senators LEACH, ERICKSON, SCHWANK, COSTA, HUGHES, DINNIMAN, BLAKE and FERLO presented to the Chair **SB** 1171, entitled:

An Act amending the act of November 30, 2004 (P.L.1672, No.213), known as the Alternative Energy Portfolio Standards Act, further providing for alternative energy portfolio standards and for portfolio requirements in other states.

Which was committed to the Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, November 15, 2013.

Senators WASHINGTON, KITCHEN, BREWSTER, COSTA, FONTANA, HUGHES, VULAKOVICH, WOZNIAK and TARTAGLIONE presented to the Chair **SB** 1172, entitled:

An Act amending act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), known as the Public Welfare Code, in public assistance, providing for placement screening.

Which was committed to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE, November 15, 2013.

Senators SCHWANK, BRUBAKER, COSTA, PILEGGI, TEPLITZ, ARGALL, GREENLEAF, YUDICHAK, RAFFER-TY, VULAKOVICH, YAW, SMITH, LEACH, EICHELBERGER, WHITE, SOLOBAY, DINNIMAN, FERLO, BREWSTER and VOGEL presented to the Chair **SB** 1173, entitled:

An Act amending the act of May 23, 1945 (P.L.913, No.367), known as the Engineer, Land Surveyor and Geologist Registration Law, expanding the scope of the act to include soil science; further providing for definitions; and providing for procedure for licensing as professional soil scientist.

Which was committed to the Committee on CONSUMER PROTECTION AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, November 15, 2013.

Senators HUTCHINSON, SCARNATI, FOLMER and WHITE presented to the Chair **SB 1174**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 27 (Environmental Resources) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, prohibiting certain surveillance.

Which was committed to the Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, November 15, 2013.

Senators WILLIAMS, TEPLITZ, ERICKSON, WAUGH, FOLMER, BROWNE and STACK presented to the Chair **SB 1175**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for restitution for costs and expenses of dismissal incurred by school districts.

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, November 15, 2013.

Senators STACK, FERLO, SMITH, BLAKE, TEPLITZ, LEACH, DINNIMAN, ALLOWAY and BOSCOLA presented to the Chair **SB 1176**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in other offenses, providing for the offense of declawing and devocalizing of animals on leased premises.

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, November 15, 2013.

Senators SCHWANK, COSTA, WASHINGTON, BRUBAKER, EICHELBERGER and TARTAGLIONE presented to the Chair **SB 1178**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), known as the Pennsylvania Election Code, further providing for definitions and for regulations in force at polling places.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOV-ERNMENT, November 15, 2013.

#### November 18, 2013

Senators WILLIAMS, FONTANA, COSTA, HUGHES, FARNESE and BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1166**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for definitions, for authority, for income eligibility and for tax deferral.

Which was committed to the Committee on FINANCE, November 18, 2013.

Senators SCARNATI, PILEGGI, YAW, VOGEL, DINNIMAN, SMITH, HUTCHINSON, BRUBAKER, WHITE, ALLOWAY, SOLOBAY and FOLMER presented to the Chair SB 1170, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in rules of the road in general, further providing for maximum speed limits and for alteration of maximum limits; and, in powers of department and local authorities, further providing for regulation of traffic on Pennsylvania Turnpike.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, November 18, 2013.

Senators STACK, TEPLITZ, COSTA, BREWSTER and FARNESE presented to the Chair **SB 1179**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in responsible utility customer protection, further providing for termination of utility service; providing for expiration of provisions; and making a related repeal.

Which was committed to the Committee on CONSUMER PROTECTION AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, November 18, 2013.

Senators VANCE, MENSCH, BAKER, WARD, STACK, GORDNER, VULAKOVICH, SOLOBAY, GREENLEAF, TOMLINSON, WAUGH, FERLO and BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1180**, entitled:

An Act providing for prescription drug monitoring; creating the Prescription Drug Monitoring Board; establishing the Achieving Better Care by Monitoring All Prescriptions Program; and providing for unlawful acts and penalties.

Which was committed to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE, November 18, 2013.

Senators VOGEL, PILEGGI, SCARNATI, TOMLINSON, McILHINNEY, VULAKOVICH and YAW presented to the Chair **SB** 1181, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176), known as The Fiscal Code, in additional special funds, further providing for the Pennsylvania Race Horse Development Fund.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, November 18, 2013.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant Governor Jim Cawley) in the Chair.

