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WEDNESDAY, October 26, 2016

The Senate met at 11 a.m., Eastern Daylight Saving Time.

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

PRAYER

The Chaplain, Reverend ERIC H. REIMER, of St. John's Lutheran Church, Hatboro, offered the following prayer:

Blessed are You, O Lord our God, maker of all things. You have filled this world with a great abundance and You have raised up leaders to insure that all Your people may share in Your gifts. Guide the deliberations of this Assembly to see past the struggles of today and seek a lasting wholeness and justice for all Your people so that the hungry may be fed, the sick may find healing, the terrorized may find safety, and the oppressed may find freedom. Amen.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair thanks Pastor Reimer, who is the guest today of Senator Greenleaf.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

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:

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Senators SCAVELLO, McGARRIGLE, TARTAGLIONE, ARGALL, GREENLEAF, TEPLITZ, VULAKOVICH, RAFFERTY, KILLION, BREWSTER and DINNIMAN presented to the Chair SB 1395, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 26, 2001 (P.L.755, No.77), known as the Tobacco Settlement Act, in Commonwealth universal research enhancement, providing for spinal cord injury research program, further providing for department responsibilities and for use of funds and providing for spinal cord injury research programs funding.

Which was committed to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE, October 26, 2016.

Senators ARGALL, MENSCH, FOLMER, AUMENT, BARTOLOTTA, RAFFERTY and BROWNE presented to the Chair SB 1398, entitled:

An Act amending Title 24 (Education) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, establishing the Public School Employees' Benefit Board and providing for its powers and duties; requiring a school employee health benefits evaluation; providing for a health benefits program for public school employees; and establishing the Public School Employees' Benefit Trust Fund.

Which was committed to the Committee on EDUCATION, October 26, 2016.

Senators EICHELBERGER, SCARNATI, FOLMER, WHITE, WAGNER, AUMENT and ALLOWAY presented to the Chair SB 1399, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 23, 1970 (P.L.563, No.195), known as the Public Employe Relations Act, repealing the definition of "maintenance of membership"; and further providing for employee rights and the scope of collective bargaining and for membership dues deductions.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOV-ERNMENT, October 26, 2016.

Senators ALLOWAY and CORMAN presented to the Chair SB 1401, entitled:

An Act providing for the creation of Water Quality Improvement Grants to local governments, county conservation districts, State agencies and individuals for point and nonpoint source prevention, reduction and control programs, for establishment of a verified total maximum daily limit parameter credit program and for the powers and duties of the State Conservation Commission.

Which was committed to the Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, October 26, 2016.

HOUSE MESSAGES

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:

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HB 1525 and 1530 -- Committee on Judiciary.

HB 1528 and 2134 -- Committee on Public Health and Welfare.

HB 1804 -- Committee on Finance.

HB 2382 -- Committee on Labor and Industry.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MINORITY LEADER

The PRESIDENT. The Chair wishes to announce the Minority Leader has made the following appointment:

Mr. Robert Mazza as a member of the Pennsylvania Wine Marketing and Research Program Board.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, I request a legislative leave for Senator Teplitz.

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

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Senator CORMAN asked and obtained a leave of absence for Senator WAGNER, for today's Session, for personal reasons.

Senator COSTA asked and obtained a leave of absence for Senator TARTAGLIONE, for today's Session, for personal reasons.

JOURNALS APPROVED

The PRESIDENT. The Journals of the Sessions of September 27, 2016, and September 28, 2016, are now in print.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journals of the Sessions of September 27, 2016, and September 28, 2016.

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

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

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

YEA-48

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

NAY-0

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

The PRESIDENT. The Journals are approved.

GUEST OF SENATOR STEWART J. GREENLEAF PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

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

Senator GREENLEAF. Mr. President, our Chaplain for today, Pastor Eric Reimer, is the senior pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church in Hatboro, which is in my senatorial district. Pastor Reimer has lived in and been a part of the Pennsylvania community in many ways. He has resided in Berks, Lehigh, Luzerne, Columbia, Adams, Schuylkill, Beaver, and Montgomery Coun-

ties. He grew up in Macungie, where he served as a volunteer firefighter, and is a graduate of Bloomsburg University. He worked with children and juveniles in the juvenile system and helped juveniles and children who are at risk. He is married and has two children. He was called to the ministry and attended the Lutheran Theological Seminary at Gettysburg, where he graduated with a master in divinity in 2009. Pastor Reimer has served as pastor of Rehoboth Lutheran Church in Economy, Pennsylvania, and is now senior pastor at St. John's Lutheran Church. It is my pleasure to have him here today. One of the major services that he has in his church is to reach out to those people who are suffering in regard to food and other human necessities. The church has been well known for that and he has been well known for that. I have enjoyed working with him on those types of activities.

The PRESIDENT. Will the guest of Senator Greenleaf, Pastor Reimer, please rise so that we may welcome you to the Pennsylvania State Senate. Thank you for your prayer, Pastor.

(Applause.)

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS SENATE RESOLUTION ADOPTED

Senators VULAKOVICH, COSTA, ARGALL, BAKER, BARTOLOTTA, BOSCOLA, BREWSTER, BROOKS, BROWNE, DINNIMAN, EICHELBERGER, FARNESE, FONTANA, GORDNER, GREENLEAF, HUTCHINSON, KILLION, McGARRIGLE, MENSCH, RAFFERTY, RESCHENTHALER, SABATINA, SCAVELLO, TEPLITZ, WARD, WHITE, WOZNIAK, YAW, YUDICHAK and FOLMER, by unanimous consent, offered Senate Resolution No. 489, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing October 26, 2016, as "Veterans Day at the Capitol 2016" in Pennsylvania to highlight the accomplishments and needs of Pennsylvania's veterans and to raise awareness of the issues veterans face and the benefits they receive while residing in this Commonwealth.

On the question,
Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

Senator VULAKOVICH. Mr. President, it is my pleasure this morning to offer this resolution proclaiming October 26, 2016, as "Veterans Day at the Capitol 2016." In every war and conflict, Pennsylvania men and women have answered the call to duty in fighting for our freedoms. Today we have nearly 1 million veterans, ranking us fourth nationally. Our State has many great programs to assist our veterans, including a property tax exemption for 100-percent disabled veterans, six State veterans homes, and the Veterans Trust Fund. In this Session, we have been very, very productive, and I thank my colleagues for working together to pass the following initiatives: Strengthening the Veterans Trust Fund; establishing an "Honoring our Heroes" motorcycle license plate, and increasing funding for the Veterans Trust Fund; requiring State agencies to take veterans' military credentials into consideration when applying for professional certifications; standardizing the definition of "veteran" in our State Military Code; setting a penalty for falsely claiming to be a veteran

on a driver's license application; extending the Persian Gulf Veterans Bonus for 3 years; exempting veterans organizations from the Realty Transfer Tax; providing treatment for post-traumatic stress disorder for veterans; preserving Soldiers and Sailors Grove; calling on Congress to enact a Merchant Marine bonus; urging Congress to enact the Caregivers Access and Responsible Expansion for All Veterans Act, or CARE for All Veterans Act; establishing a task force on women veterans' healthcare; asking the Joint State Government Commission to undertake a comprehensive listing of veterans benefits in PA, and most recently, exempting veterans from paying State business fee costs; allowing veterans' preference in the private sector; requiring the Civil Service Commission to better advertise veterans' preference in PA; eliminating veterans' disability payments from income eligibility under the Property Tax/Rent Rebate Program; and certifying veteran-owned businesses in PA. We are proud to have done these things.

The truth is, much of this work came about as a result of the Department of Military and Veterans Affairs and their partnership with the Pennsylvania State Veterans Commission. In a few minutes, we will hear from Adjutant General Carrelli about the administration's efforts to assist veterans. As I said, the Department of Military and Veterans Affairs has partnered with the State Veterans Commission. For those who are not aware, the State Veterans Commission is comprised of the following organizations: American Legion, AMVETS, Blinded Veterans Association, Catholic War Veterans of the United States of America, Disabled American Veterans, the Jewish War Veterans of the United States, Marine Corps League, Military Officers Association of America, Military Order of the Purple Heart, the State Association of County Directors of Veterans' Affairs, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, Veterans of World War I of the United States of America, Italian-American War Veterans of the United States, the Vietnam Veterans of America, American Ex-Prisoners of War, and Keystone Paralyzed Veterans Association. And thank you to Senator Aument for championing the legislation adding the Korean War Veterans Association.

GUESTS OF SENATOR RANDY VULAKOVICH PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

Senator VULAKOVICH. The Department of Military and Veterans Affairs, the State Veterans Commission, and its member organizations are the backbone of our efforts in the Commonwealth, and they are here with us today. I urge Members to listen to their concerns and recommendations, and most importantly, thank them for their past service to the nation, for the service to our veterans community, and to welcome them home.

With us today on the Senate floor are the following members of the Department of Military and Veterans Affairs and State Veterans Commission: Adjutant General Anthony Carrelli; and the following are from the DMVA: Dusty Durand, Seth Benge, John Carmelo, Sean Cleary, Richard Hamp, and Matthew Kaufman. We have Dave Brady from the Marine Corps League; Keith Beebe, Military Officers Association of America; Thomas Brown, Veterans of Foreign Wars; Henry Desrosiers, PA State Association of County Directors of Veterans Affairs; Chris Fidler, Paralyzed Veterans of America; John Getz, VFW; Gerald Hawk, AMVETS; Michael Iacavazzi, Disabled American Veter-

ans; Benjamin Mastridge, VFW; Carl Olshefski, American Legion; Kit Watson, State Veterans Commission; and Jeffrey White, Vietnam Veterans of America.

Mr. President, I ask Members to join me in supporting this resolution designating today as Veterans Day in the Capitol 2016 and welcoming our special guests. I close by saying God bless all of you for all of the work you do for the veterans. God bless you.

Thank you, Mr. President.

(Applause.)

The PRESIDENT. The Chair thanks the gentleman for very important remarks.

Also to cosponsor the resolution and to make remarks, the Chair recognizes the gentleman from Allegheny, Senator Costa.

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, I join my friend and colleague, the chairman of the committee, Senator Vulakovich, in thanking him and our colleagues for supporting the resolution which recognizes Veterans Day here in the Pennsylvania Capitol.

The purpose of this day is for veterans and their organizations to spend a day here at the Capitol and to convey to us, lawmakers or policymakers, their priorities and let the Senators on both sides of the aisle, and House Members as well, know how they feel about very key and important issues to them.

Mr. President, Pennsylvania is not only the birthplace of the Declaration of Independence and our Constitution, but also the documents that helped form our Union in our nation, but it is also the birthplace of our Armed Forces - the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps. Pennsylvania has a very proud history of producing men and women who stand for freedom in harm's way. We helped steel the backbone of our nation, and we have the responsibility to serve those who go on patrol and stand watch for all of us. As mentioned, in Pennsylvania we have nearly 1 million veterans, with over 700,000 who served in foreign wars. Given our place in history and the commitment to establish the Union and protect it, we have the responsibility to address issues raised by our veterans, their families, and the organizations who represent them. We have an obligation to serve those who serve our nation when they return from duty. We have an obligation to never forget their service and the sacrifices that they have made in defending our great country. We have an obligation to insure that a veteran who is in need is never, ever turned away. Our veterans and their families deserve to be treated well and to have doors opened for them. That is why days like today are so very important. Veterans Day at the Capitol 2016 reminds all of us in this room, and all of those folks who are watching us, that veterans services should be a high priority as we move forward. It reminds us that each of us can do more along those lines.

So today, Mr. President, I say welcome home to our veterans and thank you for their service. Let us remember what they have done for each and every one of us, and never forget what their service has meant to our great country.

Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair thanks Senator Costa also for very important remarks.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

A voice vote having been taken, the question was determined in the affirmative. The PRESIDENT. It is an appropriate time now to welcome our guests. Please rise so that we may give our guests a warm Senate welcome. Thank you, veterans. Thank you, American Legion, and thank you, General Carrelli.

(Applause.)

The PRESIDENT. General Carrelli, would you honor us by addressing the Senate.

Adjutant General CARRELLI. Thank you, Mr. President.

