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SENATE

MONDAY, November 16, 2015

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

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant Governor Mike Stack) in the Chair.

PRAYER

The Chaplain, Reverend CHERYL WILMER, of Bethel African Methodist Episcopal (A.M.E.) Church, Mercerburg, offered the following prayer:

If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin and will heal their land. 2 Chronicles 7:14.

Most gracious God, who, from Your throne, beholds all of the dwellers upon earth, we heartily beseech You for Your servants this humble body, the State of Pennsylvania Senate, that they may always be inclined to Your will and walk in Your way. That they may be dedicated to the advancement of Your glory, the good of Your church, and the safety, honor, and welfare of the State of Pennsylvania's citizens. Father, You guide them and govern everything they do with order, decency, and love. You know the longings of men and women's hearts, and You protect their rights. In Your goodness, watch over all of those in authority so that people everywhere may enjoy freedom, security, and peace.

Look upon this assembly of our State leaders and fill them with a spirit of Your wisdom. May You now breathe a fresh breath into their souls and into this hallowed hall. May You anoint this place. May You grant safety and protection for their families as they sacrifice their time in service to the people of this great Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. May they always act in accordance with Your will, and their decisions be for the peace and well-being of all. I pray this prayer in the name of Yahweh, Jehovah Lord, Lord God Almighty, the most high God, the One who is the great shepherd, the everlasting from everlasting, the I Am. Amen.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair thanks Reverend Wilmer, who is the guest today of Senator Eichelberger.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

(The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by those assembled.)

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR

RECALL COMMUNICATIONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

The PRESIDENT 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 STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado (Public Member), 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Accountancy, to serve until June 23, 2018, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Tina Miller, Pittsburgh, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE APPALACHIAN STATES LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE COMMISSION

November 9, 2015

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 July 10, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Appalachian States Low-Level Radioactive Waste Commission, [data missing] at the pleasure of the Governor, vice E. Christopher Abruzzo, Hershey, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF

MEMBER OF THE ARCHITECTS LICENSURE BOARD

November 9, 2015

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

In accordance with the power and authority invested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated September 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, Apt. 2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Architects Licensure Board, to serve for a term of four years, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice John Martine, Pittsburgh, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA COUNCIL ON THE ARTS

November 9, 2015

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 July 1, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apt. 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Council on the Arts, to serve until July 1, 2016, and until her successor his appointed and qualified, vice Stephen Harmelin, Philadelphia, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA COUNCIL ON THE ARTS

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, Apt. 2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Council on the Arts, to serve until July 1, 2017, and until is successor is appointed and qualified, vice Susan Corbett, Glenshaw, resigned.

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

> TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF AUCTIONEER EXAMINERS

November 9, 2015

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 July 31, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios (Public Member), 1224 N. Third Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Auctioneer Examiners, to serve for a term of three years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Timothy Wiggin, Mechanicsburg, whose term expired.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE BANKING AND SECURITIES COMMISSION

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, Apt. 2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Banking and Securities Commission, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, vice Gerald Pappert, Plymouth Meeting, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE CHILDREN'S TRUST FUND BOARD

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apt. 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Children's Trust Fund Board, to serve for a term of three years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Carole Gravagno, Wayne, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, Apt. 2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Conservation Commission, to serve until May 30, 2018, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Edward Kuckuck, Indiana, whose term expired.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apt. 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Conservation Commission, to serve until May 30, 2018, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice MaryAnn Warren, New Milford, whose term expired.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

CONTROLLER, BUCKS COUNTY

November 9, 2015

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 July 21, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Controller, Bucks County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2018, vice Raymond McHugh, Feasterville, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY

November 9, 2015

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 3, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apartment 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Cosmetology, to serve for a term of three years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Angelina Morgan, Exeter, whose term expired.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Cosmetology, to serve until October 14, 2017, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Karie Schoeneman, Pottsville, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. 3rd Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, [data missing], Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Cosmetology, to serve for a term of three years, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Ann Catalano, Camp Hill, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF CRANE OPERATORS

November 9, 2015

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 3, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado (Public Member), 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Crane Operators, to serve for a term of four years and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Jason Giurintano, Camp Hill, whose term expired.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

November 9, 2015

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

In accordance with the power and authority invested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated September 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, Apt. 2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Dentistry, to serve for a term of six years, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Edmund Effort, Pittsburgh, whose term expired.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apartment 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Dentistry, to serve until October 6, 2020, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Dallas Stoy, Lewisberry, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, Apt. 2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, to serve for a term of four years, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Joan Tarloff, Collegeville, deceased.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF EBENSBURG CENTER

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, Apt. 2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for

appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Ebensburg Center, to serve until January 20, 2021, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, vice Marcelle Cooney, Cresson, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF EBENSBURG CENTER

November 9, 2015

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

In accordance with the power and authority invested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated September 17, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. 3rd Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, [data missing], Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Ebensburg Center, to serve until January 21, 2021, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Dixie Henry, Mount Union, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF EBENSBURG CENTER

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apt. 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Ebensburg Center, to serve until January 16, 2019, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Rose Planinsek, Ligonier, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE PENNSYLVANIA ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FINANCING AUTHORITY

November 9, 2015

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 July 27, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apartment 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Directors of the Pennsylvania Economic Development Financing Authority, to serve until September 25, 2016, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Robert Kane, Indiana, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA ENERGY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. 3rd Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Energy Development Authority, to serve for a term of four years, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Robert Sanders, Philadelphia, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA FISH AND BOAT COMMISSION

November 9, 2015

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 July 10, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission, (District 6), to serve for a term of four years and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Robert Bachman, Denver, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF HAMBURG CENTER

November 9, 2015

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

In accordance with the power and authority invested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated September 17, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. 3rd Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, [data missing], Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Hamburg Center, to serve until January 21, 2021, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Joanne Reckley, Temple, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE HARNESS RACING COMMISSION

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Harness Racing Commission, to serve for a term of three years, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, vice C. Edward Rogers, Mechanicsburg, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE HEALTH POLICY BOARD

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, Apt. 2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Health Policy Board, to serve for a term of three years and until his successor is appointed and qualified, vice Cecelia Dougherty, Philadelphia, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE HEALTH POLICY BOARD

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. 3rd Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Health Policy Board, to serve for a term of three years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Michael Blackwood, Mars, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE HEALTH POLICY BOARD

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apt. 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Health Policy Board, to serve for a term of three years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Anne Henry, Harrisburg, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE INDUSTRIAL BOARD

November 9, 2015

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

In accordance with the power and authority invested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated September 17, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. 3rd Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, [data missing], Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Industrial Board, to serve until the third Tuesday of January 2019, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Bony Dawood, Mechanicsburg, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, YORK COUNTY

November 9, 2015

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 July 10, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apartment 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, York County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2016, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice The Honorable Sheryl Ann Dorney, York,

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

TOM WOLF Governor

JUDGE, PHILADELPHIA MUNICIPAL COURT

November 9, 2015

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 July 10, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apartment 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Philadelphia Municipal Court, Philadelphia County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2016, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice The Honorable Joseph Waters, Philadelphia, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF TRUSTEES OF KUTZTOWN UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

November 9, 2015

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

In accordance with the power and authority invested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated September 17, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. 3rd Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Kutztown 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 Richard Orwig, Wyomissing, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS

November 9, 2015

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 3, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Landscape Architects, 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 Daniel DiMucci, West Chester, whose term expired.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY

November 9, 2015

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 July 1, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Massage Therapy, to serve until October 9, 2019, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Tammy Gillette, Blooming Grove, whose term expired.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY

November 9, 2015

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 July 1, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, 223 Pine Street, Apt. 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Massage Therapy, to serve until October 9, 2019, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Thomas Kramer, Lancaster, whose term expired.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE MUNICIPAL POLICE OFFICERS' EDUCATION AND TRAINING COMMISSION

November 9, 2015

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 July 10, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Municipal Police Officers' Education and Training Commission, to serve until October 16, 2015 [sic], and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Barbara Butcher, Mansfield, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE MUNICIPAL POLICE OFFICERS' EDUCATION AND TRAINING COMMISSION

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. 3rd Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Municipal Police Officers' Education and Training Commission, to serve for a term of three years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Ray Morrow, Pittsburgh, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS

November 9, 2015

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 July 10, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apartment 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators, to serve for a term of four years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Robert Etchells, State College, whose term expired.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, Apt. 2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators, to serve for a term of four years, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Richard Bruno, Bellefonte, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY EDUCATION AND LICENSURE

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apt. 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Occupational Therapy Education and Licensure, to serve for a term of three years, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Richard Turner, Mercer, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

November 9, 2015

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 3, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apt. 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Optometry, to serve until March 20, 2017, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Lawrence Sylvester, Chambersburg, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, [data missing], Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Optometry, to serve until November 14, 2015, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Lisa Hegedus, Jeannette, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE

November 9, 2015

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

In accordance with the power and authority invested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated September 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, Apt. 2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Osteopathic Medicine, to serve for a term of four years and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Burton Mark, Thornton, whose term expired.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 North 3rd Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Osteopathic Medicine, to serve until March 11, 2018, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Ian Rosenberg, Pittsburgh, deceased.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apt. 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Osteopathic Medicine, to serve for a term of four years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Rohit Agrawal, Pittsburgh, whose term expired.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 North 3rd Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Pharmacy, to serve until June 11, 2018, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Craig DeFranco, Roseto, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

November 9, 2015

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 July 1, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment

as a member of the State Board of Physical Therapy, to serve until October 2, 2019, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice David Kozich, Mountain Top, whose term expired.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

November 9, 2015

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 July 1, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. 3rd Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Physical Therapy, to serve until October 2, 2019, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice John Noone, Exton, whose term expired.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PODIATRY