#### **GENERAL COMMUNICATION**

# INDEPENDENT FISCAL OFFICE'S FISCAL YEAR 2013-14 REVENUE ESTIMATES

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

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA Independent Fiscal Office Second Floor, Rachel Carson State Office Building 400 Market Street Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17105

November 15, 2013

The Honorable Joseph B. Scarnati, III President Pro Tempore Senate of Pennsylvania 291 Main Capitol Building Harrisburg, PA 17120

The Honorable Samuel H. Smith Speaker Pennsylvania House of Representatives 139 Main Capitol Building Harrisburg, PA 17120

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed please find a copy of the Independent Fiscal Office's assessment of the state's current fiscal condition and a projection of what the fiscal condition will be during the next five years. The enclosed report, entitled *Pennsylvania's Economic and Budget Outlook: Fiscal Years 2013-14 to 2018-19*, was produced in accordance with 71 Pa.C.S. §4104.

#### Sincerely,

MATTHEW J. KNITTEL Director

The PRESIDENT. This report will be filed in the Library.

#### **BILL SIGNED**

The PRESIDENT. The Chair wishes to announce that I have signed the following bill in the presence of the Senate:

HB 1128.

#### LEGISLATIVE LEAVES

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Delaware, Senator Pileggi.

Senator PILEGGI. Mr. President, I request a temporary Capitol leave for Senator McIlhinney, and legislative leaves for Senator Tomlinson and Senator Waugh.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Allegheny, Senator Costa.

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, I request legislative leaves for Senator Hughes and Senator Williams.

The PRESIDENT. Senator Pileggi requests a temporary Capitol leave for Senator McIlhinney, and legislative leaves for Senator Tomlinson and Senator Waugh.

Senator Costa requests legislative leaves for Senator Hughes and Senator Williams.

Without objection, the leaves will be granted.

# LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Senator PILEGGI asked and obtained leaves of absence for Senator FOLMER, and Senator GREENLEAF, for today's Session, for personal reasons.

# SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION WEEKLY RECESS

Senator PILEGGI offered the following resolution, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, November 18, 2013

RESOLVED, (the House of Representatives concurring), Pursuant to Article II, Section 14, of the Pennsylvania Constitution, that when the Senate recesses this week, it reconvene on Tuesday, December 3, 2013, unless sooner recalled by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate; and be it further

RESOLVED, Pursuant to Article II, Section 14 of the Pennsylvania Constitution that when the Senate recesses the week of December 3, 2013, it reconvene on Monday, December 9, 2013, unless sooner recalled by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate; and be it further

RESOLVED, Pursuant to Article II, Section 14, of the Pennsylvania Constitution, that when the House of Representatives recesses this week, it reconvene on Tuesday, December 9, 2013, unless sooner recalled by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

#### **YEA-48**

Alloway	Erickson	Pileggi	Vance
Argall	Farnese	Rafferty	Vogel
Baker	Ferlo	Robbins	Vulakovich
Blake	Fontana	Scarnati	Ward
Boscola	Gordner	Schwank	Washington
Brewster	Hughes	Smith	Waugh
Browne	Hutchinson	Smucker	White
Brubaker	Kasunic	Solobay	Wiley
Corman	Kitchen	Stack	Williams
Costa	Leach	Tartaglione	Wozniak
Dinniman	McIlhinney	Teplitz	Yaw
Eichelberger	Mensch	Tomlinson	Yudichak

## NAY-0

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

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

### GUESTS OF SENATOR MICHAEL J. STACK PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Philadelphia, Senator Stack.

Senator STACK. Mr. President, I am privileged to introduce Reverend Dr. Bradley Hauff, who is rector at the All Saints' Episcopal Church in the Torresdale area of Philadelphia. Accompanying Reverend Hauff is his wife, Ruth. Reverend Hauff and his wife, Ruth, arrived at this historic church a little more than a year ago, and for more than 240 years, All Saints' Episcopal Church in Torresdale has ministered to the faithful. Reverend Hauff is not a lifelong Pennsylvanian, but that is more than okay, except when the Eagles play the Vikings. He is from St. Paul, Minnesota, originally, but his lovely wife, Ruth, is a staunch Packers fan. I agree with her that the Eagles got very lucky that Aaron Rodgers was out when the Eagles played them and it would have been different had he been there. Nonetheless, we agree that a win is a win, and I know you would agree with me on that, Mr. President.

So, Reverend Hauff is a lifelong Episcopalian. He holds a Master of Divinity degree and a doctorate in clinical psychology. Most importantly, he has the respect and admiration of his church in northeast Philadelphia and all of the Episcopal church itself. Last year, the church named Reverend Hauff and 23 others to a special task force that will come up with proposals to change the church's structure for the better. The task force has until the church's general convention in 2015 to develop these critical plans, Mr. President. In the meantime, All Saints' Episcopal in Torresdale is enjoying the weekly wisdom, shepherding, and guidance from Reverend Hauff, and it is a terrific church. Mr. President, I ask that the Senate offer its usual and customary warm welcome to Reverend Hauff and his lovely wife, Ruth.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guests of Senator Stack please rise so that the Senate may give you its usual warm welcome. (Applause.)