To this body, thank you very much for your support and for hosting us for Veterans Day at the Capitol. Veterans are so important and it is such a privilege for me to represent and advocate on behalf of the nearly 1 million veterans in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, as Senator Vulakovich mentioned, the fourth-largest in the nation. There is a reason for that. It is not because we have large, full-scale active-duty installations in Pennsylvania. It is because Pennsylvanians love to serve, and it has been that way since this country first started.

Obviously, piggybacking on Senator Costa's remarks, this is where this country was born, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. If you look at the murals on the walls of this great institution, it is filled with this country's history, and 240 years ago this country began with a Declaration of Independence. That declaration was a document, it was an ideal, but it took those service members at that time and a War of Independence to make it a reality, which, actually, was where the United States was first born. Those were our first veterans. Since then, generation after generation of Commonwealth residents and Americans have sacrificed and served for this country and this Commonwealth to preserve those freedoms that we enjoy today.

A lot of the fine people who accompanied me here today are representative of those veterans. I know there are a few on the floor as well, so again, for all of our veterans, we cannot thank them enough for what they have done. As was mentioned, a lot of the uniformed people are currently serving. Many of the others are on our Pennsylvania State Veterans Commission, and I will tell you, you cannot find more dedicated people who are out there looking for ways to help veterans and help Commonwealth employees with the public service they do. They not only serve this country and served it proudly and sacrificed greatly in their time when their generation was called, but since that time they have served in our townships, in our counties, and at the State level, volunteer work, countless nights, countless weekends away from their families and away from other things that they could have been doing to dedicate themselves to serving our veterans in the Commonwealth. I cannot thank the commission enough for the work that they do for us.

I cannot thank this body enough. Senator Vulakovich went through some of the accomplishments this year alone. We enjoy great support from this body. It is a great partnership together, but the commission is really our eyes and ears. They represent the veterans all throughout the Commonwealth. They bring these issues to our attention. We talk about these things in our meetings. We bring them to you to try to make improvements. I mean, look at the number of initiatives and legislation that we have been able to do to honor our veterans, bestow benefits and privileges that they have earned, or to do care and basic life support for them, whether it is to get a homeless veteran a roof over their head, employment, business opportunity, State homes, medical care, disability care, whatever the range of services that we

provide, we are there trying to match those up. I greatly appreciate the support that we get not only from our committee, but from the entire Senate as well, for these initiatives. I look forward to working with you for another busy year to do more great things for our veterans in Pennsylvania.

So, thanks again for hosting us. Thanks for having a Veterans Day at the Capitol, and thanks for all that you do for our veterans. We appreciate it.

(Applause.)

The PRESIDENT. Thank you, General Carrelli, our Adjutant General, and thanks once again, of course, to our veterans, and to Senator Vulakovich and to Senator Costa for all they do for our veterans. I will put in a plug - we also have a Lieutenant Governor's Veterans Task Force. However we can help, at any moment, anytime, let us know and we are going to be there, as our veterans have always been there for us.

PERMISSION TO ADDRESS

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

Senator BAKER. Mr. President, I take a moment, as we celebrate Veterans Day here in the Senate, to acknowledge the two chairs of our Senate committee. As the former chair of this committee, it was a great privilege to work with the department and with the Pennsylvania State Veterans Commission and the Pennsylvania War Veterans Council. Over the past several years, Senator Vulakovich and Senator Costa have done tremendous work carrying on the proud tradition of what we have been able to accomplish. We are proud to have General Carrelli, the members of the War Veterans Council, and the members of the Pennsylvania State Veterans Commission here with us. We say welcome home, and thank you.

As we are here today, I take a moment to acknowledge a man who has been retired from the department but gave countless years of public service on behalf of our veterans. On Monday, we lost Dennis Guise, who served as the general counsel for the Department of Military and Veterans Affairs. Dennis Guise was a true leader and a champion for veterans in our Commonwealth. We worked closely together on the creation of Act 66, our Veterans Service Officer Grant Program, that has been a tremendous benefit for our veterans and has brought many, many dollars back to veterans and to our communities.

He was a leader. He was a champion in the creation of that, as well as the Veterans Trust Fund. So Dennis Guise, who received the Patrick Henry Award from the National Guard Association, was a member of the hall of fame for the Department of Military and Veterans Affairs, he served as general counsel, he also worked with the Fish and Boat Commission, but true to his word, Dennis Guise would have been here in spirit today, so proud that we are taking time to acknowledge our veterans. So if we could all take a moment to join me in sending our deep condolences to his wife, Betty, to his sons, Andrew and Brendan, and to his entire family. Dennis was a champion of veterans, and we owe a debt of gratitude to him and we pay tribute to him at this time.

Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDENT. At this time, we honor the memory of the great Dennis Guise with a moment of silence.

(Whereupon, the Senate en bloc stood in a moment of silence in solemn respect to the memory of DENNIS GUISE.)

The PRESIDENT. Our well wishes to the family of Dennis Guise - Andrew, Betty, and Brendan. I remember he also had a tremendous wit, he could actually do standup comedy. He was so funny at times and did so much for our National Guard and our veterans. Thank you, Senator Baker, for your leadership, as well, on veterans issues.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS SENATE RESOLUTION ADOPTED

Senators KILLION, ARGALL, BAKER, BARTOLOTTA, BOSCOLA, BROWNE, DINNIMAN, FARNESE, FONTANA, GREENLEAF, McGARRIGLE, MENSCH, RAFFERTY, RESCHENTHALER, SABATINA, SCHWANK, TEPLITZ and VULAKOVICH, by unanimous consent, offered Senate Resolution No. 490, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of October 2016 as "Bullying Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

Senator KILLION. Mr. President, it is my pleasure this morning to offer this resolution designating the month of October 2016 as "Bullying Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania. Bullying affects 28 percent of students in grades 6 to 12, and 20 percent of students in grades 9 to 12, according to the Department of Education. October is National Bullying Prevention Awareness Month. With adoption of this resolution, October is designated as Bullying Prevention Awareness Month in Pennsylvania, as well. Recently, I attended a walk with students of Strath Haven Middle School and Strath Haven High School in Wallingford, Delaware County, who, on their own, organized an anti-bullying walk in their schools. It was a tremendous event. Many students and members of the community attended, and I was very proud to be part of it. I am also so proud of these young women and students who put in their own time to put this together.

GUESTS OF SENATOR THOMAS H. KILLION PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

Senator KILLION. Mr. President, today, these students are visiting with us in Harrisburg, along with their parents and friends. We have our two students, wonderful young ladies, Jessica Yohey and Izabella Cipresso; we have their parents, Dan Yohey and Charline O'Connell, and Jason and Elizabeth Cipresso; and family members Anthony Cipresso, Kathleen Logan, Colleen Fagioli, Tanya Zolko; and good friends of Senator McGarrigle and myself, Thomas and Carol O'Leary and John and Gail Battistini. I ask the Senate to give them a very warm welcome.

The PRESIDENT. Will the guests of Senator Killion, here to advocate against bullying, please rise so that we may welcome you to the Pennsylvania Senate.

(Applause.)

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

The PRESIDENT. To our friends in the gallery, it was your presence that made that happen.

GUEST OF SENATOR MICHAEL J. FOLMER PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Lebanon, Senator Folmer.

Senator FOLMER. Mr. President, I rise today to introduce a very fine young man from my home county of Lebanon, a constituent in the 48th Senatorial District, Mr. Hunter Craig. Hunter is the son of Aimee McCartney and Roy Craig. He is a senior at Cedar Crest High School and is a member of the Spanish club and plays soccer and lacrosse. Hunter is a very active member in his church and has been on several mission trips and also plays on their youth basketball team.

Senators, please join me in a warm Senate welcome for Mr. Hunter Craig.

The PRESIDENT. Will Hunter Craig, the guest of Senator Folmer, please rise so that we may welcome you to the Pennsylvania State Senate.

(Applause.)

GUESTS OF SENATOR ANDREW E. DINNIMAN PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

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

Senator DINNIMAN. Mr. President, can we give a warm welcome to Karen and Ron Meacham, and Theron and Maryann Male, whom we are delighted to have here and to whom I had the privilege of showing the Capitol and this Chamber. We really reside in a building filled with treasures and wonders of art.

Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDENT. Will the guests of Senator Dinniman please rise so that we may welcome you to the Pennsylvania State Senate.

(Applause.)

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE CANCELLED

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

RECESS

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I request a recess of the Senate for the purpose of a Republican caucus to be held in the Majority Caucus Room immediately.

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, Senate Democrats will meet in the rear of the Chamber for a caucus immediately.

The PRESIDENT. For purposes of 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.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE PRESIDENT

The PRESIDENT. Please acknowledge Senator Hughes, who is celebrating another young birthday today. Happy birthday to Senator Hughes.

(Applause.)

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, since you brought up birthdays, Senator Hughes happens to share a birthday with my son, Davis. Unfortunately, his father cannot be with him today. Happy birthday to Davis.

The PRESIDENT. Happy birthday to Davis Corman, Senator Corman's son, and many more.

(Applause.)

HOUSE MESSAGES

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILLS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate SB 898, SB 899 and SB 1018, with the information the House has passed the same without amendments.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

The Clerk of the House of Representatives informed the Senate that the House has concurred in the resolution from the Senate, entitled:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 448.

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 2025**.

SENATE BILLS RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate SB 613, SB 1235, SB 1367 and SB 1368, 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.

BILLS SIGNED

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

SB 898, SB 899, SB 1018 and HB 2025.

CALENDAR

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE

REPORT OVER TEMPORARILY

SB 1071 -- Without objection, the Report of the Committee of Conference was passed over in its order temporarily at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE AMENDMENTS AS AMENDED

BILL OVER IN ORDER

HB 568 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS AS AMENDED

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS AS AMENDED

SB 385 (Pr. No. 2081) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 8, 2004 (P.L.1801, No.238), known as the Transit Revitalization Investment District Act, in general provisions, further providing for definitions; in TRID creation and location, further providing for criteria for proposed TRID, for TRID designation, for implementing authority, for TRID planning study factors, for roles and responsibilities of public transportation agencies and municipalities and for amendments to TRID planning study; in land development powers of public transportation agencies, further providing for development or redevelopment of property and providing for additional powers of management entities and for prohibition on management entities; in value capture approaches, further providing for creation of value capture area and for dedication of tax revenues; providing for grant of TRID revenue and establishing the TRID fund; and, in community involvement, further providing for public meeting to explain TRID and alternative implementation approaches.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House, as further amended by the Senate, to Senate Bill No. 385?

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 385, as further amended by the Senate.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-46

Alloway	Eichelberger	McIlhinney	Vance
Argall	Farnese	Mensch	Vogel
Aument	Folmer	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Baker	Fontana	Reschenthaler	Ward
Blake	Gordner	Sabatina	White

Boscola	Greenleaf	Scarnati	Wiley
Brewster	Haywood	Scavello	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Schwank	Wozniak
Browne	Killion	Smucker	Yaw
Corman	Kitchen	Stefano	Yudichak
Costa	Leach	Teplitz	
Dinniman	McGarrigle	Tomlinson	

NAY-2

Bartolotta

Hutchinson

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

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

BILL ON CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 1265 (Pr. No. 2183) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 19, 1975 (P.L.604, No.173), entitled "An act to facilitate the use of electronic funds transfer systems by providing that credits to accounts in financial institutions designated by recipients shall satisfy legal requirements for payments by cash or checks," further providing for electronic funds transfers; providing for definitions; further providing for consumer protections; providing for payroll card accounts; and making editorial changes.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1265?

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1265.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-45

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

NAY-3

Farnese

Fontana

Hughes

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

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

THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 16, HB 34, HB 74, HB 123, HB 192 and HB 263 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL OVER IN ORDER TEMPORARILY

HB 319 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order temporarily at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 423, HB 928, HB 930, HB 946, SB 1160, SB 1260, HB 1265, SB 1323, SB 1324, HB 1334, SB 1344, HB 1351 and HB 1398 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 1403 (Pr. No. 4124) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 40 (Insurance) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for unclaimed life insurance benefits.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-48

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

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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 1415, HB 1437 and **HB 1452** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL OVER IN ORDER TEMPORARILY

HB 1496 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order temporarily at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 1538, HB 1640, HB 1653 and **HB 1683** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL OVER IN ORDER TEMPORARILY

HB 1698 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order temporarily at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 1699 (Pr. No. 4108) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act providing for limitations on the dispensing of opioid drug products in hospital emergency departments and urgent care centers and to patients in observation status and for duties of the Department of Health; and imposing a penalty.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-48

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

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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

HB 1703 (Pr. No. 2849) — The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in snowmobiles and all-terrain vehicles, further providing for operation by persons under age sixteen and for mufflers and noise control.