November 9, 2015

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 July 10, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado (Public Member), 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Podiatry, to serve for a term of four years and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Barbara Wiggin, Mechanicsburg, whose term expired.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE REGISTRATION BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS, LAND SURVEYORS AND GEOLOGISTS

November 9, 2015

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 July 10, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Registration Board for Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors and Geologists, to serve for a term of six years and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Earnest Long, Gettysburg, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE REGISTRATION BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS, LAND SURVEYORS AND GEOLOGISTS

November 9, 2015

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 July 10, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apartment 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Registration Board for Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors and Geologists, to serve for a term of six years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Joseph Mackey, Mount Bethel, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF SOCIAL WORKERS, MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS AND PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS

November 9, 2015

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 July 10, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors, to serve for a term of four years and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Renee Cardone, Collegeville, whose term expired.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SOUTH MOUNTAIN RESTORATION CENTER

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, Apt. 2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of South Mountain Restoration Center, to serve until January 21, 2019, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, vice William Shank, Chambersburg, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS IN SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY

November 9, 2015

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 July 31, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. Third Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Examiners in Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology, to serve for a term of three years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice James Shafer, York, whose term expired.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF VEHICLE MANUFACTURERS, DEALERS AND SALESPERSONS

November 9, 2015

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 July 10, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons, to serve for a term of four years and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Frank Snyder, Reynoldsville, whose term expired.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE [data missing] BOARD OF VEHICLE MANUFACTURERS, DEALERS AND SALESPERSONS

November 9, 2015

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 July 10, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apartment 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealer [sic] and Salespersons, to serve until October 1, 2016, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice John Hickey, Mechanicsburg, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF VEHICLE MANUFACTURERS, DEALERS AND SALESPERSONS

November 9, 2015

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 3, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. 3rd Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as member of the State Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons, to serve for a term of four years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Glenn Martin, Harrisburg, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE WESTERN YOUTH DEVELOPMENT CENTERS

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Western Youth Development Centers, to serve until the third Tuesday of January 2021, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, vice Joseph Fragle, Sharon, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE WESTERN YOUTH DEVELOPMENT CENTERS

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. Third Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Western Youth Development Centers, to serve until the third Tuesday of January 2021, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Loretta Hogans, New Castle, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE WESTERN YOUTH DEVELOPMENT CENTERS

November 9, 2015

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 17, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apartment 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Western Youth Development Centers, to serve until the third Tuesday of January 2017, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Thomas Fee, New Castle, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF WHITE HAVEN CENTER

November 9, 2015

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 July 10, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. 3rd Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of White Haven Center, to serve until the third Tuesday of January 2023, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Louise Powell, Clarks Summit, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF WHITE HAVEN CENTER

November 9, 2015

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 July 10, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apartment 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of White Haven Center, to serve until the third Tuesday of January 2021, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Donald Karpowich, Freeland, resigned.

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

TOM WOLF Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

November 9, 2015

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 July 10, 2015, of Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apartment 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of York, Magisterial District 19-1-02, to serve until the first Monday of January 2016, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice The Honorable Richard Martin, York, resigned.

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

nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

NOMINATIONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

The PRESIDENT 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 STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS

October 29, 2015

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, Leah J. Sheppard, 115 North Street, Apt 107, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Barber Examiners, to serve for a term of three years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice John Christopher, Hummelstown, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

October 29, 2015

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, Leah J. Sheppard, 115 North Street, Apt 107, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Dentistry, to serve for a term of six years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Douglas Marinak, Mechanicsburg, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF FUNERAL DIRECTORS

October 29, 2015

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, Leah J. Sheppard (Public Member),

115 North Street, Apt 107, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Funeral Directors, to serve until February 6, 2017, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Donald Murphy, Camp Hill, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

October 29, 2015

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, Leah J. Sheppard, 115 North Street, Apt 107, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Real Estate Commission, to serve until June 11, 2017, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice W. Greg Rothman, Mechanicsburg, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF WARREN STATE HOSPITAL

October 29, 2015

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, Leah J. Sheppard, 115 North Street, Apt 107, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Warren State Hospital, to serve until January 19, 2017, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Kathy Glarner, North Warren, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

October 29, 2015

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, Leah J. Sheppard, 115 North Street, Apt 107, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Armstrong, Magisterial District 33-3-04, to serve until the first Monday of January 2018, vice The Honorable Samuel R. Goldstrohm, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

October 29, 2015

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, Leah J. Sheppard, 115 North Street, Apt 107, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Dauphin, Magisterial District 12-2-04, to serve until the first Monday of January 2016, vice The Honorable Robert Jennings III, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

October 29, 2015

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, Leah J. Sheppard, 115 North Street, Apt 107, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Lancaster, Magisterial District 02-2-01, to serve until the first Monday of January 2018, vice The Honorable Kelly S. Bellentine, removed from office.

TOM WOLF Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, PHILADELPHIA COUNTY

November 12, 2015

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, Mary K. Topper, Esq., 223 Pine Street, Apt 3A, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Philadelphia County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2018, vice The Honorable Chris R. Wogan, Jr., resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

CORRECTIONS TO RECALLS TO NOMINATIONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

The PRESIDENT 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 STATE BOARD OF CRANE OPERATORS

November 13, 2015

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

Please note that the recall dated November 9, 2015, for the nomination dated September 3, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado (Public Member), 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Crane Operators, to serve for a term of four years and until his succes-

sor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Jason Giurintano, Camp Hill, whose term expired. I respectfully request the return to me of the official message of nomina-

tion on the premises, should be corrected to read:

Jacob M. Maldonado (Public Member), 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Crane Operators, to serve until December 8, 2018, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Jason Giurintano, Camp Hill, whose term expired. I respectfully request the return to me of the official message of nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

November 13, 2015

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

Please note that the recall dated November 9, 2015, for the nomination dated September 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, Apt. 2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, to serve for a term of four years, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Joan Tarloff, Collegeville, deceased. I respectfully request the return to me of the official message of nomination on the premises, should be corrected to read:

Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, Apt. 2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, to serve until October 15, 2016, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Joan Tarloff, Collegeville, deceased. I respectfully request the return to me of the official message of nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE HEALTH POLICY BOARD

November 13, 2015

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

Please note that the recall dated November 9, 2015, for the nomination dated September 17, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. 3rd Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Health Policy Board, to serve for a term of three years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Michael Blackwood, Mars, resigned. I respectfully request the return to me of the official message of nomination on the premises, should be corrected to read:

Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. 3rd Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Health Policy Board, to serve for a term of three years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice <u>C.</u> Michael Blackwood, Mars, resigned. I respectfully request the return to me of

the official message of nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS

November 13, 2015

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

Please note that the recall dated November 9, 2015, for the nomination dated September 17, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, Apt. 2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators, to serve for a term of four years, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Richard Bruno, Bellefonte, resigned. I respectfully request the return to me of the official message of nomination on the premises, should be corrected to read:

Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators, to serve for a term of four years, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Richard Bruno, Bellefonte, resigned. I respectfully request the return to me

of the official message of nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PODIATRY

November 13, 2015

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

Please note that the recall dated November 9, 2015, for the nomination dated July 10, 2015, of Jacob M. Maldonado (Public Member), 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Podiatry, to serve for a term of four years and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Barbara Wiggin, Mechanicsburg, whose term expired. I respectfully request the return to me of the official message of nomination on the premises, should be corrected to read:

Jacob M. Maldonado, 133 State Street, #2, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Podiatry, to serve for a term of four years and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Barbara Wiggin, Mechanicsburg, whose term expired. I respectfully request the return to me of the official message

of nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF VEHICLE MANUFACTURERS, DEALERS AND SALESPERSONS

November 13, 2015

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

Please note that the recall dated November 9, 2015, for the nomination dated September 3, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. 3rd Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons, to serve for a term of four years and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer

than six months beyond that period, vice Glenn Martin, Harrisburg, resigned. I respectfully request the return to me of the official message of nomination on the premises, should be corrected to read:

August 31, 2015 of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. 3rd Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons, to serve until October 17, 2015, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Glenn Martin, Harrisburg, resigned. I respectfully request the return to me of the official message of nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE WESTERN YOUTH DEVELOPMENT CENTERS

November 13, 2015

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

Please note that the recall dated November 9, 2015, for the nomination dated September 17, 2015, of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. Third Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Western Youth Development Centers, to serve until the third Tuesday of January 2021, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Loretta Hogans, New Castle, resigned. I respectfully request the return to me of the official message of nomination on the premises, should be corrected to read:

June 18, 2015 of Brenda L. Rios, 1224 N. Third Street, Unit 502, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Western Youth Development Centers, to serve until the third Tuesday of January 2021, and until her successor is appointed and qualified, vice Loretta Hogans, New Castle, resigned. I respectfully request the return to me of the official message of nomination on the premises.

TOM WOLF Governor

HOUSE MESSAGES

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE 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 to HB 239.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILLS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate SB 77, SB 775, SB 791 and SB 793, with the information the House has passed the same without amendments.

SENATE BILLS RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate SB 609 and SB 887, with the information the House has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

The PRESIDENT. Pursuant to Senate Rule 13(c)(2)(i), the bills 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:

October 30, 2015

HB 44, 1601 and 1632 - Committee on Judiciary.

HB 698 and 1168 - Committee on Game and Fisheries.

HB 1603 - Committee on Aging and Youth.

HB 1606 - Committee on Education.

November 6, 2015

HB 414 - Committee on Finance.

November 13, 2015

HB 12 and 380 -- Committee on Judiciary.

HB 246 -- Committee on Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

HB 1229 and 1347 -- Committee on Transportation.

HB 1233 and 1322 -- Committee on Public Health and Welfare.

BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

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

November 10, 2015

Senators HUGHES, LEACH, FONTANA, HAYWOOD, FARNESE, TARTAGLIONE, McGARRIGLE, WILLIAMS, PILEGGI and DINNIMAN presented to the Chair SB 1049, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in firearms and other dangerous articles, further providing for sale or transfer of firearms.

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, November 10, 2015.

Senators HUTCHINSON, EICHELBERGER and VANCE presented to the Chair SB 1051, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, establishing the Bureau of Toll Administration within the Department of Transportation; providing for the assumption by the Department of Transportation of the functions of the Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission, for assumption by the Commonwealth of the financing functions of the commission, for transfer to the Department of Transportation and State Treasurer of land, buildings, personal property and employees of the commission, for the abolition of the commission and the office of Turnpike Commissioner; and making inconsistent repeals of various acts relating to the Pennsylvania Turnpike.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTA-TION, November 10, 2015.

Senators STEFANO, GORDNER, MENSCH, PILEGGI, EICHELBERGER, GREENLEAF, VOGEL, BAKER, WARD, HUTCHINSON, RAFFERTY, VULAKOVICH, BARTOLOTTA, COSTA, SCHWANK, DINNIMAN, YUDICHAK, FONTANA, TARTAGLIONE, FARNESE, TEPLITZ, SABATINA, KITCHEN, AUMENT and BROWNE presented to the Chair SB 1052, entitled:

An Act amending Title 25 (Elections) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in uniform military and overseas voters, further providing for definitions, for duties and responsibilities of secretary and for registering to vote.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOV-ERNMENT, November 10, 2015.

Senators SABATINA, FONTANA, YUDICHAK and PILEGGI presented to the Chair SB 1053, 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 definitions, for State Board of Medicine; and providing for recreational therapists.

Which was committed to the Committee on CONSUMER PROTECTION AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, November 10, 2015.

Senator WARD presented to the Chair SB 1054, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of General Services, with the approval of the Governor, to grant and convey to ACMIII, LP, certain lands of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania situate in Derry Township, Westmoreland County.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOV-ERNMENT, November 10, 2015.

Senators WHITE, VOGEL, YAW, BAKER, BARTOLOTTA, FOLMER, WAGNER, STEFANO, SCARNATI, BREWSTER, VULAKOVICH, ALLOWAY, WARD, HUGHES and WOZNIAK presented to the Chair SB 1055, entitled:

An Act amending the act of May 15, 1939 (P.L.134, No.65), referred to as the Fireworks Law, extensively revising provisions relating to definitions, bond required, continuance of permits, sale and use of fireworks, permits, department licenses, applications for licenses, safety requirements for facilities, annual registration, penalties and confiscation; and imposing an excise tax.

Which was committed to the Committee on AGRICULTURE AND RURAL AFFAIRS, November 10, 2015.

November 12, 2015

Senators SCAVELLO, BARTOLOTTA, GREENLEAF and YAW presented to the Chair SB 1065, entitled:

An Act amending Title 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in hunting and furtaking, further providing for hunting on Sunday prohibited.

Which was committed to the Committee on GAME AND FISHERIES, November 12, 2015.

November 13, 2015

Senators WARD, COSTA, PILEGGI, FONTANA, BARTOLOTTA, SABATINA, GREENLEAF, TARTAG-

LIONE, FARNESE, RAFFERTY, TOMLINSON, BLAKE, STEFANO, LEACH, HUGHES, WILEY, McGARRIGLE, BROWNE, WILLIAMS, BOSCOLA, YUDICHAK and BREWSTER presented to the Chair **SB 1050**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, in film production tax credit, further providing for definitions and for credit for qualified film production expenses, providing for reissuance of film production tax credits and further providing for limitations.

Which was committed to the Committee on FINANCE, November 13, 2015.

Senators LEACH, SABATINA, SCHWANK and HUGHES presented to the Chair SB 1057, entitled:

An Act providing for living wage certification for nursing facilities and for employer responsibility penalties for nursing facilities; establishing the Employer Responsibility for Public Assistance Fund; and imposing penalties.

Which was committed to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE, November 13, 2015.

Senators WOZNIAK, VOGEL, DINNIMAN, RAFFERTY, SCAVELLO, GORDNER, TEPLITZ, FONTANA, COSTA, ARGALL, BREWSTER, BAKER, EICHELBERGER and GREENLEAF presented to the Chair SB 1058, entitled:

An Act amending Title 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in employees, providing for motorcycle profiling prohibited.

Which was committed to the Committee on LAW AND JUS-TICE, November 13, 2015.

Senators SCAVELLO, FONTANA, SCARNATI, VOGEL, COSTA, RAFFERTY, STEFANO and VULAKOVICH presented to the Chair **SB 1060**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, providing for special permits for breweries.

Which was committed to the Committee on LAW AND JUS-TICE, November 13, 2015.

Senators RAFFERTY, SABATINA, EICHELBERGER, FONTANA, YUDICHAK, COSTA, TARTAGLIONE, WOZNIAK, BOSCOLA, AUMENT, MENSCH, HUGHES, FARNESE and BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1062**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in burglary and other criminal intrusions, further providing for burglary.

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, November 13, 2015.

Senators TEPLITZ, COSTA, SCHWANK and WILLIAMS presented to the Chair SB 1063, entitled:

An Act amending Title 62 (Procurement) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in source selection and contract formation, further providing for debarment or suspension.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOV-ERNMENT, November 13, 2015.

Senators BOSCOLA, BROWNE and SCAVELLO presented to the Chair SB 1064, entitled:

An Act transferring roads between Hanover Township, Lehigh County, and the Department of Transportation.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTA-TION, November 13, 2015.

Senator BAKER presented to the Chair SB 1066, entitled:

An Act designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 1029 over the Tunkhannock Creek, Nicholson Township, Wyoming County as the Jody Allen Cron Memorial Bridge.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, November 13, 2015.

Senators YUDICHAK, VULAKOVICH, COSTA, SABATINA, BAKER, BREWSTER, TEPLITZ, FARNESE, GREENLEAF, RAFFERTY, KITCHEN, MENSCH, McILHINNEY, WARD, DINNIMAN, BROOKS, SCARNATI and BROWNE presented to the Chair SB 1067, entitled:

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in veterans' pensions and benefits, further providing for amputee and paralyzed veteran's pension.

Which was committed to the Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, November 13, 2015.

Senator SMUCKER presented to the Chair SB 1068, entitled: An Act authorizing the release of Project 70 restrictions on certain lands owned by the City of Lancaster, Lancaster County, in exchange for the imposition of Project 70 restrictions on other lands owned by the City of Lancaster, Lancaster County, and other consideration.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOV-ERNMENT, November 13, 2015.

RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

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

November 13, 2015

Senators SCHWANK, WILEY, WOZNIAK, TEPLITZ, RAFFERTY, TARTAGLIONE, BREWSTER, HAYWOOD, FONTANA, PILEGGI, MENSCH, BARTOLOTTA, COSTA, VULAKOVICH, YUDICHAK, FARNESE and WILLIAMS presented to the Chair SR 237, entitled:

A Resolution directing the Joint State Government Commission to establish an advisory committee on rape and sexual violence prevention education on postsecondary school campuses to conduct a comprehensive study of the issue of rape and sexual assault on postsecondary school campuses and environs and to report its findings and recommendations to the Senate.

Which was committed to the Committee on EDUCATION, November 13, 2015.

Senator WILLIAMS presented to the Chair **SR 238**, entitled: A Resolution directing the Joint State Government Commission to conduct a study regarding the use of unmanned drones by State and local agencies, including law enforcement agencies.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOV-ERNMENT, November 13, 2015.

GENERAL COMMUNICATIONS

2012-13 ANNUAL LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE PROGRAM REPORT

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

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
Department of Environmental Protection
Rachel Carson State Office Building
P.O. Box 2063
Harrisburg, PA 17105-2063

October 19, 2015

Megan Martin Secretary - Parliamentarian of the Senate P.O. Box 203053 Harrisburg, PA 17120-3053

Dear Ms. Martin:

The Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) is pleased to present to you its Annual Low-Level Radioactive Waste Program Report to the General Assembly and the Appalachian Compact Commission. This report covers calendar years 2012 and 2013.

The report provides a summary of the current activities of the Appalachian States Low-Level Waste Compact (compact), a list of all low-level radioactive waste (LLRW) generators in the compact, and the amounts of LLRW disposed by volume. It also contains a discussion of LLRW generation trends, LLRW in storage, waste minimization and financial statistics relating to all aspects of the compact.

The Pennsylvania Low-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal Act (Act 1988-12) requires that this report be prepared each year. The enclosed report is based on data from the U.S. Department of Energy's Manifest Information Management System (MIMS). MIMS is a national database that contains the actual volume and radioactivity of LLRW disposed of at three existing LLRW disposal facilities in the country. The information on waste in storage was obtained directly from the LLRW generators.

As we did with the previous year's report, DEP once again is distributing the report electronically and providing a link for accessing the report online. The report can be found in the DEP eLibrary at www.dep.state.pa.us. Select tools; eLibrary; Publications; Radiation Protection; Low-Level Radioactive Waste Program Annual Reports. Should you desire a hard copy from us, please contact DEP's Bureau of Radiation Protection at 717.787.2480.

Thank you for your interest in this report and for continuing to partner with DEP to promote a clean environment and safer communities for all Pennsylvanians.

Respectfully,

JOHN QUIGLEY Secretary

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

COVERED DEVICE RECYCLING ACT 2014 REPORT

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

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
Department of Environmental Protection
Rachel Carson State Office Building
P.O. Box 2063
Harrisburg, PA 17105-2063

October 23, 2015

Ms. Megan Martin Secretary - Parliamentarian of the Senate Senate Post Office Box 203053 Harrisburg, PA 17120-3053

Dear Ms. Martin:

The Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) is pleased to present to you its Covered Device Recycling Act (CDRA) Report for calendar year 2014. This report summarizes the electronics recycling achievements made in 2014, evaluates the challenges of the CDRA and illustrates the efforts to divert unwanted electronic equipment from landfills through implementation of the act.