# GUESTS OF SENATOR PATRICIA H. VANCE PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Cumberland, Senator Vance.

Senator VANCE. Mr. President, I am really pleased to introduce to everybody the Cumberland Valley High School girls' water polo team, which captured the 2013 PIAA State Girls' Water Polo Championship. They defeated North Penn High School by a score of 12-4 in the championship game. They compiled a record of 25 wins and 2 losses. This is the 11th State championship for the Cumberland Valley Girls' Water Polo Team. They are coached by Sheri Bock and assisted by Corey Pelow, Kimberly Clements, and Adam Wenner. Shyla Lintz was named the Pennsylvania Player of the Year, and three members of the team - Shyla Lintz, Carly Kent, and Emily Wickenheiser - were named First Team All-State. The team and coaches are in the gallery, and I ask that the Senate give them its very warm welcome.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guests of Senator Vance please rise so that the Senate may give you its usual warm welcome. (Applause.)

# GUESTS OF SENATOR ELISABETH J. BAKER PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Luzerne, Senator Baker.

Senator BAKER. Mr. President, along with Senator Blake and Senator Yudichak, it is my pleasure to welcome a group who are visiting from Hospice of the Sacred Heart to celebrate National Hospice and Palliative Care Month in Pennsylvania. With us are Diane Baldi, Mary Alice Cosgrove, Donna Cosmello, Mary Hoban, Mary Louise Kidd, Linda Menichetti, and John Stapert. Hospice of the Sacred Heart is dedicated to providing families and patients with compassionate, dignified end-of-life care, and I know this firsthand from the care and concern that they showed to my own mother. So, please join me in offering our usual warm welcome to our guests from the Hospice of the Sacred Heart. Thank you.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guests of Senator Baker please rise so that the Senate may give you its usual warm welcome. (Applause.)

# GUEST OF SENATOR SCOTT E. HUTCHINSON PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognize the gentleman from Venango, Senator Hutchinson.

Senator HUTCHINSON. Mr. President, today I am pleased to welcome Caleb Sykora-Bodie from Harrisville in Butler County. Caleb is a junior at Slippery Rock University, where he is pursuing a major in geology and environmental studies. He is currently participating in an internship at the Department of Environmental Protection's policy office through The Harrisburg Internship Semester. Caleb is particularly interested in working to mitigate the effects of acid mine drainage, and after graduation he intends to pursue a graduate degree in environmental geology. Please join me in welcoming Caleb to the Senate.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guest of Senator Hutchinson please rise so that the Senate may give you its usual warm welcome.

(Applause.)

# GUEST OF SENATOR ANDREW E. DINNIMAN PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Chester, Senator Dinniman.

Senator DINNIMAN. Mr. President, I would like to introduce one of our Pages today. Her name is Stephanie Lytle. Stephanie is a sophomore at Princeton University, and she hails from West Chester, Pennsylvania. She is studying international relations with a concentration in Latin American studies. Stephanie is currently interning in my office. She is Mexican American and very proud of it. Her family owns one of the best Mexican restaurants in West Chester, and, Mr. President, anyone who can get into Princeton has more smarts than I do, and I want to congratulate her for that. Stephanie is really an example of the new Mexican American community emerging in this Commonwealth. They are bright, energetic, and they are going to be like every other group to America. They are rising, helping us understand what it means to be an American through diversity, and they are making their mark now. Stephanie, with her Princeton education, is well on the way to fully helping this nation be all that it can be. Thank you, Mr. President. If we could give her a nice welcome, please.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guest of Senator Dinniman please rise so that the Senate may give you its usual warm welcome

(Applause.)

#### **RECESS**

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Delaware, Senator Pileggi.

Senator PILEGGI. Mr. President, I request a recess of the Senate for purposes of a meeting of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations to be held in the Rules room immediately, to be followed by a Republican caucus to be held in the Majority Caucus Room.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Allegheny, Senator Costa.

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, at the conclusion of the meeting of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations, Senate Democrats will meet in the rear of the Chamber for a caucus.

The PRESIDENT. For purposes of a meeting of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations, to be followed by Republican and Democratic caucuses, without objection, the Senate stands in recess.

#### AFTER RECESS

The PRESIDENT. The time of recess having expired, the Senate will come to order.