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-48

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

NAY-0

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

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

HB 1737 (Pr. No. 4028) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 19, 1996 (P.L.1478, No.190), entitled "An act relating to the recycling and reuse of waste tires; providing for the proper disposal of waste tires and the cleanup of stockpiled tires; authorizing investment tax credits for utilizing waste tires; providing remediation grants for the cleanup of tire piles and for pollution prevention programs for small business and households; establishing the Small Business and Household Pollution Prevention Program and management standards for small business hazardous waste; providing for a household hazardous waste program and for grant programs; making appropriations; and making repeals," further providing for household hazardous waste collection program.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-48

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

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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 1769, HB 1774 and HB 1785 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 1885 (Pr. No. 4112) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) and 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for liability imposed on and eligibility for public benefits of a municipality of refuge.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-34

Alloway	Dinniman	Mensch	Vance
Argall	Eichelberger	Rafferty	Vogel
Aument	Folmer	Reschenthaler	Vulakovich
Baker	Gordner	Sabatina	Ward
Bartolotta	Greenleaf	Scarnati	White
Boscola	Hutchinson	Scavello	Yaw

Brooks	Killion	Smucker	Yudichak	
Browne	McGarrigle	Stefano		
Corman	McIlhinney	Tomlinson		
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	Fontana	Leach	Williams	
Brewster	Haywood	Schwank	Wozniak	
Costa	Hughes	Teplitz		
Farnese	Kitchen	Wiley		

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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

BILL AMENDED

HB 1887 (Pr. No. 4130) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 4 (Amusements) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in licensees, providing for slot machine license operation fee; in table games, further providing for local share assessment; in revenues, further providing for establishment of State Gaming Fund and net slot machine revenue distribution; in administration and enforcement relating to gaming, further providing for compulsive and problem gambling program; and making a related repeal.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration? Senator CORMAN offered the following amendment No. A10957:

Amend Bill, page 2, line 13, by inserting after "ENTITY":
, other than a Category 1 or Category 2 licensed gaming entity
operating in a county of the first class,

Amend Bill, page 10, line 25, by inserting after "LOCATED.":

Notwithstanding the provisions of the Capital Facilities

Debt Enabling Act, grants made under this clause may be utilized as

local matching funds for other grants or loans from the Commonwealth.

Amend Bill, page 12, lines 20 through 23, by striking out all of said lines

Amend Bill, page 20, line 16, by inserting after "ANNUALLY":
, less any amount up to \$5,000,000 received pursuant to a written agreement with a licensed gaming entity executed prior to the effective date of this part,

Amend Bill, page 20, line 18, by striking out the bracket before

Amend Bill, page 20, line 22, by inserting a bracket before "TO"
Amend Bill, page 21, line 1, by inserting after "SUBPARA-GRAPH.]":

, up to \$5,000,000, to the slot machine license operation fee owed under section 1326.1 (relating to slot machine license operation fee).

Amend Bill, page 39, by inserting between lines 26 and 27:

(ii) The amendment of 4 Pa.C.S. \S 13A63(b)(3)(iii)(A) and (C).

Amend Bill, page 39, line 27, by striking out "(II)" and inserting: (iii)

Amend Bill, page 39, line 28, by striking out "(III)" and inserting: (iv)

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

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

YEA-47

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

NAY-1

Hutchinson

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 CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 1907 (Pr. No. 4045) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in pupils and attendance, providing for purpose, further providing for definitions, providing for attendance policy at charter, regional charter and cyber charter schools, further providing for excuses from attending school and for penalties for violation of compulsory attendance requirements, providing for procedure by school when child habitually truant, for procedure upon filing of citation, for penalties for violating compulsory school attendance requirements and for study of truancy procedure and repealing provisions relating to suspension of operating privilege; in charter schools, further providing for provisions applicable to charter schools and for applicability of other provisions of this act and of other acts and regulations; and, in disruptive student programs, further providing for definitions.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-48

Alloway	Dinniman	Leach	Teplitz
Argall	Eichelberger	McGarrigle	Tomlinson
Aument	Farnese	McIlhinney	Vance
Baker	Folmer	Mensch	Vogel
Bartolotta	Fontana	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Blake	Gordner	Reschenthaler	Ward
Boscola	Greenleaf	Sabatina	White
Brewster	Haywood	Scarnati	Wiley

Brooks	Hughes	Scavello	Williams
Browne	Hutchinson	Schwank	Wozniak
Corman	Killion	Smucker	Yaw
Costa	Kitchen	Stefano	Yudichak

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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 1948 and **HB 1974** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 2014 (Pr. No. 3220) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of General Services, with the approval of the Department of Transportation and the Governor, to grant and convey, at a price to be determined through a competitive bid process, certain lands, buildings and improvements situate in Lawrence Township, Clearfield County.

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-48

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

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 2026, HB 2078, HB 2084, HB 2241 and HB 2303 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE

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

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

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

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR RESUMED

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 2338 (Pr. No. 3963) — The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act providing for student protection during the transition of a postsecondary education institution to new accreditation.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

POINT OF ORDER

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

Senator TEPLITZ. Mr. President, I request a ruling under Rule 20(c)(2) because my wife is full-time faculty at an educational institution that may be subject to this bill. I teach there myself part-time. I had requested a ruling in the Committee on Education when we handled the bill and was told to vote. I forgot, unfortunately, to make that same request in the Committee on Appropriations. I anticipate the result will be the same, but I wanted to make sure on the floor to ask for the same ruling.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair appreciates your discretion and your exercise of caution. Under Rule 20(c)(2), from the facts as you relayed them previously and as you relay them here today, the Chair finds no benefit to you in particular or especially to you or to your wife. You are both individually members of a class which may or may not be affected in a positive or negative way, but once again, to reiterate, not in a special or particular way. Therefore, not only is it an option for you to vote, you, in fact, must vote on this legislation. Thank you for your inquiry, Senator.

Senator TEPLITZ. 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-48

Alloway	Dinniman	Leach	Teplitz
Argall	Eichelberger	McGarrigle	Tomlinson
Aument	Farnese	McIlhinney	Vance
Baker	Folmer	Mensch	Vogel
Bartolotta	Fontana	Rafferty	Vulakovich

Blake	Gordner	Reschenthaler	Ward
Boscola	Greenleaf	Sabatina	White
Brewster	Haywood	Scarnati	Wiley
Brooks	Hughes	Scavello	Williams
Browne	Hutchinson	Schwank	Wozniak
Corman	Killion	Smucker	Yaw
Costa	Kitchen	Stefano	Yudichak

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 2370, HB 2375 and **HB 2381** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

SECOND CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 185, HB 297, SB 525, HB 577, HB 613, HB 813, SB 851, HB 932, SB 978, HB 1070, HB 1103, SB 1334, SB 1357, SB 1360, SB 1363, SB 1366, SB 1369, SB 1387, HB 1455, HB 1476, HB 1712, HB 1779, HB 1872 and HB 2186 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR RESUMED

HB 1496 CALLED UP

HB 1496 (Pr. No. 3918) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order temporarily, was called up, from page 7 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 1496 (Pr. No. 3918) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in firearms and other dangerous articles, further providing for persons not to possess, use, manufacture, control, sell or transfer firearms.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-48

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

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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 421, ADOPTED

Senator CORMAN, without objection, called up from page 17 of the Calendar, **Senate Resolution No. 421**, entitled:

A Resolution urging the President and the Congress of the United States to review the changes to the Federal floodplain management regulations that negatively impact our blighted communities.

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

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

YEA-48

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

NAY-0

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

The PRESIDENT. The resolution is adopted.

RECESS

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I request a recess of the Senate for purposes of an off-the-floor meeting of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations to be held in the Rules room at about 3:15 p.m., to be followed by a Republican caucus.

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, we will report to the Rules room, and once I find out what they are going to talk about in their caucus, we will determine whether we will have one of our own

The PRESIDENT. Senator Costa indicates he will be listening and paying attention carefully during the meeting of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations, and that will depend on how rambunctious the Democratic Caucus is.

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

AFTER RECESS

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

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

Senator CORMAN, from the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations, reported the following bills:

SB 356 (Pr. No. 1689) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending the act of December 31, 1965 (P.L.1257, No.511), known as The Local Tax Enabling Act, in consolidated collection of local income taxes, providing for the definition of "farming" and further providing for declaration and payment of income taxes and for withholding and remittance.

SB 613 (Pr. No. 2189) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), known as the Human Services Code, in human services block grant pilot program, further providing for definitions, for establishment of human services block grant, for powers and duties of the department, for powers and duties of counties, for allocation, for use of block grant funds, for applicability of other statutes, for appeals, for limitations and for construction and making editorial changes.

SB 1062 (Pr. No. 1679) (Amended) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in burglary and other criminal intrusions, further providing for burglary; and in sentencing, providing for sentencing for burglary.

SB 1235 (Pr. No. 2162) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending the act of December 10, 1974 (P.L.852, No.287), referred to as the Underground Utility Line Protection Law, further providing for expiration.

SB 1367 (Pr. No. 2157) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in public safety, providing for prescribing opioids to minors; imposing powers and duties on certain Commonwealth agencies and on the Legislative Reference Bureau; and imposing penalties.

SB 1368 (Pr. No. 2190) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in public safety, providing for safe opioid prescription and for patient voluntary nonopioid directive and imposing powers and duties on certain Commonwealth agencies.

HOUSE MESSAGES

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL

The Clerk of the House of Representatives informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House amendments to SB 1219.

SENATE BILLS RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate SB 486, SB 562, SB 881, SB 1202 and SB 1282, 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.

LEAVE CHANGED

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I request that Senator Scarnati's leave be changed from a legislative leave to a personal leave.

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

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED HB 568 CALLED UP

HB 568 (Pr. No. 3705) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order, was called up, from page 2 of the Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON CONCURRENCE IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE AMENDMENTS AS AMENDED

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE AMENDMENTS AS AMENDED

HB 568 (Pr. No. 3705) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of November 10, 1999 (P.L.491, No.45), known as the Pennsylvania Construction Code Act, in preliminary provisions, further providing for definitions and for Uniform Construction Code Review and Advisory Council and providing for review of updated sections and adoption of updated sections into Uniform Construc-

tion Code; in Uniform Construction Code, further providing for revised or successor codes; in adoption and enforcement by municipalities, further providing for administration and enforcement; in training and certification of inspectors, further providing for education and training programs; and, in exemptions, applicability and penalties, further providing for applicability to certain buildings.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate amendments, as further amended by the Senate, to House Bill No. 568?

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate amendments, as further amended by the Senate, to House Bill No. 568.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-47

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

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 inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR RESUMED

HB 319 CALLED UP

HB 319 (**Pr. No. 4123**) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order temporarily, was called up, from page 3 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 319 (Pr. No. 4123) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 5, 1936 (2nd Sp.Sess., 1937 P.L.2897, No.1), known as the Unemployment Compensation Law, in administration of act, further providing for records of and reports by employers; in contributions by employers and employees, further pro-

viding for determination of contribution rate and experience rating, for interest on past due contributions and for limitations upon enforcement of payment of contributions, interest and penalties; in compensation, further providing for qualification required to secure compensation, for ineligibility of incarcerated employee and for rate and amount of compensation; in determination of compensation and appeals and reviews and procedure, further providing for decision of referee and further appeals and reviews and for powers of board over claims; in protection of rights and compensation, further providing for certain agreements void and penalty; in penalty provisions, further providing for false statements and representations to obtain or increase compensation, for false statements and representations to prevent or reduce compensation and other offenses and for violation of act and rules and regulations; and providing for an amnesty program.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-39

Alloway	Dinniman	McIlhinney	Vance
Baker	Farnese	Mensch	Vogel
Bartolotta	Fontana	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Blake	Greenleaf	Reschenthaler	Ward
Boscola	Haywood	Sabatina	White
Brewster	Hughes	Scavello	Wiley
Brooks	Killion	Schwank	Williams
Browne	Kitchen	Stefano	Wozniak
Corman	Leach	Teplitz	Yudichak
Costa	McGarrigle	Tomlinson	

NAY-8

Argall	Eichelberger	Gordner	Smucker
Aument	Folmer	Hutchinson	Yaw

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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

HB 1437 CALLED UP

HB 1437 (Pr. No. 3952) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order, was called up, from page 7 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 1437 (Pr. No. 3952) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 20, 2000 (P.L.724, No.99), known as the Municipal Code and Ordinance Compliance Act, further providing for definitions; providing for issuance of use and occupancy certificate and for applicability; and further providing for compliance requirement.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-47

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

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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

HB 2078 CALLED UP

HB 2078 (**Pr. No. 3452**) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order, was called up, from page 11 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 2078 (Pr. No. 3452) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in certification of teachers, further providing for issuing permanent college certificates, for program of continuing professional education and for professional educator discipline fee.