As provided in the CDRA, DEP is submitting the report to the General Assembly and posting the report on the DEP Web site. The report can be found at www.dep.state.pa.us, keyword "electronics recycling."

Thank you for your interest in this report and for continuing to partner with DEP to promote a clean environment and safer communities for all Pennsylvanians.

Sincerely,

JOHN QUIGLEY Secretary

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

AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF TEMPLE UNIVERSITY

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

TEMPLE UNIVERSITY Office of the Controller 1805 N. Broad Street (038-17) 11th Floor Wachman Hall Philadelphia, PA 19122-6094

October 26, 2015

The Honorable Megan Martin Senate Secretary/Parliamentarian Senate Box 203053 462 Main Capitol Building Harrisburg, PA 17120-3053

Dear Senator [sic] Martin:

In compliance with Act 13A of July 1, 2015, I submit to you herewith the Consolidated Audited Financial Statements for Temple University - Of the Commonwealth System of Higher Education for the fiscal year 2014-2015.

Sincerely,

FRANK ANNUNZIATO Associate Vice President & Controller The PRESIDENT. This report will be filed in the Library.

2014-15 OFFICE OF CONSUMER ADVOCATE ANNUAL REPORT

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

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA Office of Consumer Advocate

555 Walnut Street, 5th Floor, Forum Place Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17101-1923

November 2015

To the Members of the Pennsylvania General Assembly:

The Office of Consumer Advocate's 2014-2015 Annual Report is now available and has been posted on our website. This report discusses the major activities of the OCA during the Fiscal Year 2014-2015. You may use the following link to access the report, www.oca.state.pa.us. If you would like a paper copy or a CD, please email us at consumer@paoca.org to request the copy or CD.

If you have any questions concerning this report or the operations of the OCA, please contact me. Also, please do not hesitate to contact our office in the future if you or any of your constituents need assistance with any utility problems or complaints.

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Sincerely,

TANYA J. McCLOSKEY Acting Consumer Advocate

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

APPOINTMENT BY THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

The PRESIDENT. The Chair wishes to announce the President pro tempore has made the following appointment:

Mr. Lewis F. Gould, Jr., Esquire, as a Commonwealth Trustee of Temple University.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVES

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Columbia, Senator Gordner.

Senator GORDNER. Mr. President, I request a temporary Capitol leave for Senator Pileggi, and legislative leaves for Senator Corman and Senator Tomlinson.

The PRESIDENT. Senator Gordner requests a temporary Capitol leave for Senator Pileggi, and legislative leaves for Senator Corman and Senator Tomlinson. Without objection, the leaves will be granted.

JOURNAL APPROVED

The PRESIDENT. The Journal of the Session of September 28, 2015, is now in print.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the Session of September 28, 2015.

Senator GORDNER. Mr. President, I move that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with and that the Journal be approved.

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

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

YEA-49

Alloway	Eichelberger	Mensch	Vogel
Argali	Farnese	Pileggi	Vulakovich
Aument	Folmer	Rafferty	Wagner
Baker	Fontana	Sabatina	Ward
Bartolotta	Gordner	Scarnati	White
Blake	Greenleaf	Scavello	Wiley
Boscola	Haywood	Schwank	Williams
Brewster	Hughes	Smucker	Wozniak
Brooks	Hutchinson	Stefano	Yaw
Browne	Kitchen	Tartaglione	Yudichak
Corman	Leach	Teplitz	
Costa	McGarrigle	Tomlinson	
Dinniman	McIlhinney	Vance	

NAY-0

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

The PRESIDENT. The Journal is approved.

GUEST OF SENATOR JUDY SCHWANK PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Berks, Senator Schwank.

Senator SCHWANK. Mr. President, I am very pleased to introduce a young man who is serving as an intern in my office, Preston MacLean. Preston is a senior at Brandywine Heights High School, where he is active in many leadership roles such as class president, debate club president, student representative to the school board, regional president of the Future Business Leaders of America, student council vice president, as well as an anchor on his school's television news broadcast. In addition to these duties, Preston is a member of both the National Honor Society and the National Business Honor Society. After graduation, he plans on attending Dickinson College. He has volunteered over 180 hours of his time for charitable organizations. Mr. President, I am a little bit worn out just talking about all of the things that he has done. He is an amazing student and a self-professed workaholic.

Preston follows current events and politics closely. His favorite class is AP U.S. government because he gets the opportunity to discuss current events and an opportunity to learn more about government. I am very proud to have such a hardworking, talented young man to help serve my constituents in the 11th Senatorial District. Would you join me and ask my Senate colleagues to join me in welcoming Preston to the Senate today.

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

(Applause.)

RECESS

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Columbia, Senator Gordner.

Senator GORDNER. Mr. President, I request a recess of the Senate for purposes of an off-the-floor meeting of the Committee

on Appropriations to be held in the Rules room, followed by a Republican caucus to be held in the Majority Caucus Room at 2:30 p.m.

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 Appropriations, Senate Democrats will meet in the rear of the Chamber for caucus as well.

The PRESIDENT. For purposes of an off-the-floor meeting of the Committee on Appropriations, 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.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVES CANCELLED

The PRESIDENT. Senator Pileggi and Senator Corman have returned, and their respective leaves are cancelled.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Centre, Senator Corman.

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I request a legislative leave for Senator Alloway.

The PRESIDENT. Senator Corman requests a legislative leave for Senator Alloway. Without objection, the leave will be granted.

CALENDAR

BILLS VETOED BY THE GOVERNOR

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 1000 and SB 1001 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 89 (Pr. No. 79) — The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in discipline, removal and retirement of judicial officers, further providing for automatic retirement on age.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration?

POINT OF ORDER

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

Senator PILEGGI. Mr. President, I rise to request a ruling of the Chair pursuant to Senate Rule 20(c)(2). On November 3, I was elected judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Delaware County. Am I permitted to vote on House Bill No. 89?

The PRESIDENT. First, Senator, congratulations on your election.

Senator PILEGGI. Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDENT. We will miss you in the Pennsylvania Senate. The Chair thanks you for your inquiry about a conflict of interest in the factual situation just given. The Chair rules that in the situation just described, there is no conflict, and that in accordance with Senate Rule 20, Senator Pileggi, you must vote on this bill. Under the rules, anything which would excuse you from voting on this bill would have to afford you a benefit which would be particular in nature and personal to you alone. Although you in the near future will be a member of a class of judges who may be impacted by this legislation, this bill addresses the whole class, not just you, Senator Pileggi. The Chair does not find that any votes you may cast would be particularly personal to you or privately affect you alone. Therefore, it would be the ruling of the Chair that in the important duty of representing your constituents, you are indeed required to vote on the legislation under our Senate rules. And perhaps next time I will give you a shorter ruling.

Senator PILEGGI. Mr. President, thank you.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Centre, Senator Corman.

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I request a temporary Capitol leave for Senator White.

The PRESIDENT. Senator Corman requests a temporary Capitol leave for Senator White. Without objection, that leave is granted.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE CANCELLED

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

And the question recurring, Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration? It was agreed to.

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Cambria, Senator Wozniak.

Senator WOZNIAK. Mr. President, I might be the only "no" vote here, but I believe in a representative democracy. We run every 4 years and we have to face our electorate. It is sort of interesting, every 10 years reapportionment shifts our districts around, but we have to face opponents and constantly get criticized for the \$83,000 and some change that our rank-and-file Members make. We are here to make a constitutional amendment to take our judges from 70-year maximum age to 75. They run for one election in which they will have opposition. After that, they run once every 10 years for retention. For just one exception that I remember, and it was over a pay raise issue, nobody, to my knowledge, has ever lost a retention vote. They

have a 4-percent multiplier, which means every year they are in office, it is 4 percent of that year, so after 25 years of office, they receive 100 percent of their salary. That salary presently is \$180,000 a year for a common pleas county judge. I think 70 years of age is plenty of time to make a millionaire out of individuals. Let us give somebody else an opportunity to sit on the benches.

I read the letters to editors about State Senators and State Representatives having these life careers, I guess I am no exception to that rule, I have been around a long time, but it only takes one election and a retention and a half to give these common pleas judges 100 percent of their salary. Let us let the taxpayers have an opportunity to put some different philosophies on that bench and some opportunities for some young lawyers to have an opportunity to put that black robe on and be a judge. Perhaps 70 is the new 50 in this day's world, and at 75, you are probably still accurate and bright. But I will tell you what, I think in the confusion of life, let us make 70 years of age the standard where we maintain and not to exceed that. That is 5 years shy of 80. I have nothing against senior citizens, but these are people who are sitting on the bench dispensing something that sometimes is intangible. You cannot touch it, you cannot taste it, and you cannot see it, and it is called justice. I know it is a constitutional amendment, let us let the citizens decide, but for me, I say 70 is plenty and let us keep it that way. Thank you.

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

Senator WILLIAMS. Mr. President, I am speaking because the last time this came before us I voted in the affirmative for this particular bill. I want my constituents and those who are watching, and certainly the Members on this floor, to understand why I am changing my position. Unfortunately, not too long ago, certain information came to me regarding members of the Supreme Court. The consequence of that information is still rolling out to the general public, and the ugliness of that is rolling out to the general public. Some of these folks who are on the Supreme Court currently would be positively affected when it comes to this.