#### BILL REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

Senator PILEGGI, from the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations, reported the following bill:

HB 1098 (Pr. No. 2639) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending the act of December 19, 1988 (P.L.1262, No.156), known as the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act, further providing for definitions, for games of chance permitted, for distributor licenses, for major league sports drawing, for club licensee, for distribution of proceeds, for records and for raffle tickets; providing for background checks; further providing for enforcement; providing for tavern gaming and for a host municipality tavern games tax; establishing the Host Municipality Tavern Games Local Share Account; providing for a report of the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee; and making an editorial change.

#### LEGISLATIVE LEAVES CANCELLED

The PRESIDENT. Senator McIlhinney, Senator Tomlinson, and Senator Hughes have returned, and their respective leaves are cancelled.

#### **LEAVE CHANGED**

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Delaware, Senator Pileggi.

Senator PILEGGI. Mr. President, I request that Senator Greenleaf's leave be changed from personal leave to legislative leave

The PRESIDENT. Senator Pileggi requests that Senator Greenleaf's leave be changed from personal leave to legislative leave. Without objection, the leave will be changed.

#### **CALENDAR**

# THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

#### BILL OVER IN ORDER

**HB 27** -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator PILEGGI.

#### BILL LAID ON THE TABLE

**HB 89 (Pr. No. 744)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for DARE plate and for payments to special funds.

Upon motion of Senator PILEGGI, and agreed to by voice vote, the bill was laid on the table.

#### HB 89 TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator PILEGGI. Mr. President, I move that House Bill No. 89, Printer's No. 744, be taken from the table and placed on the Calendar.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The PRESIDENT. The bill will be placed on the Calendar.

#### BILLS OVER IN ORDER

**HB 388, HB 390** and **HB 391** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator PILEGGI.

#### BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

**SB 403 (Pr. No. 1548)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for retention incentives for medical resident physicians of the Pennsylvania National Guard; conferring powers and duties on the Adjutant General and Department of Military and Veterans Affairs; and making editorial changes.

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:

### YEA-49

Alloway	Farnese	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Argall	Ferlo	Robbins	Ward
Baker	Fontana	Scarnati	Washington
Blake	Gordner	Schwank	Waugh
Boscola	Greenleaf	Smith	White
Brewster	Hughes	Smucker	Wiley
Browne	Hutchinson	Solobay	Williams
Brubaker	Kasunic	Stack	Wozniak
Corman	Kitchen	Tartaglione	Yaw
Costa	Leach	Teplitz	Yudichak
Dinniman	McIlhinney	Tomlinson	
Eichelberger	Mensch	Vance	
Erickson	Pileggi	Vogel	

NAY-0

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

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

**HB** 668 (Pr. No. 756) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of May 1, 1933 (P.L.103, No.69), known as The Second Class Township Code, in contracts, further providing for letting contracts.

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:

#### YEA-49

Alloway	Farnese	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Argall	Ferlo	Robbins	Ward
Baker	Fontana	Scarnati	Washington
Blake	Gordner	Schwank	Waugh
Boscola	Greenleaf	Smith	White
Brewster	Hughes	Smucker	Wiley
Browne	Hutchinson	Solobay	Williams
Brubaker	Kasunic	Stack	Wozniak
Corman	Kitchen	Tartaglione	Yaw
Costa	Leach	Teplitz	Yudichak
Dinniman	McIlhinney	Tomlinson	
Eichelberger	Mensch	Vance	
Erickson	Pileggi	Vogel	

#### NAY-0

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

Ordered, That the Secretary of the Senate return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

**HB 669 (Pr. No. 757)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 24, 1931 (P.L.1206, No.331), known as The First Class Township Code, in contracts, further providing for general regulations concerning contracts.

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:

#### YEA-49

Alloway	Farnese	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Argall	Ferlo	Robbins	Ward
Baker	Fontana	Scarnati	Washington
Blake	Gordner	Schwank	Waugh

Boscola	Greenleaf	Smith	White
Brewster	Hughes	Smucker	Wiley
Browne	Hutchinson	Solobay	Williams
Brubaker	Kasunic	Stack	Wozniak
Corman	Kitchen	Tartaglione	Yaw
Costa	Leach	Teplitz	Yudichak
Dinniman	McIlhinney	Tomlinson	
Eichelberger	Mensch	Vance	
Erickson	Pileggi	Vogel	

#### NAY-0

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

Ordered, That the Secretary of the Senate return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same without amendments.

#### BILL OVER IN ORDER

**HB** 714 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator PILEGGI.

#### BILL LAID ON THE TABLE

**HB 798 (Pr. No. 2424)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 30 (Fish) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for organization of commission.

Upon motion of Senator PILEGGI, and agreed to by voice vote, the bill was laid on the table.

### BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

**SB 995 (Pr. No. 1549)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act establishing the requirements for livery provider liens.

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:

#### YEA-49

Alloway	Farnese	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Argall	Ferlo	Robbins	Ward
Baker	Fontana	Scarnati	Washington
Blake	Gordner	Schwank	Waugh
Boscola	Greenleaf	Smith	White
Brewster	Hughes	Smucker	Wiley
Browne	Hutchinson	Solobay	Williams
Brubaker	Kasunic	Stack	Wozniak
Corman	Kitchen	Tartaglione	Yaw
Costa	Leach	Teplitz	Yudichak
Dinniman	McIlhinney	Tomlinson	
Eichelberger	Mensch	Vance	
Erickson	Pileggi	Vogel	

### NAY-0

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

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

#### BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 1040, SB 1045, HB 1060 and SB 1108 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator PILEGGI.

#### BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

**SB 1115 (Pr. No. 1458)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in educational assistance program, further providing for definitions and for amount of grants.

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:

#### YEA-49

Alloway	Farnese	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Argall	Ferlo	Robbins	Ward
Baker	Fontana	Scarnati	Washington
Blake	Gordner	Schwank	Waugh
Boscola	Greenleaf	Smith	White
Brewster	Hughes	Smucker	Wiley
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Dinniman	McIlhinney	Tomlinson	
Eichelberger	Mensch	Vance	
Erickson	Pileggi	Vogel	

#### NAY-0

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

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

#### **BILLS AMENDED**

**HB 1348 (Pr. No. 1742)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 20, 1985 (P.L.457, No.112), known as the Medical Practice Act of 1985, further providing for physician assistants.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration? Senator TOMLINSON offered the following amendment No. A4403:

Amend Bill, page 3, line 14, by inserting after "section.":

Upon submission of the application, board staff shall review the application only for completeness and shall issue a letter to the supervising physician providing the temporary authorization for the physician assistant to begin practice. If the application is not complete, including, but not limited to, required information or signatures not being provided or the fee not being submitted, a temporary authorization for the physician assistant to begin practicing shall not be issued. The temporary authorization, when issued, shall provide a period of 120 days during which the physician assistant may practice under the terms set forth in the written agreement as submitted to the board. Within 120 days the board shall notify the supervising physician of the final approval or disapproval of the application. If approved, a final approval of the written agreement shall be issued to the supervising physician. If there are discrepancies that have not been corrected within the 120- day period, the temporary authorization to practice shall expire.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

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

**HB 1351 (Pr. No. 1744)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of October 5, 1978 (P.L.1109, No.261), known as the Osteopathic Medical Practice Act, further providing for physician assistants.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration? Senator TOMLINSON offered the following amendment No. A4401:

Amend Bill, page 2, line 5, by inserting after "assistant.":

Upon submission of the application, board staff shall review the application only for completeness and shall issue a letter to the supervising physician providing the temporary authorization for the physician assistant to begin practice. If the application is not complete, including, but not limited to, required information or signatures not being provided or the fee not being submitted, a temporary authorization for the physician assistant to begin practicing shall not be issued. The temporary authorization, when issued, shall provide a period of 120 days during which the physician assistant may practice under the terms set forth in the written agreement as submitted to the board. Within 120 days the board shall notify the supervising physician of the final approval or disapproval of the application. If approved, a final approval of the written agreement shall be issued to the supervising physician. If there are discrepancies that have not been corrected within the 120- day period, the temporary authorization to practice shall expire.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Bucks, Senator Tomlinson.

Senator TOMLINSON. Mr. President, this is an amendment to House Bill No. 1351, the Osteopathic Act. It does the same thing as the last amendment, it is technical in nature, and it is agreed to.

Thank you, Mr. President.

And the question recurring, Will the Senate agree to the amendment? It was agreed to. Without objection, the bill, as amended, was passed over in its order at the request of Senator PILEGGI.

### LEGISLATIVE LEAVE CANCELLED

The PRESIDENT. Senator Greenleaf has returned, and his legislative leave is cancelled.

# CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR RESUMED

#### BILL OVER IN ORDER

**HB 1356** -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator PILEGGI.

#### **BILL AMENDED**

**HB 1439 (Pr. No. 2637)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for definitions and for subjects of local taxation.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration? Senator VOGEL offered the following amendment No. A4549:

Amend Bill, page 2, line 14, by striking out "COVERED AGRICULTURAL"

Amend Bill, page 2, lines 16 through 23, by striking out all of said lines and inserting:

(1) Is used for the production, processing, keeping, storing, sale or shelter of an agricultural commodity as defined in section 2 of the act of December 19, 1974 (P.L.973, No.319), known as the Pennsylvania Farmland and Forest Land Assessment Act of 1974, or for the storage of agricultural equipment or supplies.