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-47

Alloway	Dinniman	Leach	Tomlinson
Argall	Eichelberger	McGarrigle	Vance
Aument	Farnese	McIlhinney	Vogel
Baker	Folmer	Mensch	Vulakovich

Bartolotta	Fontana	Rafferty	Ward
Blake	Gordner	Reschenthaler	White
Boscola	Greenleaf	Sabatina	Wiley
Brewster	Haywood	Scavello	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Schwank	Wozniak
Browne	Hutchinson	Smucker	Yaw
Corman	Killion	Stefano	Yudichak
Costa	Kitchen	Teplitz	in another-entral

NAY-0

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

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

HB 2241 CALLED UP

HB 2241 (Pr. No. 3858) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order, was called up, from page 11 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 2241 (Pr. No. 3858) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

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

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-47

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

NAY-0

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

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

HB 2303 CALLED UP

HB 2303 (Pr. No. 3962) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order, was called up, from page 11 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 2303 (Pr. No. 3962) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 3 (Agriculture) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, making editorial changes; consolidating an article of The Administrative Code of 1929 relating to race horse industry reform; further providing for Pennsylvania Breeding Fund; and making a related repeal.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

Senator DINNIMAN. Mr. President, this is a good bill. In my county, we have a large number of horse breeders and we have championship horses in this Commonwealth. This is an important part of our economy, and I am delighted that the bill has finally come back from the House and is here. We thank Senator Vogel and Senator Schwank for all of their good work in bringing this about, and we thank Leadership on both sides of the aisle for making this a reality. This is a good bill for all of us, so I hope we will pass this. These breeders have been waiting a year to be paid, and some are in serious financial difficulties through no fault of their own but waiting for the State. So I am delighted we are going to do this, 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-47

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

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.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 1

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS AS AMENDED

SB 1062 (Pr. No. 1679) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in burglary and other criminal intrusions, further providing for burglary; and in sentencing, providing for sentencing for burglary.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House, as further amended by the Senate, to Senate Bill No. 1062?

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House, as further amended by the Senate, to Senate Bill No. 1062.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

Senator RAFFERTY. Mr. President, I thank the Majority Leader for moving this bill. It is a very important bill that, Mr. President, should look familiar to you from when you were a Member of this body. The two of us worked on this bill, and then I had the pleasure of working on it with Senator Sabatina. It is a good bill, a very important bill, and it creates a crime for not only burglary, but burglary where there is intention for bodily harm, and has enhancements for the penalties desperately needed in today's world. I thank, once again, the Majority Leader for bringing this forward.

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

Senator SABATINA. Mr. President, I commend Senator Rafferty on his work in this endeavor. It enhances the burglary statute regarding home invasions, and that is what we are dealing with on this bill. I was proud to work with Senator Rafferty on it, and basically it is to address the home invasion epidemic that we are suffering from here in Pennsylvania.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair thanks the gentleman and recalls doing a press conference with the District Attorney of Philadelphia on this issue.

And the question recurring, Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-47

Alloway	Dinniman	Leach	Tomlinson
Argall	Eichelberger	McGarrigle	Vance
Aument	Farnese	McIlhinney	Vogel

Baker	Folmer	Mensch	Vulakovich
Bartolotta	Fontana	Rafferty	Ward
Blake	Gordner	Reschenthaler	White
Boscola	Greenleaf	Sabatina	Wiley
Brewster	Haywood	Scavello	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Schwank	Wozniak
Browne	Hutchinson	Smucker	Yaw
Corman	Killion	Stefano	Yudichak
Costa	Kitchen	Teplitz	

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 inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 356 (Pr. No. 1689) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 31, 1965 (P.L.1257, No.511), known as The Local Tax Enabling Act, in consolidated collection of local income taxes, providing for the definition of "farming" and further providing for declaration and payment of income taxes and for withholding and remittance.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 356?

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 356.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-47

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

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 inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 613 (Pr. No. 2189) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), known as the Human Services Code, in human services block grant pilot program, further providing for definitions, for establishment of human services block grant, for powers and duties of the department, for powers and duties of counties, for allocation, for use of block grant funds, for applicability of other statutes, for appeals, for limitations and for construction and making editorial changes.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 613?

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 613.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

Senator TEPLITZ. Mr. President, Senate Bill No. 613 deals with the Human Services Block Grant program. My position on the block grant program is well documented. I have always said that I am not opposed to the program or expanding the program, but I was concerned about the need for oversight, accountability, and transparency. I am pleased that Senate Bill No. 613 in its current form starts to achieve these goals, especially by requiring the Department of Human Services to carefully review county applications to apply for the program by providing active oversight and by having the power to sanction counties, when appropriate. Most importantly, there will be data reported and outcomes measured on a regular basis.

I commend the Senator from Cumberland County for her work on this issue, and I urge a unanimous vote by this body to send what I assume to be her last bill to the Governor for his signature.

Thank you, Mr. President.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-47

Alloway	Dinniman	Leach	Tomlinson
Argall	Eichelberger	McGarrigle	Vance
Aument	Farnese	McIlhinney	Vogel
Baker	Folmer	Mensch	Vulakovich
Bartolotta	Fontana	Rafferty	Ward
Blake	Gordner	Reschenthaler	White
Boscola	Greenleaf	Sabatina	Wiley
Brewster	Haywood	Scavello	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Schwank	Wozniak

Browne	Hutchinson	Smucker	Yaw
Corman	Killion	Stefano	Yudichak
Costa	Kitchen	Teplitz	

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 inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 1235 (Pr. No. 2162) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 10, 1974 (P.L.852, No.287), referred to as the Underground Utility Line Protection Law, further providing for expiration.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1235?

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1235.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

Senator BAKER. Mr. President, at this late point of our legislative Session, we must act to extend the Underground Utility Line Protection Act. This very good law can be and should be made even better, more encompassing, and more enforceable. Just weeks ago the Senate approved a measure reauthorizing Pennsylvania One Call and adding provisions aimed at substantially reducing the number of hits on infrastructure - a direct, uncomplicated, inexpensive way to improve community safety. Unfortunately, none of those improvements are contained in the measure the House of Representatives has returned to us. Rather, we have the bare minimum, for reasons that are simply unexplainable. One Call works well. It warrants reauthorization, and it should be strengthened in the process. With documented needs for greater protection unaddressed, communities are left with a continuing risk and no reform. Risk can mean injuries to workers, property damage, environmental damage, and service disrup-

The Public Utility Commission is invested with a wide range of regulatory responsibilities covering oversight, adjudications, and enforcement. It makes no sense to suddenly mistrust them on this issue. It is indisputable that dedicated, coordinated enforcement will increase compliance, and that the PUC is equipped to undertake it. Increased compliance means fewer opportunities for things to go wrong. If something does go terribly wrong on one or more excavations across the Commonwealth--and the odds are that there will be regrettable tragedies somewhere, sometime--the public, local officials, and emergency responders will ask why measures were not taken to prevent it when we had the chance.

This 1-year extension does not really change anything. Nothing magical happens during the next 12 months. The same concerns, the same choices, and the same consequences of insufficient compliance will face us in 2017. We cannot, and I will not, allow a law of this magnitude to sunset. This step falls well short of what the public interest and the community protection demand. We will begin anew in 2017, and when we do, our purpose will be to overcome the political gamesmanship that stopped reform to the detriment of public interest.

Thank you, Mr. President.

And the question recurring,
Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-47

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

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 inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 1367 (Pr. No. 2157) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in public safety, providing for prescribing opioids to minors; imposing powers and duties on certain Commonwealth agencies and on the Legislative Reference Bureau; and imposing penalties.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1367?

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1367.

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

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

YEA-47

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

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 inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 1368 (Pr. No. 2190) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in public safety, providing for safe opioid prescription and for patient voluntary nonopioid directive and imposing powers and duties on certain Commonwealth agencies.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1368?

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1368.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

Senator KILLION. Mr. President, Senate Bill No. 1368 requires a safe opioid prescription curriculum in our medical schools. It is one of several bills in a package to deal with the heroin epidemic here in Pennsylvania, along with previously passed Senate Bill No. 1367 a moment ago, Senator Yaw's bill. He has been a leader on this issue. We are all interested in solving this problem. These two bills are pieces of a puzzle that will bring us to a conclusion of a safer Pennsylvania and to get the scourge of that drug off of our streets.

And the question recurring, Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-47

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

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 inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

MOTION PURSUANT TO SENATE RULE 12

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, as a special order of business, I call up Senate Supplemental Calendar No. 2, House Bill No. 1887, and move the Senate proceed to consider House Bill No. 1887, notwithstanding the provisions of Senate Rule 12.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 2

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 1887 (Pr. No. 4140) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 4 (Amusements) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in licensees, providing for slot machine license operation fee; in table games, further providing for local share assessment; in revenues, further providing for establishment of State Gaming Fund and net slot machine revenue distribution; in administration and enforcement relating to gaming, further providing for compulsive and problem gambling program; and making a related repeal.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

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

NAY-1

Hutchinson

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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

RECESS

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I request a recess of the Senate for the purpose of an off-the-floor meeting of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations to be held in the Rules room immediately.

The PRESIDENT. For the purpose of an off-the-floor meeting of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations to be held in the Rules room immediately, without objection, the Senate stands in recess.

AFTER RECESS

The PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator John C. Rafferty, Jr.) in the Chair.

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

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

Senator CORMAN, from the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations, reported the following bills:

SB 486 (Pr. No. 2065) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending the act of April 8, 1982 (P.L.310, No.87), referred to as the Recorder of Deeds Fee Law, authorizing an additional fee to be imposed and used for demolition; and making an editorial change.

SB 1202 (Pr. No. 2199) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending the act of October 27, 2014 (P.L.2911, No.191), known as the Achieving Better Care by Monitoring All Prescriptions Program (ABC-MAP) Act, further providing for definitions, for powers and duties of board, for requirements for dispensers and pharmacies and for requirements for prescribers; and providing for licensing boards to require education in pain management, addiction and prescribing and dispensing practices for opioids.

SB 1282 (Pr. No. 2066) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending Title 68 (Real and Personal Property) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in creation, alteration and termination of condominiums, further providing for amendment of declaration; in creation, alteration and termination of cooperatives, further providing for amendment of declaration; and, in creation, alteration and termination of planned communities, further providing for amendment of declaration.

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SECRETARY

The SECRETARY. Permission has been granted for the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations to add the following items to its off-the-floor meeting agenda this evening: Senate Bill No. 562 and Senate Bill No. 881.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Centre, Senator Corman.

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

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Senator Corman requests a temporary Capitol leave for Senator Yaw. Without objection, the leave will be granted.

LEAVE CHANGED

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Centre, Senator Corman.

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I request that Senator Scarnati's leave be changed from a personal leave to a legislative leave.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Senator Corman requests that Senator Scarnati's leave be changed from a personal leave to a legislative leave. Without objection, the leave will be changed.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Senator COSTA asked and obtained a leave of absence for Senator TEPLITZ, for the remainder of today's Session, for personal reasons.

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

RECESS

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I request a recess of the Senate for the purpose of an off-the-floor meeting of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations to be held in the Rules room immediately.