My intention is to remove anyone who is involved in the current set of circumstances regarding the scandalous, repugnant, racist, misogynistic emails from the Supreme Court. They should not serve a day longer, but they sure as heck should not receive the opportunity to serve 5 additional years. So for those reasons, I am voting against this particular bill. I see the merit and wisdom on many and frequent occasions of experienced individuals continuing on their service, but in this set of circumstances, these people do not represent the best of Pennsylvania, and so if they are gone, I will be more than happy to consider this particular bill at a future date. Today, as the court is currently constructed, I think it works against not just the court, but against all Pennsylvanians. So I ask for a negative vote, Mr. President. Thank you.

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:

YEA-36

Alloway Costa Mensch Tomlinson Argall Dinniman Pileggi Vance

Baker	Eichelberger	Rafferty	Vogel
Bartolotta	Farnese	Sabatina	Vulakovich
Blake	Fontana	Scarnati	Ward
Boscola	Gordner	Scavello	White
Brewster	Greenleaf	Schwank	Wiley
Browne	Kitchen	Tartaglione	Yaw
Corman	Leach	Teplitz	Yudichak

NAY-13

Aument	Hughes	Smucker	Williams
Brooks	Hutchinson	Stefano	Wozniak
Folmer	McGarrigle	Wagner	
Haywood	McIlhinney	-	

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 90 (Pr. No. 251) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, further providing for compensation and retirement of justices, judges and justices of the peace.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration?

POINT OF ORDER

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

Senator PILEGGI. Mr. President, I rise again for the same reason I rose on the previous bill, which is to inform the Chair that I was elected as a judge to the Court of Common Pleas of Delaware County on November 3, 2015, and I request a ruling of the Chair pursuant to Rule 20(c)(2) as to whether or not I am permitted to vote on House Bill No. 90.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair thanks the gentlemen for his request. I refer the gentleman to my previous ruling on House Bill No. 89 in that generally, Senator, you are not to be specially treated but you are a member of a class and therefore, on this bill, as well, you must vote on the legislation.

Senator PILEGGI. Mr. President, thank you.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration? It was agreed to.

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Cambria, Senator Wozniak.

Senator WOZNIAK. Mr. President, most likely this will be ditto, but just for clarification, what we did with House Bill No. 89 was the statute and this is the constitutional amendment to that language, having a plebiscite to allow these feeble, old people to go from 70 to 75 years of age.

The PRESIDENT. Senator, are you making a statement or a question?

Senator WOZNIAK. Mr. President, it was a question. So, what we did with the last one where we had the 13 "no" votes saying that we are not interested in going from 70 to 75 years of age, this is the constitutional amendment that actually puts it on the ballot to let a plebiscite, the citizens, make that decision, correct?

The PRESIDENT. I believe that is an accurate statement of the facts, and the Chair appreciates that magnification for purposes of the other Members of the body.

Senator WOZNIAK. Mr. President, I appreciate the people who voted "no" last time, and I ask anybody else who wants to come on board to do it with this bill, also. Thank you.

The PRESIDENT. I really believe that you are reaching more people every day, Senator.

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:

YEA-36

Alloway	Costa	Mensch	Tomlinson
Argall	Dinniman	Pileggi	Vance
Baker	Eichelberger	Rafferty	Vogel
Bartolotta	Farnese	Sabatina	Vulakovich
Blake	Fontana	Scarnati	Ward
Boscola	Gordner	Scavello	White
Brewster	Greenleaf	Schwank	Wiley
Browne	Kitchen	Tartaglione	Yaw
Corman	Leach	Teplitz	Yudichak

NAY-13

Aument	Hughes	Smucker	Williams
Brooks	Hutchinson	Stefano	Wozniak
Folmer	McGarrigle	Wagner	
Haywood	McIlhinney	•	

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.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 146 and HB 447 - Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator GORDNER.

BILL AMENDED

SB 482 (Pr. No. 748) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 7, 1947 (P.L.1368, No.542), known as the Real Estate Tax Sale Law, further providing for the title of the act; and, in sale of property, providing for Optional County Demolition and Rehabilitation Fund.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration?

Senator GORDNER, on behalf of Senator BROWNE, offered the following amendment No. A3734:

Amend Bill, page 3, lines 23 and 24, by striking out "OR ANY OTHER LAW"

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

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

YEA-49

Alloway	Eichelberger	Mensch	Vogel
Argall	Farnese	Pileggi	Vulakovich
Aument	Folmer	Rafferty	Wagner
Baker	Fontana	Sabatina	Ward
Bartolotta	Gordner	Scarnati	White
Blake	Greenleaf	Scavello	Wiley
Boscola	Haywood	Schwank	Williams
Brewster	Hughes	Smucker	Wozniak
Brooks	Hutchinson	Stefano	Yaw
Browne	Kitchen	Tartaglione	Yudichak
Corman	Leach	Teplitz	
Costa	McGarrigle	Tomlinson	
Dinniman	McIlhinney	Vance	

NAY-0

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

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

LEGISLATIVE LEAVES

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Columbia, Senator Gordner.

Senator GORDNER. Mr. President, I request temporary Capitol leaves for Senator Browne, Senator Corman, and Senator Scarnati.

The PRESIDENT. Senator Gordner requests temporary Capitol leaves for Senator Browne, Senator Corman, and Senator Scarnati. Without objection, the leaves will be granted.

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR RESUMED

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 489, SB 518 and SB 606 - Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator GORDNER.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 753 (Pr. No. 1052) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act establishing the Pennsylvania Long-term Care Council; providing for its powers and duties; and repealing related provisions of the Public Welfare Code.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Mercer, Senator Brooks.

Senator BROOKS. Mr. President, I submit comments for the record on House Bill No. 753. I also thank Representative Culver and Sharon Schwartz, the retired executive director of the House of Representatives Committee on Aging and Older Adult Services, for their hard work on this piece of legislation that helps our senior citizens in Pennsylvania.

Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDENT. Without objection, the remarks will be spread upon the record.

(The following prepared remarks were made part of the record at the request of the gentlewoman from Mercer, Senator BROOKS:)

Mr. President, House Bill No. 753 will make a lasting impact in insuring that consumers, advocates, and long-term care providers have input into addressing long-term care needs in the Commonwealth. I want to thank Representative Lynda Culver for sponsoring House Bill No. 753 and working in a bipartisan manner to move it through the House of Representatives.

I also thank Sharon Schwartz, executive director of the House Committee on Aging and Older Adult Services, for all of her work on this issue. Sharon is preparing to retire after more than 36 1/2 years of loyal and valued service to the people of Pennsylvania. She has been a great advocate and advisor on issues relating to our youth and aging population in Pennsylvania. I had the pleasure of working with Sharon for 8 years while serving as a member of the House Committee on Aging and Older Adult Services during my tenure in the House. I wish Sharon and her family all the best as they enjoy this time together.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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:

YEA-49

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Alloway	Eichelberger	Mensch	Vogel
Argall	Farnese	Pileggi	Vulakovich
Aument	Folmer	Rafferty	Wagner
Baker	Fontana	Sabatina	Ward
Bartolotta	Gordner	Scarnati	White
Blake	Greenleaf	Scavello	Wiley
Boscola	Haywood	Schwank	Williams
Brewster	Hughes	Smucker	Wozniak
Brooks	Hutchinson	Stefano	Yaw
Browne	Kitchen	Tartaglione	Yudichak
Corman	Leach	Teplitz	
Costa	McGarrigle	Tomlinson	
Dinniman	McIlhinney	Vance	

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.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 837, SB 868, HB 907, HB 909 and SB 927 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator GORDNER.

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

SB 955 (Pr. No. 1178) - The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act designating a certain interchange in New Stanton Borough, Westmoreland County, as the Edwin "Lance" Wentzel Memorial Interchange.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Westmoreland, Senator Ward.

Senator WARD. Mr. President, Senate Bill No. 955 designates an interchange of Interstate 70 and Pennsylvania Route 119 in Westmoreland County as the Edwin "Lance" Wentzel Memorial Interchange. Lance was a native of Youngwood and a well-respected 35-year veteran of the Youngwood Volunteer Hose Company No. 1. Mr. Wentzel held numerous line officer and board positions within the department during his lengthy service and was named the 2012 Youngwood Firefighter of the Year. He took part in the rescue effort at Ground Zero after 9/11.

On March 22, 2014, Mr. Wentzel was a part of a group from the fire department using its K9 Search and Rescue team to aid in the search for a missing woman in North Versailles. As he was searching along the railroad tracks, he accidently got in front of an oncoming train and he was hit from behind by the engine and died at the scene. This interchange designation will help honor the duty and sacrifice that he made to do what firefighters do, which is to help keep our communities safe.

Thank you, and I appreciate everyone's support on this bill.

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:

YEA-49

Alloway	Eichelberger	Mensch	Vogel
Argall	Farnese	Pileggi	Vulakovich
Aument	Folmer	Rafferty	Wagner
Baker	Fontana	Sabatina	Ward
Bartolotta	Gordner	Scarnati	White
Blake	Greenleaf	Scavello	Wiley
Boscola	Haywood	Schwank	Williams
Brewster	Hughes	Smucker	Wozniak
Brooks	Hutchinson	Stefano	Yaw
Browne	Kitchen	Tartaglione	Yudichak
Corman	Leach	Teplitz	
Costa	McGarrigle	Tomlinson	
Dinniman	McIlhinney	Vance	

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.

SB 956 (Pr. No. 1179) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 711 over the Loyalhanna Creek in Ligonier Township, Westmoreland County, as the Lieutenant Eric Eslary Memorial Bridge.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Westmoreland, Senator Ward.