Amend Bill, page 2, line 26, by striking out "HAS" and inserting: When covered, has

Amend Bill, page 2, line 30; page 3, lines 1 and 2, by striking out all of said lines on said pages

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

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

### BILL OVER IN ORDER

**HB 1594** -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator PILEGGI.

#### SECOND CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

#### BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 261, SB 405, SB 453, SB 901, SB 903, HB 920, SB 990, SB 1113, SB 1118 and HB 1424 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator PILEGGI.

### SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 1

# SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE AMENDMENTS

**HB 1098 (Pr. No. 2639)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 19, 1988 (P.L.1262, No.156), known as the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act, further providing for definitions, for games of chance permitted, for distributor licenses, for major league sports drawing, for club licensee, for distribution of proceeds, for records and for raffle tickets; providing for background checks; further providing for enforcement; providing for tavern gaming and for a host municipality tavern games tax; establishing the Host Municipality Tavern Games Local Share Account; providing for a report of the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee; and making an editorial change.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate amendments to House Bill No. 1098?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Delaware, Senator Pileggi.

Senator PILEGGI. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate amendments to House Bill No. 1098.

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

#### YEA-34

Alloway	Farnese	Schwank	Waugh
Argall	Fontana	Solobay	White
Blake	Kasunic	Stack	Wiley
Boscola	Leach	Tartaglione	Williams
Browne	McIlhinney	Teplitz	Wozniak
Brubaker	Mensch	Tomlinson	Yaw
Corman	Pileggi	Vogel	Yudichak
Costa	Rafferty	Vulakovich	
Erickson	Scarnati	Ward	

#### NAY-15

Baker	Ferlo	Hutchinson	Smucker
Brewster	Gordner	Kitchen	Vance
Dinniman	Greenleaf	Robbins	Washington
Eichelberger	Hughes	Smith	•

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

Ordered, That the Secretary of the Senate inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

### SB 75, SB 411 AND HB 1193 TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator PILEGGI. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 75, Printer's No. 41; Senate Bill No. 411, Printer's No. 431; and House Bill No. 1193, Printer's No. 2087, be taken from the table and placed on the Calendar.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The PRESIDENT. The bills will be placed on the Calendar.

# COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

Senator ROBBINS, from the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations, reported communications from His Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, recalling the following nominations, which were read by the Clerk as follows:

### MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF TRUSTEES OF MANSFIELD UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

October 23, 2013

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 June 24, 2013, for the appointment of Stephanie Moore, 349 Orchard Road, Millerstown 17062, Juniata County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, as a member of the Council of Trustees of Mansfield University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Carol Tama, Blossburg, resigned.

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

TOM CORBETT Governor

# MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY

October 23, 2013

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 June 19, 2013, for the appointment of Stephanie Moore (Public Member), 349 Orchard Road, Millerstown 17062, Juniata County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, as a member of the State Board of Massage Therapy, to serve until October 9, 2014, or until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Catherine Campbell, Lemoyne, resigned.

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

TOM CORBETT Governor

## NOMINATIONS RETURNED TO THE GOVERNOR

Senator ROBBINS. Mr. President, I request that the nominations just read by the Clerk be returned to His Excellency, the Governor.

A voice vote having been taken, the question was determined in the affirmative.

The PRESIDENT. The nominations will be returned to the Governor.

# REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

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

## MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF TRUSTEES OF MILLERSVILLE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

October 1, 2013

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, Ann Womble, 1520 Ridge Road, Lancaster, 17603, Lancaster County, Thirteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Millersville University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Caroline Hoffer, Millersville, whose term expired.

TOM CORBETT Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF NURSING

October 23, 2013

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, Suzanne Hendricks, 2140 Starr Road, Quakertown 18951, Bucks County, Twenty-fourth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the State Board of Nursing, to serve for a term of six years or until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period.

TOM CORBETT Governor

### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

September 30, 2013

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, Janet Getzey Hart, 2273 Ionoff Road, Harrisburg 17110, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Pharmacy, to serve for a term of six years or until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Edward Bechtel, Slatington, whose term expired.

TOM CORBETT Governor

# MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SELINSGROVE CENTER

October 3, 2013

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, Nancy L. Hanselman, RN, 158 Oak Drive, Selinsgrove 17870, Snyder County, Twenty-seventh Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Selinsgrove Center, to serve until the third Tuesday of January 2019, and until her successor is appointed and qualified.