The PRESIDENT. For the purpose of an off-the-floor meeting of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations to be held in the Rules room, without objection, the Senate stands in recess.

AFTER RECESS

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

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR RESUMED

HB 263 CALLED UP

HB 263 (Pr. No. 4122) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order, was called up, from page 3 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 263 (Pr. No. 4122) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in hunting and furtaking, further providing for unlawful devices and methods; and, in hunting and furtaking licenses, further providing for elk hunting licenses.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-40

Alloway	Corman	McGarrigle	Stefano
Argall	Dinniman	McIlhinney	Tomlinson
Aument	Eichelberger	Mensch	Vance
Baker	Folmer	Rafferty	Vogel
Bartolotta	Fontana	Reschenthaler	Vulakovich
Blake	Gordner	Sabatina	Ward
Boscola	Greenleaf	Scarnati	White
Brewster	Haywood	Scavello	Wozniak
Brooks	Hutchinson	Schwank	Yaw
Browne	Killion	Smucker	Yudichak

NAY-7

Costa	Hughes	Leach	Williams
Farnese	Kitchen	Wiley	

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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE CANCELLED

The PRESIDENT. Senator Yaw has returned, and his temporary Capitol leave is cancelled.

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR RESUMED

HB 1653 CALLED UP

HB 1653 (Pr. No. 2661) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order, was called up, from page 8 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 1653 (Pr. No. 2661) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 62 (Procurement) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for diverse and disadvantaged businesses.

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-47

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

NAY-0

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

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

HB 1785 CALLED UP

HB 1785 (Pr. No. 3356) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order, was called up, from page 9 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 1785 (**Pr. No. 3356**) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act requiring the preparation and publication of information relating to the influenza vaccine for individuals residing in assisted living residences and personal care homes; and imposing duties on the Department of Health and the Department of Human Services.

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-47

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

NAY-0

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

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

HB 2084 CALLED UP

HB 2084 (Pr. No. 3509) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order, was called up, from page 11 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 2084 (Pr. No. 3509) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 61 (Prisons and Parole) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in miscellaneous provisions, providing for oleoresin capsicum spray.

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-47

Alloway	Dinniman	Leach	Tomlinson
Argall	Eichelberger	McGarrigle	Vance
Aument	Farnese	McIlhinney	Vogel
Baker	Folmer	Mensch	Vulakovich
Bartolotta	Fontana	Rafferty	Ward

Gordner	Reschenthaler	White
Greenleaf	Sabatina	Wiley
Haywood	Scarnati	Williams
Hughes	Scavello	Wozniak
Hutchinson	Schwank	Yaw
Killion	Smucker	Yudichak
Kitchen	Stefano	
	Greenleaf Haywood Hughes Hutchinson Killion	Greenleaf Sabatina Haywood Scarnati Hughes Scavello Hutchinson Schwank Killion Smucker

NAY-0

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

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

HB 2370 CALLED UP

HB 2370 (Pr. No. 4074) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order, was called up, from page 11 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 2370 (Pr. No. 4074) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 13, 2016 (P.L.526, No.84), entitled, "An act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), entitled 'An act relating to tax reform and State taxation by codifying and enumerating certain subjects of taxation and imposing taxes thereon; providing procedures for the payment, collection, administration and enforcement thereof; providing for tax credits in certain cases; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue, certain employers, fiduciaries, individuals, persons, corporations and other entities; prescribing crimes, offenses and penalties,' as follows: In sales and use tax: further providing for definitions, for exclusions from tax, for discount and for crimes. In personal income tax: further providing for definitions, for classes of income and for tax withheld; providing for contributions for tuition account programs; and further providing for requirement of withholding tax, for information statement, for time for filing employers' returns, for payment of taxes withheld, for employer's liability for withheld taxes, for employer's failure to withhold, for declarations of estimated tax and for citation authority. In corporate net income tax: further providing for reports and payment of tax; providing for amended reports; and further providing for enforcement, rules and regulations and inquisitorial powers of the department. In bank and trust company shares tax: further providing for imposition of tax, for ascertainment of taxable amount and exclusion of United States obligations, for apportionment and for definitions. In gross receipts tax: further providing for imposition of tax. In realty transfer tax: further providing for definitions, for exempt parties and for excluded transactions. In cigarette tax: further providing for incidence and rate of tax, for floor tax, for stamp to evidence the tax, for commissions on sales and for disposition of certain funds. Imposing a tobacco products tax. In research and development tax credit: further providing for time limitations. In film production tax credit: making editorial changes; further providing for scope of article, definitions and for limitations; providing for reissuance of film production tax credits, for concert rehearsal and tour and for video game production. Establishing the coal refuse energy and reclamation tax credit. Establishing the waterfront development tax credit. In tax credit for new jobs: further providing for definitions and for tax credits. In city revitalization and improvement zones: further providing for definitions and for establishment of contracting authority; providing for contracting authority duties; further providing for approval, for functions of contracting authorities, for qualified businesses, for funds, for reports, for calculation of baseline, for certification, for

transfers, for restrictions, for transfer of property, for Commonwealth pledges and for guidelines; and providing for review. Establishing the Manufacturing and Investment Tax Credit. In neighborhood assistance tax credit: further providing for definitions, for tax credit and for grant of tax credit. In neighborhood improvement zones: further providing for definitions and for Neighborhood Improvement Zone Funds; and providing for taxes, for property assessment and for exceptions. In Keystone Special Development Zone Program: further providing for Keystone Special Development Zone tax credit. Providing for keystone opportunity zones, keystone opportunity expansion zones and keystone opportunity improvement zones. Providing for mixed-use development tax credit, the Mixed-use Development Program and Mixed-use Development Program Fund. Providing for Keystone Innovation Zones. In malt beverage tax: further providing for limited tax credits. In inheritance tax: further providing for definitions, for transfers not subject to tax and for deductions not allowed. Providing for table game taxes. In procedure and administration: further providing for petition procedure. Establishing the computer data center equipment incentive program. Providing for a tax amnesty program. Making related repeals. Further providing for preemption of local government tax. Directing the Office of Attorney General to attempt to obtain the consent of participating manufacturers under the Master Settlement Agreement for amendments. Providing for applicability for imposed taxes," further providing for the applicability of realty transfer tax exclusion provisions; and imposing a duty on the Department of Revenue to refund certain realty transfer taxes paid.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

Senator SABATINA. Mr. President, I was going to offer amendment No. A10947. Basically, what this amendment would have done is change the definition of electronic cigarettes to vapor products and consumable products. Basically, what it would do is add to Senator Bartolotta's bill. What we did was impose a 40-percent tax on vaping shops and their equipment, and it is really decimating the industry, just by what the vape shops in my district have come to me and said. My concern is that these shops are going to close, we are not going to get the anticipated revenue, and people are going to be laid off from these shops and be put on unemployment. So, I think this is an issue that should be addressed in the very near future to save the industry, save jobs, and to fulfill the tax burden. So I will not be offering my amendment today, but I wanted to address the Senate and say this is an issue that I believe should be worked on in the very near future. 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-47

Alloway	Dinniman	Leach	Tomlinson
Argall	Eichelberger	McGarrigle	Vance
Aument	Farnese	McIlhinney	Vogel
Baker	Folmer	Mensch	Vulakovich
Bartolotta	Fontana	Rafferty	Ward
Blake	Gordner	Reschenthaler	White
Boscola	Greenleaf	Sabatina	Wiley

Brewster	Haywood	Scarnati	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Scavello	Wozniak
Browne	Hutchinson	Schwank	Yaw
Corman	Killion	Smucker	Yudichak
Costa	Kitchen	Stefano	

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.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 3

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 486 (Pr. No. 2065) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 8, 1982 (P.L.310, No.87), referred to as the Recorder of Deeds Fee Law, authorizing an additional fee to be imposed and used for demolition; and making an editorial change.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 486?

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 486.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-47

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

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 inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 1202 (Pr. No. 2199) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of October 27, 2014 (P.L.2911, No.191), known as the Achieving Better Care by Monitoring All Prescriptions Program (ABC-MAP) Act, further providing for definitions, for powers and duties of board, for requirements for dispensers and pharmacies and for requirements for prescribers; and providing for licensing boards to require education in pain management, addiction and prescribing and dispensing practices for opioids.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1202?

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1202.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-47

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

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 inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 1282 (Pr. No. 2066) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 68 (Real and Personal Property) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in creation, alteration and termination of condominiums, further providing for amendment of declaration; in creation, alteration and termination of cooperatives, further providing for amendment of declaration; and, in creation, alteration and termination of planned communities, further providing for amendment of declaration.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1282?

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1282.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-30

Argall	Corman	Hutchinson	Smucker
Aument	Costa	Kitchen	Stefano
Baker	Dinniman	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Bartolotta	Farnese	Reschenthaler	Williams
Boscola	Fontana	Sabatina	Wozniak
Brewster	Gordner	Scarnati	Yaw
Brooks	Greenleaf	Scavello	
Browne	Hughes	Schwank	

NAY-17

Alloway	Killion	Mensch	Ward
Blake	Leach	Tomlinson	White
Eichelberger	McGarrigle	Vance	Wiley
Folmer	McIlhinney	Vogel	Yudichak
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A constitutional majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.

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

RECONSIDERATION OF SB 1282

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 1282 (Pr. No. 2066) -- Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which the Senate concurred in amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1282.

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

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the motion to concur in amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1282?

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

YEA-29

Argall	Corman	Hutchinson	Smucker
Aument	Costa	Kitchen	Vulakovich
Baker	Dinniman	Rafferty	Williams
Bartolotta	Farnese	Reschenthaler	Wozniak
Boscola	Fontana	Sabatina	Yaw
Brewster	Gordner	Scarnati	
Brooks	Greenleaf	Scavello	
Browne	Hughes	Schwank	

NAY-18

Alloway	Killion	Stefano	White
Blake	Leach	Tomlinson	Wiley
Eichelberger	McGarrigle	Vance	Yudichak
Folmer	McIlhinney	Vogel	
Haywood	Mensch	Ward	

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

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

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

Senator CORMAN, from the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations, reported the following bills:

SB 562 (Pr. No. 1897) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending the act of June 25, 1982 (P.L.633, No.181), known as the Regulatory Review Act, further providing for definitions, for proposed regulations and procedures for review, for final-form regulations and final-omitted regulations and procedures for review and for procedures for subsequent review of disapproved final-form or final-omitted regulations by the commission.

SB 881 (Pr. No. 2198) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in general provisions, further providing for definitions.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 4

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 562 (Pr. No. 1897) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 25, 1982 (P.L.633, No.181), known as the Regulatory Review Act, further providing for definitions, for proposed regulations and procedures for review, for final-form regulations and final-omitted regulations and procedures for review and for procedures for subsequent review of disapproved final-form or final-omitted regulations by the commission.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 562?

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 562.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-31

Alloway	Corman	Rafferty	Vogel
Argall	Dinniman	Reschenthaler	Vulakovich
Aument	Eichelberger	Scarnati	Ward
Baker	Farnese	Scavello	White

Brewster

Fontana

Costa

Bartolotta	Folmer	Smucker	Williams
Boscola	Gordner	Stefano	Wozniak
Brooks	Hutchinson	Tomlinson	Yaw
Browne	Mensch	Vance	
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Blake	Greenleaf	Kitchen	Sabatina

Haywood

Hughes

Killion

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

Leach

McGarrigle

McIlhinney

Schwank

Yudichak

Wiley

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

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 881 (Pr. No. 2198) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in general provisions, further providing for definitions.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 881?

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 881.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-47

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

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 inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

MOTION PURSUANT TO SENATE RULE 11

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate continue debate beyond 11 p.m. to consider pending bills, including bills coming from the House.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

HOUSE MESSAGES

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL

The Clerk of the House of Representatives informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House amendments to SB 1062.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL BY FURTHER AMENDING SENATE AMENDMENTS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives informed the Senate that the House has concurred in Senate amendments to House amendments to Senate amendments to HB 1196, by further amending Senate amendments.

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

RECESS

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I request a recess of the Senate for the purpose of a meeting of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations to be held in the Rules room immediately.