Senator WARD. Mr. President, I actually have the sad duty today of having two heroes from our community who were killed in the line of duty for which we are designating something special for them. This bill designates a bridge located at State Route 711 in Westmoreland County over the Loyalhanna Creek as the Lieutenant Eric Eslary Memorial Bridge. Lieutenant Eric Eslary was a native of Ligonier and a 17-year veteran of the Ligonier Township Police Department. On May 5, 2015, Lieutenant Eslary was patrolling Route 30 in Ligonier Township with his K9 partner, Blek. An SUV, driven by someone who was under the influence of alcohol, was going the wrong way on Route 30 and wrecked into the lieutenant and Blek. He sadly died at the scene. Blek also had to have veterinary care and would not leave his side that evening.

Lieutenant Eslary was a well-respected and committed law enforcement officer who established his department's K9 unit in 2000, and provided K9 training assistance to other departments across the State. He was instrumental and a very important part of the Westmoreland County Drug Task Force, through which he provided drug resistance education to local schoolchildren and civic organizations. This bridge designation will help honor the life, work, and sacrifice of Lieutenant Eslary. Thank you.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair thanks the gentlewoman for honoring yet another hero who has fallen in service to all of us.

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:

YEA-49

Alloway	Eichelberger	Mensch	Vogel
Argall	Farnese	Pileggi	Vulakovich
Aument	Folmer	Rafferty	Wagner
Baker	Fontana	Sabatina	Ward
Bartolotta	Gordner	Scarnati	White
Blake	Greenleaf	Scavello	Wiley
Boscola	Haywood	Schwank	Williams
Brewster	Hughes	Smucker	Wozniak
Brooks	Hutchinson	Stefano	Yaw
Browne	Kitchen	Tartaglione	Yudichak
Corman	Leach	Teplitz	
Costa	McGarrigle	Tomlinson	
Dinniman	McIlhinney	Vance	

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.

SB 988 (Pr. No. 1223) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 403 over the Two Lick Creek, Borough of Clymer, Indiana County as the Sergeant James Robert Pantall Memorial Bridge.

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	Eichelberger	Mensch	Vogel
Argall	Farnese	Pileggi	Vulakovich
Aument	Folmer	Rafferty	Wagner
Baker	Fontana	Sabatina	Ward
Bartolotta	Gordner	Scarnati	White
Blake	Greenleaf	Scavello	Wiley
Boscola	Haywood	Schwank	Williams
Brewster	Hughes	Smucker	Wozniak
Brooks	Hutchinson	Stefano	Yaw
Browne	Kitchen	Tartaglione	Yudichak
Corman	Leach	Teplitz	
Costa	McGarrigle	Tomlinson	
Dinniman	McIlhinney	Vance	

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.

SB 989 (Pr. No. 1224) — The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 580 over the Susquehanna River, Cherry Tree Borough, Indiana County, as the Airman Second Class Gerald Emmett Johnson Memorial Bridge.

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	Eichelberger	Mensch	Vogel
Argall	Farnese	Pileggi	Vulakovich
Aument	Folmer	Rafferty	Wagner
Baker	Fontana	Sabatina	Ward
Bartolotta	Gordner	Scarnati	White
Blake	Greenleaf	Scavello	Wiley

Boscola	Haywood	Schwank	Williams
Brewster	Hughes	Smucker	Wozniak
Brooks	Hutchinson	Stefano	Yaw
Browne	Kitchen	Tartaglione	Yudichak
Corman	Leach	Teplitz	
Costa	McGarrigle	Tomlinson	
Dinniman	McIlhinney	Vance	

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

HB 1340 and **HB 1411** — Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator GORDNER.

SECOND CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 50, SB 62, SB 126, SB 127 and SB 201 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator GORDNER.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION, AMENDED

HB 263 (Pr. No. 267) – The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for unlawful devices and methods.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on second consideration? Senator GORDNER, on behalf of Senator SCARNATI, offered the following amendment No. A3819:

Amend Bill, page 1, line 2, by inserting after "Statutes,": in hunting and furtaking,

Amend Bill, page 1, line 2, by inserting after "methods": ; and, in hunting and furtaking licenses, further providing for elk hunting licenses

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 5 and 6, by striking out all of said lines and inserting:

Section 1. Sections 2308(a)(5) and 2706.2(c)(6) of Title 34 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes are repealed:

Amend Bill, page 1, by inserting between lines 16 and 17: § 2706.2. Elk hunting licenses.

(c) Special-license fundraiser.--In addition to any other elk license provided for under this section, the commission may hold a special-license fundraiser for hunters interested in the opportunity to hunt one elk, subject to the following:

[(6) This subsection shall expire July 1, 2018.]

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

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

YEA-49

Alloway	Eichelberger	Mensch	Vogel
Argall	Farnese	Pileggi	Vulakovich
Aument	Folmer	Rafferty	Wagner
Baker	Fontana	Sabatina	Ward
Bartolotta	Gordner	Scarnati	White
Blake	Greenleaf	Scavello	Wiley
Boscola	Haywood	Schwank	Williams
Brewster	Hughes	Smucker	Wozniak
Brooks	Hutchinson	Stefano	Yaw
Browne	Kitchen	Tartaglione	Yudichak
Corman	Leach	Teplitz	
Costa	McGarrigle	Tomlinson	
Dinniman	McIlhinney	Vance	

NAY-0

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

On the question,

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

It was agreed to.

Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.

BILLS REREFERRED

SB 340 (Pr. No. 1382) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in indebtedness and borrowing, further providing for definitions, for classification and authority to issue bonds and notes, for cost of project and for exclusion of other self-liquidating debt to determine net nonelectoral debt or net lease rental debt; providing for preliminary filings with the department prior to the issuance of certain debt; further providing for small borrowing for capital purposes, for debt statement, for submission to department, for certificate of approval of transcript, for effect of failure of timely action by department and for records of department; and providing for duties of participants in transactions relating to incurring debt and issuing bonds and notes.

Upon motion of Senator GORDNER, and agreed to by voice vote, the bill was rereferred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SB 341 (Pr. No. 475) – The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 53 (Municipalities Generally) and 65 (Public Officers) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in municipal authorities, further providing for money of authority and for competition in award of contracts; and, in ethics standards and financial disclosure, further providing for investigations by commission.

Upon motion of Senator GORDNER, and agreed to by voice vote, the bill was rereferred to the Committee on Appropriations.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 342, SB 343 and SB 344 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator GORDNER.

BILL LAID ON THE TABLE

HB 400 (Pr. No. 1957) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act providing for the Work Experience for High School Students with Disabilities Act; and imposing duties on the Office of Vocational Rehabilitation.

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

HB 400 TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator GORDNER. Mr. President, I move that House Bill No. 400, Printer's No. 1957, 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 455 and **HB 579** — Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator GORDNER.

BILL LAID ON THE TABLE

HB 696 (Pr. No. 2217) — The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 26, 2014 (P.L.790, No.77), entitled "An act designating the 700 to 800 block of U.S. Route 13, also known as the Chester Pike, in Prospect Park Borough, Delaware County, as the Officers Luke Arlington Conner and John Horace Callaghan Memorial Highway," further providing for the Officers Luke Arlington Conner and John Horace Callaghan Memorial Highway.

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

BILL OVER IN ORDER

SB 731 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator GORDNER.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION, AMENDED

SB 735 (Pr. No. 1368) — The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 3 (Agriculture) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in food protection, further providing for definitions and for license required.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on second consideration? Senator VOGEL offered the following amendment No. A4108:

Amend Bill, page 3, line 3, by striking out "as"

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

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

YEA-49

Alloway Argall Aument Baker Bartolotta Blake Boscola Brewster	Eichelberger Farnese Folmer Fontana Gordner Greenleaf Haywood	Mensch Pileggi Rafferty Sabatina Scarnati Scavello Schwank Smucker	Vogel Vulakovich Wagner Ward White Wiley Williams Wozniak
Brooks Browne	Hughes Hutchinson Kitchen	Stefano Tartaglione	Yaw Yudichak
Corman Costa Dinniman	Leach McGarrigle McIlhinney	Teplitz Tomlinson Vance	

NAY-0

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

On the question,

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

It was agreed to.

Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 794 and **SB 805** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator GORDNER.

BILL AMENDED

HB 838 (Pr. No. 1006) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act designating a bridge on that portion of Garrett Road over the Darby Creek, Upper Darby Township, Delaware County, as the Honorable Nicholas A. Micozzie Bridge.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on second consideration? Senator GORDNER offered the following amendment No. A3919:

Amend Bill, page 1, line 3, by striking out the period after "Bridge" and inserting:

; designating the section of Pennsylvania Route 849 in Newport, Perry County, as the United States Navy Petty Officer 1st Class A. Louis De Lancey Memorial Highway; designating the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources' Resource Management Center, located in Conyngham Township, Columbia County, as the Edward W. Helfrick Resource Management Center; designating the 700 to 800 block of U.S. Route 13, also known as the Chester Pike, in Prospect Park Borough, Delaware County, as the Officers Luke Arlington Conner and J. Horace Callaghan Memorial Highway; and making a related repeal.

Amend Bill, page 2, lines 15 and 16, by striking out all of said lines

and inserting:

Section 2. United States Navy Petty Officer 1st Class A. Louis De Lancey Memorial Highway.