TOM CORBETT Governor

# MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SELINSGROVE CENTER

October 3, 2013

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, Ann I. Shadel Sierer, 1200 Leese Hollow Road, Mt. Pleasant Mills 17583, Snyder County, Twenty-seventh Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Selinsgrove Center, to serve until the third Tuesday of January 2019, and until her successor is appointed and qualified.

TOM CORBETT Governor

#### NOMINATIONS LAID ON THE TABLE

Senator ROBBINS. Mr. President, I request that the nominations just read by the Clerk be laid on the table.

The PRESIDENT. The nominations will be laid on the table.

#### **EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS**

### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Motion was made by Senator ROBBINS,

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 by voice vote.

#### NOMINATIONS TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator ROBBINS. Mr. President, I call from the table certain nominations and ask for their consideration.

The Clerk read the nominations as follows:

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#### TOM CORBETT Governor

On the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the nominations?

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

#### YEA-50

Alloway	Erickson	Orie	Vance
Argall	Farnese	Piccola	Vogel
Baker	Ferlo	Pileggi	Ward
Blake	Folmer	Pippy	Washington
Boscola	Fontana	Rafferty	Waugh
Brewster	Gordner	Robbins	White Donald
Browne	Greenleaf	Scarnati	White Mary Jo
Brubaker	Hughes	Schwank	Williams
Corman	Kasunic	Smucker	Wozniak
Costa	Kitchen	Solobay	Yaw
Dinniman	Leach	Stack	Yudichak
Earll	McIlhinney	Tartaglione	
Eichelberger	Mensch	Tomlinson	

#### NAY-0

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

Ordered, That the Governor be informed accordingly.

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION RISES**

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

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

# UNFINISHED BUSINESS SENATE RESOLUTION ADOPTED

Senators BAKER, YUDICHAK, ERICKSON, GREENLEAF, WASHINGTON, MENSCH, STACK, SMITH, FERLO, BROWNE, GORDNER, KASUNIC, DINNIMAN, YAW, FONTANA, RAFFERTY, PILEGGI, BREWSTER, VULAKOVICH, WHITE, WAUGH, ALLOWAY, COSTA, SOLOBAY and BRUBAKER, by unanimous consent, offered Senate Resolution No. 268, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the month of November 2013 as "National Hospice and Palliative Care Month" in Pennsylvania and encouraging all Pennsylvanians to increase their understanding and awareness of care at the end of life.

Which was read, considered, and adopted by voice vote.

### **CONGRATULATORY RESOLUTIONS**

The PRESIDENT laid before the Senate the following resolutions, which were read, considered, and adopted by voice vote:

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Nathalie Joanlanne by Senator Baker.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Steve Boyer by Senator Corman.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Michele Tucker, John Rychlak, Jon Ferraro, Greg Zarcone and to June Apostol by Senator Dinniman.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Marguerite Harris, Mary Flores and to Margarita Quiones by Senators Dinniman and Pileggi.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Cody A. Eckels by Senator Eichelberger.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Franklin D. Linn and to Daniel Erdman by Senator Folmer.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Kimberlee Barlow by Senators Folmer and Brubaker.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Alyssa Ruffalo and to R. Devin Nonnenman by Senator Greenleaf.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Cassandra Fox by Senators Greenleaf and McIlhinney.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mikayla Adams by Senator McIlhinney.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to the Honorable Luke K. Duignam, Chief George R. Achenbach and to Hazel E. DeReamus by Senator Mensch.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Valenti, Mr. and Mrs. William Shaffer and to Mr. and Mrs. Ron Zampogna by Senator Scarnati.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Antonio Angelo Ciro, Eric Peifer, Andrew Richard Dropik and to Alex Connor McFarland by Senator Smucker.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to the Honorable Jack A. Markell, Thomas Mastromarco and to Harold Sbrocco by Senator Stack.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mara D. Quiones-Snchez by Senator Tartaglione.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Maria J. Fields by Senator Tomlinson.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Zachary Kugel and to Joshua Kugel by Senator Vogel.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Darren E. Miller by Senator White.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Von's United Beverage by Senator Wozniak.

#### CONDOLENCE RESOLUTIONS

The PRESIDENT laid before the Senate the following resolutions, which were read, considered, and adopted by voice vote:

Condolences of the Senate were extended to the family of the late Joseph B. Natoli by Senator Ferlo.