The PRESIDENT. For the purpose of a meeting of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations in the rear of the Chamber, without objection, the Senate stands in recess.

AFTER RECESS

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

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE

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

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

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

LEAVE CANCELLED

The PRESIDENT. Senator Teplitz has returned, and his personal leave is cancelled.

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED

SB 1071 CALLED UP

SB 1071 (**Pr. No. 2202**) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order temporarily, was called up, from page 1 of the Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE

REPORT OVER IN ORDER

SB 1071 -- Without objection, the Report of the Committee of Conference was passed over in its order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR RESUMED

HB 1698 CALLED UP

HB 1698 (Pr. No. 4119) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order temporarily, was called up, from page 8 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL OVER IN ORDER

HB 1698 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

HB 192 CALLED UP

HB 192 (Pr. No. 4120) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order, was called up, from page 3 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 192 (Pr. No. 4120) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of August 5, 1941 (P.L.752, No.286), known as the Civil Service Act, in Civil Service Commission and executive director and their powers, further providing for Civil Service Commission, for powers and duties of director and for service to State departments, boards and commissions or agencies and political subdivisions and cooperation with other civil service agencies; and, in selection of employees for entrance to or promotion in the classified service, further providing for nature of examinations.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally? The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follows, viz:

YEA-48

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

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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

HB 946 CALLED UP

HB 946 (Pr. No. 4111) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order, was called up, from page 4 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 946 (Pr. No. 4111) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act providing for pharmacy audit procedures, for registration of pharmacy benefits managers and auditing entities, for maximum allowable cost transparency and for prescription drugs reimbursed under the PACE and PACENET program; and making related repeals.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-47

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

NAY-1

Vance

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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

HB 1398 CALLED UP

HB 1398 (Pr. No. 4062) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order, was called up, from page 6 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 1398 (Pr. No. 4062) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 15 (Corporations and Unincorporated Associations) and 54 (Names) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, modernizing the law on limited liability partnerships, general partnerships, limited partnerships and limited liability companies; and making conforming changes with respect to associations, corporations, unincorporated nonprofit associations and business trusts by doing the following: As to general provisions, making conforming changes by revising provisions on application of title, definitions, defense of usury, tax clearance of certain fundamental transactions and fee schedule. As to entities generally, making conforming changes by revising requirements for foreign association names. As to entity transactions, making conforming changes by revising provisions on regulatory conditions and required notices and approvals, nature of transactions, approval by limited partnership, effect of merger, statement of division and effectiveness, effect of division and effect of domestication. As to foreign associations, making conforming changes by revising provisions on governing law. As to corporations, making conforming changes by revising provisions on distributions by business corporations and by adding provisions on derivative actions and the use of special litigation committees by business corporations and nonprofit corporations. As to partnerships generally: extensively revising provisions on: interchangeability of partnership, limited liability company and corporate forms of organization; and ownership of certain professional partnerships; and adding a provision on failure to observe formalities. As to limited liability partnerships: extensively revising provisions on: scope; definitions; limitation on liability of partners; extraterritorial application of subchapter; foreign registered limited liability partnerships; and annual registration; and adding provisions on: distributions; and dissolution. As to general partnerships, repealing existing Chapter 83 and replacing it with a new Chapter 84 relating to: general provisions; nature of partnership; relations of partners to persons dealing with partnership; relations of partners to each other and to partnership; transferable interests and rights of transferees and creditors; dissociation; dissociation as partner if business not wound up; and dissolution and winding up. As to limited partnerships, repealing existing Chapter 85 and replacing it with a new Chapter 86 relating to: general provisions; formation and filings; limited partners; general partners; contributions and distributions; dissociation; transferable interests and rights of transferees and creditors; dissolution and winding up; and actions by partners. As to limited liability companies: repealing existing Subchapters A, B, C, D, E, F, I and K of Chapter 89 and replacing them with a new Chapter 88 relating to: general provisions; formation and filings; relations of members and managers to persons dealing with limited liability company; relations of members to each other and to limited liability company; transferable interests and rights of transferees and creditors; dissociation; dissolution and winding up; actions by members; and benefit companies; and revising provisions on restricted professional companies. As to unincorporated nonprofit associations, making conforming amendments by revising provisions on ownership and transfer of property. As to business trusts, making conforming changes by revising provisions on application and effect of chapter and liability of trustees and beneficiaries. As to names, revising provisions on register established.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-48

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

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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

HB 1538 CALLED UP

HB 1538 (Pr. No. 4125) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order, was called up, from page 8 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 1538 (Pr. No. 4125) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 44 (Law and Justice) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, adding provisions for law enforcement activities by providing for release of law enforcement officer information when firearm discharged or use of force.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

Senator HAYWOOD. Mr. President, I normally go to bed at 10 p.m., so I am losing my voice. However, I rise to oppose this bill for several reasons.

First, this bill arises out of a policy in Philadelphia where the city Police Commissioner, under the guidance of the President's Commission, decided to come up with a policy to release the names of police officers within 72 hours of an incident. This occurred after, we all know of, many instances of civil disturbance and unrest, but it was a decision by the local police officer. Thereafter, a State Representative, not being able to influence the city, decided that this would be a statewide issue and introduced legislation. There are hundreds of police departments in the Commonwealth. What police departments decide to do in terms of releasing or not releasing officer information has been purely a local matter, and so what this legislation attempts to do is make the General Assembly the Philadelphia City Council. I was not elected to the Philadelphia City Council, and we should not be taking the authority and freedom from local governments, as we have been put in a position to do with this legislation.

Second, this is proposed in an environment where we have seen a significant challenge of trust that the public has after police-involved incidents. This lack of trust has led to civil disobedience, rioting, and significant disruption, but not only that, it has also created fear in our young men and women in local police forces. In Charlotte, not long ago, there was an incident, and what the residents asked for was a release of the tapes showing what happened in the incident so they could see what happened. The demand for the tapes, when it was not met by the Charlotte Police, ended up in night after night of civil disobedience. So this legislation, which is supposed to be or purported to create a more safe environment, will do just the opposite, because the citizens will not accept the legislation that has been proposed. There will be more civil disobedience because citizens are demanding to know who was involved. This legislation will incite more civil disobedience. It is not what we should do, and we should allow local governments to manage their own affairs. Therefore, I ask all of the Members to vote against this legislation, which will undermine public trust, undermine the freedom of local police departments, and therefore be a disruption to our society.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

Senator WILLIAMS. Mr. President, we are traveling a path in this country where it is all or nothing on a variety of positions. So to start, I want, hopefully, those who are listening to truly listen. There seems to be a presumption that African Americans who live in cities do not trust police or do not like police. I will tell you for the record that a significant population of people of color depend upon police. Frankly, many of my friends who are police officers, black and white, I have asked questions about this particular bill. The preference on all of us, and I do not care whether you are a Democrat or a Republican, when you poll your constituents, they would prefer local control across a broad level of policies, and certainly policing is no different.

This particular bill, I am not sure why it has gotten to where it has gotten to, in spite of many people in law enforcement speaking against the bill. The reason why they speak against the bill is because it does not make police officers safer. What we have all learned, unfortunately, over the last year or so, while we have seen a variety of incidents between police officers and citi-

zens that, frankly, have divided this nation in a very dangerous way, all of us can understand the more information and the more transparent we are, the safer we are. I represent Philadelphia County and Delaware County. I have talked to police chiefs on both sides of this. Their preference is to have what they have always had, and that is discretion. They made decisions frequently to say, depending upon a set of circumstances, when to release the name of a victim and a police officer. I hope that logic will prevail tonight. I am not sure it will, but I hope that logic will prevail.

For a long time in Philadelphia we have had a variety of police commissioners who released the name of police officers well before 30 days in the 1960s, 1970s, 1980s, and in the 1990s, before we had this sort of festering pot of frustration and anger. I am not sure why one would make a decision to pick an arbitrary date and say, after that date we are going to release a name. If one is truly concerned about the safety of a police officer, in 30 days I guess they feel they are going to be safer. I am not sure why. If an officer or anyone feels an officer is going to be in danger, they are going to move them, as has been the case across the country. I do not think they are going to be any safer in 3 days versus 30 days. That is why this has always been curious to those of us who are concerned about it because it is not a scientific process, it is not a studied process, it is not a best practices process. It is, if you like cops, we will do politics with this process. And I think that is wrong. I think those of us who have voted to support police officers for a long time and will continue to do so and will find money to support police officers in our community should be respected and understood, rather than vilified and suggested that we do not support police officers. I think that is unfair. Thirty days is not a magic number any more than 3 days or 3 months. Thirty days suggests that we are compromising. For what? I suggest that those who are truly concerned about protecting communities, all citizens, including police officers, who, frankly, people do not understand, live in those communities. If we are concerned about protecting them, then we should not be concerned about their name, we should be concerned about the evidence and how the public reacts to what they think the facts are.

So, I hope that the State would begin to understand transparency, information, and facts. Help those of us, people like me, who will have to quell angry people, who will have to go into local meetings where people are saying something happened that did not happen. Those people who someone will call upon at the last minute to say, hey, can you help us out to quiet down this problem? Well, when I am armed with facts and information, I can better serve the public, but when it is suggested that because I am an elected official, now I am a part of the government and, therefore, I am no longer closer to the people, that is going to be challenging. We have seen that play out across this country. I do not want to see it play out in Pennsylvania, and I do not think that this helps to add to the safety of the public nor the safety of the peace officers or police officers who serve my community.

For those reasons, Mr. President, I will be voting against this particular bill. Thank you.

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

Senator HUGHES. Mr. President, the hour is late and I am sure that there is other business that must be attended to, but I think it is important that we spend a few brief moments address-

ing an important issue, an issue that requires us to address it, especially in light of a number of tragic issues and situations that have occurred around the Commonwealth, and, in fact, Mr. President, across the nation. Unfortunately, in far too many places, the relationship between police and community has become fragile. The relationship between law enforcement and our neighborhoods has become fragile. We need to do all that we can to adopt 21st-century policing procedures and community relationships and train neighborhoods and communities and police officers at the highest level for a number of reasons, but in this case, in this conversation, to strengthen that fragile reality.

None of us on either side of the aisle can be comfortable or should be comfortable with some of the situations that have occurred in the State and around the nation that have involved our law enforcement and community in specific shootings that have been tragic. Let me be clear, all of those shootings were in isolated circumstances. They should not reflect the great service and commitment that our police and our law enforcement individuals make on a daily basis. We recognize that when they leave their home in the morning, they are never sure if they are going to return at the end of the shift.

Unfortunately, as I have said before, there is a fragile relationship, an environment where that thing that is most important, that trust between community and officer--we must come to grips with the reality that there is a fragile nature, there is a fragile situation, and we must work toward rebuilding the trust between community and law enforcement. In some neighborhoods and some communities it is not an issue, but, unfortunately, in far too many neighborhoods and communities there is an issue. Reverend Barber, the head of the NAACP in North Carolina, reminded us specifically that to help to address this we need transparency, training, and trust - transparency, training, and trust. What we have adopted in our home city, Mr. President, is a policy that came out of, in many respects, the President's Task Force on 21st Century Policing, chaired by the former Police Commissioner of the city of Philadelphia, Charles Ramsey. The Philadelphia Police Department has adopted that policy and it has worked well. Also what must be attended to is this issue of trust and relationship, and it must be tended to on a regular basis, because of the reality that we are in right now where there is a fragile, difficult thing going on between community and policing.

The adoption of this proposal embodied in this bill, Mr. President, I fear will only do more harm than good. It will not help on the issue of transparency, will not help on the issue of training, and, unfortunately, without the transparency we cannot address the issue of trust. Folks need to know what is happening in their neighborhoods so they can feel more comfortable that justice is being addressed. Justice is important in our society. Transparency is important in our society. Training is important in our society and our relationship with community and police.