(a) Findings.--The General Assembly finds and declares as fol-

- (1) A. Louis "Lou" De Lancey was born March 8, 1936, in Newport to Sherman and Dorothy Adams De Lancey.
- (2) In June 1954, De Lancey joined the Navy and served aboard the USS Midway and the USS Hanson during the Korean War
- (3) While aboard the USS Midway, Petty Officer De Lancey assisted in the evacuation of more than 18,000 civilians and 15,000 of Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalist troops to Formosa, now known as Taiwan, as they fled from the Communist People's Liberation Army advancing on the Dachen (Tachen) Islands.
- (4) In recognition of his service, Petty Officer De Lancey received the China Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal and the National Defense Service Medal.
- (5) Petty Officer De Lancey was a lifelong member and Post Commander of William H. Saylor VFW #34, Newport American Legion Post #177, Commander of the Perry Council VFW, cofounder and President of the Perry County Sailors Association, a member of the USS Midway Veterans Association, a member of the Navy Club of the USA and was inducted to the Chapel of the Four Chaplains Legion of Honor in 2003 for his work with the Korean War Veterans Recognition Ceremony
- (6) In addition to his military service, Petty Officer De Lancey was a member of the Loyal Order of Moose Lodge #925 and the Plumbers and Pipefitters Local Union #520.

(7) After a courageous battle with cancer, Petty Officer De Lancey passed away on February 23, 2014, at 77 years of age.

- (b) Designation.--The section of Pennsylvania Route 849 in Newport, Perry County, is hereby designated as the United States Navy Petty Officer 1st Class A. Louis De Lancey Memorial Highway.
- (c) Signs.--The Department of Transportation shall erect and maintain appropriate signs displaying the name of the highway to traffic in both directions on the highway.

Section 3. Edward W. Helfrick Resource Management Center.

- (a) Declaration of policy.--The General Assembly finds and declares as follows:
- (1) Edward W. Helfrick served as Senator from the 27th Senatorial District from 1981 to 2003.
- (2) The Roaring Creek Tract of the Weiser State Forest in Northumberland and Columbia Counties was established in 2003.
- (3) Senator Helfrick was widely known as an outdoors enthusiast, taking part in and promoting outdoor recreational opportunities.
- (4) Senator Helfrick was instrumental in the transfer of land from a private company to the Commonwealth to establish the Roaring Creek Tract of the Weiser State Forest to provide additional outdoor recreational opportunities and to preserve the land in an undeveloped state.

(b) Designation .--

- (1) The Resource Management Center located in the Weiser State Forest in Conyngham Township, Columbia County, is designated and shall be referred to as the Edward W. Helfrick Resource Management Center.
- (2) The Department of General Services shall erect and the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources shall maintain appropriate signage to indicate the designation under paragraph (1). Section 4. Officers Luke Arlington Conner and J. Horace Callaghan Memorial Highway.
 - (a) Findings .--
 - (1) Officer Luke Arlington Conner.

(i) Officer Conner was a resident of Prospect Park and an officer of the Prospect Park Police Department for two years.

- (ii) On October 8, 1919, Officer Conner was on foot patrol on U.S. Route 13, also known as the Chester Pike, and was struck by a vehicle, dying six hours later in a local hospital.
- (iii) Officer Conner was survived by his wife and five children.
 - (2) Officer J. Horace Callaghan.
- (i) Officer Callaghan was a resident of Prospect Park and an officer of the Prospect Park Police Department for 15 years.
- (ii) On December 21, 1940, Officer Callaghan was directing traffic on U.S. Route 13, also known as the Chester Pike, near Stewart Avenue, when he was struck by a drunk driver.
- (iii) Officer Callaghan was survived by his wife and three children.
 - (b) Designation.--The 700 to 800 block of U.S. Route 13, also

known as the Chester Pike, in Prospect Park Borough, Delaware County, is designated as the Officers Luke Arlington Conner and J. Horace Callaghan Memorial Highway.

(c) Signs.--The Department of Transportation shall erect and maintain appropriate signs displaying the name of the highway to traffic in both directions on the highway.

Section 5. Repeals.

The act of June 26, 2014 (P.L.790, No.77), entitled "An act designating the 700 to 800 block of U.S. Route 13, also known as the Chester Pike, in Prospect Park Borough, Delaware County, as the Officers Luke Arlington Conner and John Horace Callaghan Memorial Highway," is repealed.

Section 6. Effective date.

This act shall take effect as follows:

- (1) The following provisions shall take effect immediately:
- (i) This section.
- (ii) Section 3.
- (2) The remainder of this act shall take effect in 60 days.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

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

YEA-49

Alloway	Eichelberger	Mensch	Vogel
Argall	Farnese	Pileggi	Vulakovich
Aument	Folmer	Rafferty	Wagner
Baker	Fontana	Sabatina	Ward
Bartolotta	Gordner	Scarnati	White
Blake	Greenleaf	Scavello	Wiley
Boscola	Haywood	Schwank	Williams
Brewster	Hughes	Smucker	Wozniak
Brooks	Hutchinson	Stefano	Yaw
Browne	Kitchen	Tartaglione	Yudichak
Corman	Leach	Teplitz	
Costa	McGarrigle	Tomlinson	
Dinniman	McIlhinney	Vance	

NAY-0

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

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

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 851, SB 976 and SB 984 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator GORDNER.

BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

SB 1045 (Pr. No. 1370) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in general provisions, providing for character of discharge.

Considered the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.

SB 1046 (Pr. No. 1357) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in Pennsylvania National Guard, further providing for retired Pennsylvania National Guard personnel.

Considered the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 1161 and **HB 1278** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator GORDNER.

BILL LAID ON THE TABLE

HB 1279 (Pr. No. 2218) — The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act designating a section of Christopher Columbus Boulevard between Oregon Avenue and Washington Avenue in the City of Philadelphia, Philadelphia County, as the William J. Guarnere and Edward "Babe" Heffron Memorial Boulevard; designating a portion of US Route 222 in Lancaster County as the Senator Noah W. Wenger Highway.

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

HB 1279 TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator GORDNER. Mr. President, I move that House Bill No. 1279, Printer's No. 2218, 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.

BILL REREFERRED

HB 1332 (Pr. No. 1814) – The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 24 (Education) and 71 (State Government) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in retirement for school employees, further providing for definitions and for construction of part; providing for notice to members; further providing for credited school service, for creditable nonschool service, for eligibility for annuities, for eligibility for vesting, for eligibility for refunds, for regular member contributions for current service, for pickup contributions, for return of accumulated contributions, for maximum single life annuity, for disability annuities, for member's options, for termination of annuities, for death benefits, for payment of benefits, for duties of board regarding applications and elections of members, for duties of employers, and for rights and duties of school employees and members; in retirement for State employees and officers, further providing for definitions, for credited State service, for creditable nonstate service, for Social Security integration credits, for eligibility for annuities, for eligibility for vesting, for eligibility for special vesting, for eligibility for refunds, for regular member contributions for current service, for Social Security integration member contributions, for waiver of regular member contributions and Social Security integration member contributions, for member contributions for the purchase of credit for previous State service or to become a full coverage member, for contributions for the

purchase of credit for creditable nonstate service, for incomplete payments, for return of total accumulated deductions, for maximum single life annuity, for disability annuities, for member's options, for termination of annuities, for death benefits, for payment of benefits, for duties of board to advise and report to heads of departments and members, for duties of the board regarding application and elections of members, for duties of heads of departments, for rights and duties of State employees and members, and for taxation, attachment and assignment of funds; and providing for construction of part with respect to the Internal Revenue Code.

Upon motion of Senator GORDNER, and agreed to by voice vote, the bill was rereferred to the Committee on Appropriations.

BILL OVER IN ORDER

HB 1335 — Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator GORDNER.

SB 912, SB 913, SB 914, SB 915, SB 916 AND HB 735 TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator GORDNER. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 912, Printer's No. 1070; Senate Bill No. 913, Printer's No. 1071; Senate Bill No. 914, Printer's No. 1072; Senate Bill No. 915, Printer's No. 1073; Senate Bill No. 916, Printer's No. 1074; and House Bill No. 735, Printer's No. 869, 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.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 1

NONPREFERRED APPROPRIATIONS
BILLS RECOMMITTED

SB 912 (Pr. No. 1070) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

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

Upon motion of Senator GORDNER, and agreed to by voice vote, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

SB 913 (Pr. No. 1071) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

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

Upon motion of Senator GORDNER, and agreed to by voice vote, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

SB 914 (Pr. No. 1072) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

A Supplement to the act of November 30, 1965 (P.L.843, No.355), entitled "An act providing for the establishment and operation of Temple University as an instrumentality of the Commonwealth to serve as a State-related university in the higher education system of the Commonwealth; providing for change of name; providing for the composition of the board of trustees; terms of trustees, and the power and duties of such trustees; providing for preference to Pennsylvania residents in tuition; providing for public support and capital improvements; authorizing appropriations in amounts to be fixed annually by the General Assembly; providing for the auditing of accounts of expenditures from said appropriations; authorizing the issuance of bonds exempt from taxation within the Commonwealth; requiring the President to make an annual report of the operations of Temple University," making an appropriation for carrying the same into effect; providing for a basis for payments of such appropriation; and providing a method of accounting for the funds appropriated and for certain fiscal information disclosure.

Upon motion of Senator GORDNER, and agreed to by voice vote, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

SB 915 (Pr. No. 1073) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

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

Upon motion of Senator GORDNER, and agreed to by voice vote, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

SB 916 (Pr. No. 1074) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

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

Upon motion of Senator GORDNER, and agreed to by voice vote, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

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

SB 691 (Pr. No. 677) (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176), known as The Fiscal Code, in cigarette sales and licensing, further providing for definitions, for retention of records and for violations and penalties and providing for preemption.