Condolences of the Senate were extended to the family of the late John H. Humble, Jr., by Senator Solobay.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SECRETARY

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

SENATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2013

9:30 A.M. ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES Room 8E-B
AND ENERGY (to consider Senate East Wing
Bills No. 1037 and 1077)

10:00 A.M.	LOCAL GOVERNMENT (to consider Senate Bill No. 904; and House Bill No. 1523)	Room 8E-A East Wing
10:30 A.M.	COMMUNITY, ECONOMIC AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT (to consider Senate Resolution No. 183; and a public hearing regarding tourism and tourism marketing in PA)	Room 8E-A East Wing
11:00 A.M.	VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS (to consider Senate Bills No. 720 and 771; and House Bills No. 1285 and 1706)	Room 8E-B East Wing
11:30 A.M.	JUDICIARY (to consider Senate Bills No. 850 and 1168; and House Bills No. 321, 1201, 1274 and 1504)	Room 8E-B East Wing
12:30 P.M.	CONSUMER PROTECTION AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE (to consider Senate Bill No. 807; and House Bills No. 431 and 1056)	Room 461 Main Capito
	WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2013	
10:00 A.M.	FINANCE (to consider Senate Bill No. 491; and House Bill No. 1513)	Room 8E-A East Wing
Off the Floor	APPROPRIATIONS (to consider House Bill No. 770)	Rules Cmte. Conf. Rm.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION ADOPTED

Senators TARTAGLIONE, FERLO, KITCHEN, ERICKSON, MENSCH, BREWSTER, TOMLINSON, WASHINGTON, STACK, DINNIMAN, SCHWANK, SMITH, WAUGH, FONTANA, ALLOWAY, GREENLEAF, ARGALL, TEPLITZ, KASUNIC, COSTA, PILEGGI, SCARNATI, VULAKOVICH, RAFFERTY, HUGHES, FARNESE, SOLOBAY and BROWNE, by unanimous consent, offered **Senate Resolution No. 269**, entitled:

A Resolution designating December 3, 2013, as "International Day of Persons with Disabilities" in Pennsylvania.

On the question,

Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Philadelphia, Senator Tartaglione.

Senator TARTAGLIONE. Mr. President, the disabled population is rapidly expanding around the globe, encompassing nearly 15 percent of the world's population today, and yet, these individuals receive the least amount of representation on important issues like employment, education, healthcare, and legal services. In many countries, disabled persons' needs are overlooked more than those of the impoverished. But these conditions are an improvement since 1982, when "International Day of Persons with Disabilities" was first recognized. In the years that have followed, this day of recognition has helped raise understanding and awareness throughout the world. Here in the U.S., the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, we have come a long way over the past few decades in accommodating persons with disabilities. Through our diligence and persistence, we have increased access to technology resources that have allowed many disabled resi-

dents to function independently in their homes, participate in their schools and communities, and contribute to the workforce.

Today, I ask that we recognize December 3, 2013, as International Day of Persons with Disabilities in Pennsylvania, and I hope that we will continue looking for new and better ways for all citizens to fully participate in every aspect of the political, social, economic, and cultural life in the State. This year, the theme of International Day of Persons with Disabilities is to break barriers and open doors for an all-inclusive society for all. While I thank the Senate of Pennsylvania for its great strides in enhancing the quality of life for individuals with disabilities, I also encourage my colleagues to become more active proponents of the disabled, because if we work together, I know we will be able to make Pennsylvania a more livable, accessible place for all residents.

Thank you, Mr. President.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

A voice vote having been taken, the question was determined in the affirmative.

#### BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

Senator CORMAN, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported the following bills:

#### **SB 267 (Pr. No. 1576)** (Amended) (Rereported)

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; in school health services, further providing for automated external defibrillators; and making an editorial change.

#### **SB 703 (Pr. No. 708)** (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of July 3, 1947 (P.L.1242, No.507), entitled "An act relating to police and firemen's pension funds in cities of the second class A, and directing such cities to appropriate certain moneys thereto, and requiring reports and audits," further providing for credit for military service.

#### **SB 704 (Pr. No. 709)** (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of September 23, 1959 (P.L.970, No.400), referred to as the Second Class A City Employe Pension Law, further providing for credit for military service.

#### SB 923 (Pr. No. 1515) (Rereported)

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for military family relief assistance.

#### HB 1225 (Pr. No. 1832) (Rereported)

An Act amending Title 45 (Legal Notices) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in codification and publication of documents, providing for electronic publication of municipal codes; and making an inconsistent repeal.

#### HB 1425 (Pr. No. 2683) (Amended) (Rereported)

An Act providing for authorization of certain schools as institutions of postsecondary education.

# **RECESS**

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Montgomery, Senator Rafferty.

Senator RAFFERTY. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now recess until Tuesday, November 19, 2013, at 1 p.m., Eastern Standard Time, unless sooner recalled by the President pro tempore.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The Senate recessed at 4:56 p.m., Eastern Standard Time.