I would just add to this, Mr. President, and conclude here: to be clear, I am very familiar with the fact that officers, and especially their family members, must worry and must be concerned about the issues around the identification and the public nature of their reality. We are all public individuals here. Everyone has our home address, everyone knows how to reach us, whether we are in our offices or at home. Whether we be in a local supermarket, whether we be in the local library, the local community, the local school, wherever, we are all very public and we must always be concerned about our safety. The same thing occurs for

our police and their families. We must be concerned about those issues of safety and security. If we go down this path, Mr. President, I fear that we are not addressing the issue of strengthening the trust that needs to occur between community and our law enforcement because we are concealing identities, we are not providing public information, and then, consequently, folks who need to be able to trust and to know through issues of transparency will not have access to that information. We need to be sensitive to the public information of our law enforcement and their families, but we have to have a significant level of trust, and the only way to get to that level of trust is to have a transparent reality.

Unfortunately, as you know, Mr. President, we live in a society that all that we do is very public. Our personal identifications, addresses, accounts, everything is all out there. How we handle that is paramount. Not addressing the issue of trust and transparency, with respect to community and law enforcement, will only lead, I believe, to a more negative outcome and not what we need to be doing in this Commonwealth. We cannot go against the studied, thought out, clearly analyzed processes and concepts that have been addressed and laid out by the President's commission, which was chaired by someone from our Commonwealth, Commissioner Ramsey. I ask for a "no" vote, but I also encourage, Mr. President, that we work collectively on addressing the issue of transparency, trust, and training as it comes to our law enforcement and our communities and how they relate to one another.

I ask for a "no" vote, Mr. President.

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

Senator BREWSTER. Mr. President, I will be very brief. I ask for a positive vote on the bill. From my experience in local government, I can tell you that there are processes and procedures in place already today, that anytime there is a report of a police officer's behavior, it is immediately referred to the FBI for investigation. That is in any case, it could be a traffic stop. I think we have to look at what is going on around the country. I see the erosion of the judicial system. Law enforcement officers, male and female, are now reluctant in some cases to go out, and I acknowledge to my colleagues that there are hot spots around the country where there is certainly doubt in certain departments. We know that they are being addressed by the appropriate investigative agencies, but I do not think I have to remind everybody that there are hundreds of thousands of law enforcement people around this country who have spouses and children. They have to run into folks in the local grocery store, the funeral homes, no matter where you go, they are encountered, and, I might add,

It is interesting to me, as I said spending quite a few years in local government, and having a number of homicides in my community, that we only hear a clamor for the names of the officers. We never hear a clamor for the names of the individuals who perpetrated homicides even when we know who they are. There is a reason for that, because we have to go through a process to prove it. We cannot just think it happened, we have to know it happened. I think you are going to see reluctance on behalf of law enforcement, maybe they just will not show up the way we all want them to, and the very people we are trying to help are the ones who are going to be hurt. Most good people know that we want law enforcement here quickly. I will not debate the fact

that there have been circumstances around this nation that would cause doubt. I am not going to debate that issue, but I do not think we want to continue to close the door on the very people upon whom we depend, and I think we are doing that.

I think it is fruitless to debate what is going on in some of the cities, but I say to everybody in this room, what would someone do with the name of a police officer who had the unfortunate opportunity to shoot someone? What would they do with that name once they received it? What would be the point, when you know that it is under investigation? What would be the point? I hope it would not result in harassment, but I suspect it would. Now, I could give you examples where officers were harassed at football games. Their children were beat up because they did their jobs.

Now, we had better figure out what we want in this country: law and order and safety for all, or do we want to put doubt in the minds of the people upon whom we depend? Because that is what we are doing. Again, I am not justifying anything that may have occurred in some of our cities. We know there are outstanding investigations going on, and we have to rely on the system. That is what we have to work with. Very frankly, I probably will get criticized for saying this, but let us not let the media dictate everything we do. That sells newspapers. That brings up the airwaves, okay? They make money from that. We are going to demand the name of the person who shot. We do not know if they did anything wrong, but we are going to demand it, put it on the airwaves, put it in the newspaper without consideration for the consequences. Why would we do such a thing? There is no common sense to it, when we can wait until the investigation is done and then the name is public.

So, I ask, without going any further, because I know it is late and I have a long drive too, but I want to give an opinion from an individual who had a paid police department and I worried about this every day and we got calls from the media every day about issues that may have happened. So, I close by asking for a positive vote on the bill.

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

Senator RAFFERTY. Mr. President I will be very brief. When this bill came over from the House, it was not that great of a bill, to be honest with you. My office, along with Senator McIlhinney's office, worked on an extensive amendment. This has the support of the State Fraternal Order of Police, 41,000 strong, and we worked hard in trying to address the issues and certainly keeping our police officers safe and secure. I ask for an affirmative vote, Mr. President. I think it is a good bill. 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-39

Alloway	Dinniman	Mensch	Vance
Argall	Eichelberger	Rafferty	Vogel
Aument	Farnese	Reschenthaler	Vulakovich
Baker	Folmer	Sabatina	Ward
Bartolotta	Fontana	Scarnati	White

Boscola	Gordner	Scavello	Wiley
Brewster	Hutchinson	Smucker	Wozniak
Brooks	Killion	Stefano	Yaw
Browne	McGarrigle	Teplitz	Yudichak
Corman	Mcllhinney	Tomlinson	
		NAY-9	
Blake	Haywood	Kitchen	Schwank
Costa	Hughes	Leach	Williams
Greenleaf			

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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

HB 1683 CALLED UP

HB 1683 (Pr. No. 4128) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order, was called up, from page 8 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 1683 (Pr. No. 4128) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for incentives for municipal volunteers of fire companies and nonprofit emergency medical services agencies.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-48

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

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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEES

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

HB 1196 (Pr. No. 4132) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, in preliminary provisions, further providing for definitions; in Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board, further providing for general powers of board; in licenses and regulations and liquor, alcohol and malt and brewed beverages, further providing for sales by liquor licensees and restrictions, for wine auction permits, for interlocking business prohibited, for public venue license, for wine expanded permits, for malt and brewed beverages manufacturers', distributors' and importing distributors' licenses, for brand registration and for breweries, providing for shipment of malt or brewed beverages and further providing for licenses not assignable and transfers, for local option and for unlawful acts relative to liquor, malt and brewed beverages and licensees; in distilleries, wineries, bonded warehouses, bailees for hire and transporters for hire, further providing for limited wineries and for distilleries; and, in disposition of moneys collected under provisions of act, further providing for moneys paid into the State Stores Fund for use of the Commonwealth.

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

HB 1348 (Pr. No. 4126) (Rereported)

An Act amending Title 65 (Public Officers) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in lobbying disclosure, further providing for registration, for reporting, for prohibited activities, for penalties and for registration fees, fund established, system and regulations.

HB 1704 (Pr. No. 2972) (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of May 23, 1945 (P.L.913, No.367), known as the Engineer, Land Surveyor and Geologist Registration Law, further providing for definitions, for continuing professional competency requirements and for exemption from licensure and registration.

HB 1895 (Pr. No. 2971) (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of July 6, 1989 (P.L.169, No.32), known as the Storage Tank and Spill Prevention Act, further providing for Underground Storage Tank Indemnification Board.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 5

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE AMENDMENTS

HB 1196 (Pr. No. 4132) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, in preliminary provisions, further providing for definitions; in Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board, further providing for general powers of board; in licenses and regulations and liquor, alcohol and malt and brewed beverages, further providing for sales by liquor licensees and restrictions, for wine auction permits, for interlocking business prohibited, for public venue license, for wine expanded permits, for malt and brewed beverages manufacturers', distributors' and importing distributors' licenses, for brand registration and for breweries, providing for shipment of malt or brewed beverages and further provid-

ing for licenses not assignable and transfers, for local option and for unlawful acts relative to liquor, malt and brewed beverages and licensees; in distilleries, wineries, bonded warehouses, bailees for hire and transporters for hire, further providing for limited wineries and for distilleries; and, in disposition of moneys collected under provisions of act, further providing for moneys paid into the State Stores Fund for use of the Commonwealth.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate amendments to House Bill No. 1196?

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate amendments to House Bill No. 1196.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

Senator McILHINNEY. Mr. President, I want to take a moment to thank the four Caucus chairmen who put this bill together. These are liquor changes that will help the consumers of Pennsylvania purchase alcohol more conveniently. Senator Brewster, my co-chairman here, and Representatives Costa and Harris in the House worked together in a fine bipartisan way to put a good bill before us here tonight, and I want to take a moment to thank them.

Thank you, Mr. President.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-44

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

NAY-4

Hughes Hutchinson Kitchen Williams

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

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

PERMISSION TO ADDRESS

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, this concludes our voting Calendar for tonight. I do want to take a moment to thank all of the people who work very hard in this building, not us legislators but all of the staff, both in this Chamber, the Chamber staff who keep us running, and all of the legislative staff. I think we ran maybe 100 bills through the Committee on Appropriations over the last month or so. All of those bills take a lot of work and fiscal notes, and everyone really came together and worked really hard, and I think we got a lot accomplished. If you noticed, most of our votes were unanimous or close to it over the last few weeks, so I take a moment to thank all of those individuals.

I also take a moment to acknowledge that although we are coming back in November, this is basically the last day for a few Members on this floor. Our Senator from Lancaster County, Senator Smucker; Senator Vance from Cumberland County; hopefully our Senator from Montgomery County, Senator Rafferty, it will be his last day, we will find out in a couple of weeks. Certainly, they have been spectacular Members and it has been an honor to serve with them. I take a quick moment to acknowledge their tremendous service to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair thanks the gentleman for very important remarks.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Allegheny, Senator Costa.

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, I take a moment as well to acknowledge and thank our staff, certainly, as well. Both sides of this Chamber, I think, have worked very effectively and well together. I applaud each of our Members for the ability to be able to do that. We did not get everything done that we wanted to try to get done, but I think we worked in a very cooperative way, which I think is to the benefit of the people of Pennsylvania. The staff has been remarkable, and I mentioned yesterday on the floor during Petitions and Remonstrances how valuable they are to the work that we do, and I would like to say thank you to all of our staff and ask our Members to give a round of applause to all of our staff people.

(Applause.)

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, I remind them that our fiscal situation is very tight and not to get thinking about pay raises or anything at this point. All kidding aside, but I thank them all.

But I, too, want to recognize certainly the Members whom we know are leaving. I know we will have an opportunity in November to discuss it further and allow them the opportunity, but I really want to provide a heartfelt thanks and best wishes to our colleagues who are leaving us and moving forward and moving on. Senator Vance and Senator Smucker, thank you for the work that you did. Whether it was education, Lloyd, or Pat working closely with Senator Kitchen and the work that you guys have done together, and your view of healthcare in particular and your work there was very helpful to helping us frame and shape what it is that we do. I applaud you for your work here both in the House and the Senate. It has been a real, true honor for us to work with each of you.

My colleagues from this side of the aisle whom we know are leaving, Senator Shirley Kitchen, she and I and Senator Wozniak came in together 20 years ago. I came in May, Shirley came in November, and John started in January, and since then we have worked together very, very well. Just wonderful, outstanding folks. Thank you, Shirley, for your service as the chairperson of

the Committee on Public Health and Welfare. You did an outstanding job. You forged relationships with folks to be able to get things done, folks from rural Pennsylvania, you from urban, the city of Philadelphia, you made it work. So I applaud you and the folks with whom you worked and your staff.

Senator Wozniak, the transportation work that you have done has been outstanding, but a lot of times we forget that you have a long history on the Committee on Finance and chaired and helped shepherd a number of things and helped shape tax policies in this Commonwealth that have made us a great State.

So, I say thank you to our colleagues, this is your last day working here in this way, but thank you. Pennsylvania thanks each of you for your great service to this great Commonwealth, and we look forward to seeing you in the future, and all the best to all of you.

Thank you, Mr. President.

(Applause.)

The PRESIDENT. The Chair thanks both Senator Corman and Senator Costa for their remarks. As a point of personal privilege, the people up here in front of the Chamber work very hard. They are among the best around: Megan, Jess, Dan, Rob, and Beth. Great job for making this Chamber run so smoothly.

And, of course, my colleagues in the Senate, we will miss you so much. You have done an outstanding job, and the people of Pennsylvania owe you a debt of gratitude.

(Applause.)