SB 859 (Pr. No. 976) (Rereported)

An Act amending Titles 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedures) and 61 (Prisons and Parole) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in judicial boards and commissions, further providing for definitions and

for publication of guidelines; in juvenile matters, further providing for inspection of court files and records; in prisoner litigation, further providing for prisoner filing fees; in particular rights and immunities, further providing for immunity of State parole officers and for immunity of program administrators and supervisors; in sentencing, further providing for dispositions of persons found guilty but mentally ill, for collection of restitution and penalties, for sentencing proceeding and place of confinement, for information required upon commitment and subsequent disposition, for transfer of inmates in need of medical treatment, for applicability, for registry, for initial registration, for duty to inform, for assessments, for administration, for global positioning system technology, for immunity for good faith conduct, for Pennsylvania State Police, for duties of probation and parole officials, for duties of facilities housing sexual offenders, for board and for annual performance audit; in preliminary provisions, further providing for definitions; providing for powers of peace officers; in county correctional institutions, further providing for county recording system; in motivational boot camp, further providing for motivational boot camp program; in State intermediate punishment, further providing for definitions; in community corrections centers and community corrections facilities, further providing for definitions, for department, for offenders who may be housed, for authority of Commonwealth employees, for authority of chairman and for escape; providing for certain offenders residing in group-based homes; further providing for probation and parole; in Pennsylvania Board of Probation and Parole, further providing for definitions, for operation of parole system generally, for administration, for Pennsylvania Board of Probation and Parole, for board chairperson, for board action, for meetings, for offices, for district directors, for district office employees, for disciplinary action, for political activities, for advisory committee, for certain offenders residing in group-based homes, for general powers of board, for specific powers of board, for probation services, for sentencing court, for general criteria for parole, for right of access to inmates, for parole power, for violation of terms of parole, for parole procedure, for victim statements, for general rules and special regulations, for investigations for the board of pardons, for early parole of inmates, for definitions, for status as peace officers and for supervisory relationship; providing for supervision of offenders and for agents; in county probation officers' firearm education and training, further providing for definitions, for county probation officers' firearm education and training commission, for commission membership, for powers and duties of commission, for training mandatory, for requirements for program participation and for the County Probation Officers' Firearm Education and Training Fund; in Interstate Compacts, further providing for Interstate Compacts, for deputization and for supervisions of persons paroled by other states; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation; providing for the transfer of functions, powers and duties.

SB 860 (Pr. No. 977) (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of November 24, 1998 (P.L.882, No.111), known as the Crime Victims Act, in preliminary provisions, further providing for definitions; in crime victims, further providing for responsibilities of department, local correctional facilities and board; in administration, further providing for office; and, in financial matters, further providing for costs for offender supervision programs.

HB 683 (Pr. No. 1427) (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of June 27, 2006 (1st Sp.Sess., P.L.1873, No.1), known as the Taxpayer Relief Act, in senior citizens property tax and rent rebate assistance, further providing for definitions.

HB 934 (Pr. No. 1946) (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), known as the Public Welfare Code, in public assistance, providing for the establishment of KEYS; in children and youth, further providing for provider submissions; in departmental powers and duties as to supervision, further providing for definitions; in departmental powers and duties as to licensing, further providing for definitions, for fees and for provi-

sional license; and, in family finding and kinship care, further providing for definitions, for kinship care program and for permanent legal custodianship subsidy and reimbursement; abrogating a regulation; and making editorial changes.

SENATE RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED

Senators TEPLITZ, GREENLEAF, SABATINA, MENSCH, EICHELBERGER, RAFFERTY, FONTANA, DINNIMAN, COSTA, TARTAGLIONE, BREWSTER, SCARNATI, SCHWANK, PILEGGI, BARTOLOTTA, VULAKOVICH, AUMENT, FARNESE, BROWNE and HUGHES, by unanimous consent, offered **Senate Resolution No. 239**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of November 2015 as "Adoption Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

On the question,
Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Dauphin, Senator Teplitz.

Senator TEPLITZ. Mr. President, this resolution designates the month of November 2015 as "Adoption Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania. Every child deserves a loving, nurturing, permanent home where they feel cared for, safe, and supported. We all know that the family is the foundation of any society. Unfortunately, every year thousands of children enter the foster care system. In early 2015, there were 1,743 children in Pennsylvania waiting to be adopted. Each year more than 20,000 children ageout of the system without being adopted. By supporting this resolution, Pennsylvania can raise awareness about the importance of finding a permanent home for these children and to recognize the many families who have lovingly welcomed a child into their family through adoption. It is also an opportunity to recognize the hard work of both public and private adoption agencies and their commitment to the needs of children throughout our Commonwealth. So, Mr. President, I ask that my colleagues join me in designating the month of November 2015 as Adoption Awareness Month in Pennsylvania. Thank you.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

Senators BAKER, KITCHEN, GREENLEAF, SABATINA, TARTAGLIONE, DINNIMAN, ARGALL, RAFFERTY, MENSCH, BROWNE, PILEGGI, SCHWANK, BARTOLOTTA, COSTA, BREWSTER, FARNESE, VULAKOVICH, AUMENT and HUGHES, by unanimous consent, offered Senate Resolution No. 240, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of November 2015 as "COPD Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

On the question,

Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

Senator BAKER. Mr. President, this resolution designates November 2015 as "COPD Awareness Month." Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease affects 24 million individuals and kills approximately 140,000 Americans each year. In fact, it is the fourth leading cause of death here in the Commonwealth. COPD describes an air flow obstruction due to illnesses such as emphysema or chronic bronchitis. There is no cure, so it is best to slow the progression through diagnosis and treatment. November is our time to promote public awareness, education, and early diagnosis to save lives and help reduce costs. So I urge an affirmative vote on this resolution.

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.

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 Brenda L. Branum and to Biglerville High School Marching Band by Senator Alloway.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Sergeant First Class Gary A. Boettger by Senator Argall.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to E. Christian Wilson by Senator Bartolotta.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Bruce Palmer by Senators Boscola and Scavello.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Roy George, Donald Trzeciak and to Richard Smith by Senator Brewster.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Youth Advocate Programs by Senator Folmer.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Claude Shepherd by Senator Haywood.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Gary O. Hunter by Senator Leach.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Chief Steven P. Daniels by Senator McIlhinney.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Helen Sarnocinski and to Catherine R. Clark by Senator Pileggi.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Donald J. Brown and to the Honorable George A. King by Senator Scarnati.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Leona R. Lichtenstein, Pocono Township Volunteer Fire Company and to Willowtree Inn by Senator Scavello.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Jacob Daniel Hosey by Senator Vance.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Richard T. Dixon by Senator Vulakovich.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Joseph Raymond Pstir by Senator Ward.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Alice Whitesell by Senator White.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Anthony Cundro, Barbara Franzosa, Christopher Ondrus, Joan S. Turko, UNICO All-Star Football Classic for Charity, Jim Thorpe Yoga, Pocono Whitewater, PenTeleData and to Technical Processing and Engineering, Inc., by Senator Yudichak.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Dr. Marc Rabin, Barbara Bossi, Ellen E. Farrell and to Luzerne County Head Start by Senators Yudichak and Blake.

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 Violet Rose Machek Uliana by Senator Boscola.

Condolences of the Senate were extended to the family of the late James Macaleer by Senators Dinniman and Pileggi.

Condolences of the Senate were extended to the family of the late Ella D. Noble by Senator McIlhinney.

Condolences of the Senate were extended to the family of the late Natalie A. Strange by Senator Tomlinson.

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SECRETARY

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

SENATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2015

10:00 A.M.	SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON SENATE ADDRESS (testimony from a panel of constitutional and legal ethics experts)	Hrg. Rm. 1 North Off.
10:30 A.M.	TRANSPORTATION (to consider Senate Bill No. 891; and House Bills No. 813, 1170, 1195, 1201 and 1341)	Room 8E-B East Wing
11:30 A.M.	JUDICIARY (to consider Senate Bills No. 917, 936 and 986)	Room 8E-B East Wing
12:30 P.M.	STATE GOVERNMENT (to consider Senate Bills No. 952, 1022, 1052, 1054 and 1068; and Senate Resolutions No. 215 and 238)	Room 8E-B East Wing
Off the Floor	AGING AND YOUTH (to consider House Bills No. 477, 1329 and 1603)	Rules Cmte. Conf. Rm.
Off the Floor	APPROPRIATIONS (to consider Senate Bills No. 912, 913, 914, 915 and 916)	Rules. Cmte. Conf. Rm.
Off the Floor	GAME AND FISHERIES (to consider Senate Bill No. 1065 and House Bill No. 698)	Rules. Cmte. Conf. Rm.
Off the Floor	RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS (to consider Senate Bills No. 609 and 887; and certain Executive Nominations)	Rules Cmte. Conf. Rm.
	WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2015	
9:30 A.M.	FINANCE (to consider House Bill No. 414)	Room 461 Main Capitol
10:00 A.M.	BANKING AND INSURANCE (public hearing on Senate Bill No. 842)	Hrg. Rm. 1 North Off.
10:00 A.M.	VETERANS AFFAIRS AND	Room 461

EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS (to

consider Senate Bills No. 1013, 1047 and 1067; and House Bills No. 49 and

602)

Main Capitol

Off the Floor	LOCAL GOVERNMENT (to consider House Bill No. 1296)	Rules Cmte. Conf. Rm.
	THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2015	
9:30 A.M.	VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS (public hearing on the National Guard Youth Challenge Program - Senate Bill No. 56) MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2015	Carson Long Military Acad.
11:00 A.M.	COMMUNITY, ECONOMIC AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT (public hearing to consider Senate Bill No. 1024 which repeals the Pittsburgh Intergovernmental Cooperation Authority, ICA, and to consider the pros and cons of this legislation and the potential impact repealing the ICA may have on the City of Pittsburgh, an Act 47 financially distressed municipality)	Holiday Inn Pitt/ Monroe- ville

BILLS SIGNED

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant Governor Mike Stack) in the presence of the Senate signed the following bills:

SB 77, SB 775, SB 791, SB 793 and HB 239.

RECESS

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Columbia, Senator Gordner.

Senator GORDNER. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now recess until Tuesday, November 17, 2015, 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 5:38 p.m., Eastern Standard Time.