UNFINISHED BUSINESS SENATE RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED

Senator DINNIMAN, by unanimous consent, offered **Senate Resolution No. 491**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the month of November 2016 as "Carbon Monoxide Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

On the question,

Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

Senator DINNIMAN. Mr. President, many people die from carbon monoxide poisoning. As the heating season starts, it is important that we do that reminder. Pennsylvania has more carbon monoxide deaths than any other State in the Union. Additionally, Mr. President, we know that a number of young people have died in their cars from carbon monoxide poisoning. We have been able to add additional information to the driver training manual to warn young people about this danger, and it is important that we recognize it in the coming months. So, I ask for unanimous adoption of this resolution as a warning to all in Pennsylvania as the heating season starts, and also to young people, who might be staying in a car to keep warm, to be aware of this danger.

I also, Mr. President, thank you for your wonderful service as President of the Senate during this Session.

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.

Senators BROWNE, ARGALL, KILLION, McGARRIGLE, MENSCH, BOSCOLA, GREENLEAF, DINNIMAN, RAFFER-TY, RESCHENTHALER, SABATINA, TEPLITZ, FOLMER and COSTA, by unanimous consent, offered **Senate Resolution No. 492**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the month of November 2016 as "American Diabetes Month" in Pennsylvania.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Lehigh, Senator Browne.

Senator BROWNE. Mr. President, I rise to offer this resolution which designates November 2016 as "American Diabetes Month" in Pennsylvania. Mr. President, in the United States, nearly 30 million people, including 1.5 million in Pennsylvania, have diabetes, a serious disease with potentially life-threatening complications, including heart disease, stroke, blindness, kidney disease, and even amputation. Every 23 seconds someone in the United States is diagnosed with diabetes. An additional 86 million people in the United States are at risk of developing Type 2 diabetes. Approximately 5 percent of diabetics are diagnosed with Type 1 diabetes, which is typically diagnosed in children and young adults. In a recent study of children in Philadelphia, the incident rate of children with Type 1 diabetes increased 29 percent since 1989. Prevalence of diabetes in this Commonwealth has nearly doubled since 1995, and it is the seventh-leading cause of death in our State.

To highlight the daily challenges of millions of Americans living with this chronic disease, the 2016 American Diabetes Month theme is "This is Diabetes," with its goal to empower people at risk of developing diabetes and provide the tools necessary to prevent a diabetic diagnosis. As part of American Diabetes Month, the American Diabetes Association will also be celebrating "National Healthy Lunch Day" on November 15, when everyone is encouraged to "lunch right with every bite" and make healthy food choices.

I thank all of the Members for cosponsoring this important resolution to continue awareness of this very serious illness of many Pennsylvania residents and our fellow citizens, and thank them for their positive consideration of it.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair thanks the gentleman for a very important resolution.

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 Darlene A. Brown by Senator Alloway.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Jerry W. Waters, Sr., by Senators Alloway, McIlhinney, and Teplitz.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Blue Mountain Eagle Climbing Club by Senator Argall and others.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Blardone, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ashley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kirkpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Darl Startzell, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hoffman, Dr. John F. Schreder, Benjamin Joseph French, Christian E. Sherman, Patrick Thomas Willig, John H. Young, Frances L. Jones, Edith M. Raup, Ellen L. Stauffer, Jane W. Rhoads, Andrew Draude, Bessie O'Brien and to the Adamstown YMCA by Senator Aument.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to the Northeastern Pennsylvania Reading Association by Senators Baker, Blake, and Yudichak.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to WVIA Public Media by Senator Baker and others.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Marie Rybacki and to Dan Petrola by Senator Bartolotta.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Jeffrey Herzog, Michael Martinko, Gerald Kametz and to the Borinqueneers by Senator Boscola.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Andrew Wuttke by Senators Boscola and Argall.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Denise Parker, Paul Farr, Joe Brake, Ann Roth, Jeremy Gipson, Craig Thatcher, Vicki DaSilva, Steve Tobin, Concannon Miller, Embassy Bank, Air Products and Chemicals, Inc., and to Knoll, Inc., by Senator Boscola and others.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Frank Sicilia, Zachary Conner and to Robert Mahaffey by Senator Brewster.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Bishop Martha J. Sanders, Mark Ferrara, Nathan Depew, Adam Cook, Michael Lisac, Richard E. Hotchkiss, Orangeville Baptist Church, AWARE, Inc., Saint Clement's Episcopal Church, All Good Things Thrift Shop, b'gifted, John Aubrey Insurance Agency, Bethel Life Worship Center and to Hurlbert Hardware by Senator Brooks.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to David Noel, Andrew Steven Budlong, Joshua Eston Harman, Matthew Joseph Schuler, Nicholas Charles Germain and to Schnecksville Grange No. 1684 by Senator Browne.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Robin Flores by Senators Browne and Argall.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mary Pat Stark by Senators Browne and Boscola.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Scheller, Dr. Bruce Hillman, Cathy Stauffer, JoAnne Turcott, Prabha Sinha, Luke R. Cunningham, Carolyn Volk, Ann Marie Surovy, Gregg M. Feinberg, Lehigh Carbon Community College, Bennett Automotive Group, Gross McGinley, Coordinated Health, Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter of the Association of Fundraising Professionals and to the Women's 5K Classic by Senators Browne, Boscola, and Scavello.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to David S. Lewis by Senator Browne and others.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to the David M. Maines family, the Robert Peachey family, Mr. and Mrs. Jay White, Virginia R. Swartz and to the Kiwanis Club of Juniata County by Senator Corman.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Chris Goetzman, Dave Black, Jim Dwyer, Jacob Kosuda, Ed Goyda, Bernard McCrory, Kate St. John, Darnel Rosario, Jerry Horgan, Katharine Walsh, Victoria Dezort, Edward Ulrich, Grace Deasy, Katie Colleen Knecht, Brooke McCaffrey, Sophia Lauren Rizzo, Marshall McGraw, Julian Navarro, R. J. Pugh, Patrick Hassett, Don Rizzo, Sr., Frankstown Club and to Pons Auto Service by Senator Costa.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to the Frank D. Showalter, Sr., family, Dr. Noah H. Thorpe, Ira Dutter, Harry Thomas, Deborah Thompson, Ethan Healey, Great Valley Middle School, Stove Shop, The Timothy School, citizens of Schuylkill Township and to Holy Family School by Senator Dinniman.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Dr. Tara Kent, Dr. Julius B. Flynn, Jr., Ressola McCollum and to Cheyney University of Pennsylvania by Senators Dinniman and Killion.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to the Honorable Robert McMahon, Reverend Warren D. Mays, Sr., and to Media Fellowship House by Senator Dinniman and McGarrigle.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Dr. Ronn Jenkins, Edward Torrance, Jonathan Sheppard, William Jenkins, Catherine Walsh Hay, Tora Suber, Kenneth Glah, Renee Talley, Ramzee Stanton, Amanda Brown Streeter, Kim A. Jackson, Deirdre Kane, Jennifer O'Donnell, Danny Hale, Michael F. Connelly, John R. Twombly, Jr., Bill McNabb, members and coaches of the 1994 Coatesville High School Girls' Basketball Team and to the Vanguard Senior Leadership Team by Senator Dinniman and others.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Troutman, Sr., Cynthia Williams, Lebanon Valley Chamber of Commerce and to DiNunzio's Shoe Repair by Senator Folmer.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Ken Ackerman and to John E. Meckley III, by Senator Gordner.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Margaret Darress Wilson and to John L. DiMarzio by Senator Greenleaf.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to River of Life Church by Senators Greenleaf and McIlhinney.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. John Clark, Michael L. Bryant, Sr., Sarah Williams and to Kathryn Wasserman by Senator Haywood.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Ernest Jones by Senator Hughes.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rapp, Lori Ceder, Mary L. Turk, Dante Mark Santelli, Bryant Niederriter and to Saint Joseph School by Senator Hutchinson.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mary C. Meakim and to Amelia Schick by Senator Killion.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Dr. Toni Damon, Honorable Jacquelyn Frazier-Lyde and to Darlene Servance by Senator Kitchen.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Alex Matthew Greene, Alex Robert Pierce and to Daniel S. Mills by Senator Leach.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Blanford, Dr. Jerome S. Parker, Margaret P. MacKenzie, Sean Rodgers, Rolling Green Golf Club and to Sunoco Logistics Partners, L.P., by Senator McGarrigle.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Thomas Mark Sottile, Jr., Luke Sliwinski, Pennsbury Scholarship Foundation, Morrisville Senior Servicenter, Inc., by Senator McIlhinney. Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Richard B. Smith and to Dominic DiDio by Senator Mensch.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Lyle L. Rosenberger by Senator Mensch and others.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Patrick Andrew Donoghue by Senator Rafferty.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Nevan Barton Long, Christian William LoVerde, Anthony James Petrolias and to Bethel Presbyterian Church by Senator Reschenthaler.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Punxsutawney Branch of S&T Bank, McKean County Conservation District and to Punxsutawney Groundhog Club by Senator Scarnati.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to the Reverend Dr. Thomas E. Richards, Jr., George F. Hinton, Janet A. Farole, Brandon M. Defranco, Michael Nasatka, Andrew J. Walters, citizens of Tunkhannock Township, ESSA Bank and Trust and to Totts Gap Arts Institute by Senator Scavello.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Dr. Joseph Roy by Senators Scavello and Boscola.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Michael G. Perry and to Patricia W. Levin by Senators Scavello, Boscola, and Browne.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Francis William Baldassare, Armand M. "Mutt" Sussman, Jared A. Werner and to ReadingFilm by Senator Schwank.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Casey Joseph Littrell by Senator Smucker.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Jack Helinski, Jay Best, Ronald L. Shroyer, William K. Jackson, Somerset Trust Company, Jennerstown Speedway Complex and to Friends of Flight 93 National Memorial by Senator Stefano.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Elizabeth M. Rupp Morlock, Javier Suarez and to Richard Negrin by Senator Tartaglione.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Travis Walborn, Hagan Seeley and to First Church of the Brethren by Senator Teplitz.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Chief Herbert J. Slack, Edith Butts, Bob Haskins, Tom Nolan, Joe Robinson, Christopher Schick, Jim Trommer and to Bryan G. Johnson by Senator Tomlinson.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Joshua Deller, Joshua Mallow, Jacob Alan Otto and to Mechanicsburg Area Foundation by Senator Vance.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Mary L. Gibson, Evan Long and to Precision Feedscrews, Inc., by Senator Vogel.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Chief James Kelly, Ralph Brown, David McWilliams, Ryan Wirth, Bryan Urbanec, David Morris, John Parker, Cindi McWilliams, Judith Craft, Kristopher Grady, Evan F. Cambest, Stephen Wilson, Daniel S. Halapin, Richard Samuel Beacom III, and to Benjamin R. Stewart by Senator Vulakovich.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Joseph Thomas Flower Shop by Senator Ward.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to John G. Angelo and to Keith Allan Kriner by Senator Wiley.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Carole Williams-Green and to the citizens of the Borough of Collingdale by Senator Williams.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Joshua Scott Scaletta by Senator Wozniak.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Radzwilka, Dr. Barbara Sciandra, Qiana Lehman, Bob Silver, Alicia N. Kline, Joseph Cyburt, Noah Charles Cannell, Ronald W. Faust, Madeline Dworak, Ed Ackerman, Patrick Hadley, Santino Ferretti, Kresge Services, Sharps Compliance, Inc., Dine Lake Harmony, Somersault Letterpress and to Duchess Outlet by Senator Yudichak.

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to Nesbitt School of Pharmacy at Wilkes University by Senators Yudichak and Baker

Congratulations of the Senate were extended to April Marie Kemp, Sondra Myers and to H. W. Wieder by Senator Yudichak and others.

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 the Honorable Kenneth E. Brandt by Senator Aument.

Condolences of the Senate were extended to the family of the late Donald F. Faux, to the family of the late Shirley Mae Reese Templin and to the family of the late Philip J. Hurwitz, Jr., by Senator Baker.

Condolences of the Senate were extended to the family of the late James Edward Reynolds, Sr., by Senator Haywood.

Condolences of the Senate were extended to the family of the late Dorothy Veronica Noonan by Senator McIlhinney.

Condolences of the Senate were extended to the family of the late Walter J. Conti by Senator McIlhinney and others.

Condolences of the Senate were extended to the family of the late Edward Harding Comly, Jr., by Senator Tomlinson.

Condolences of the Senate were extended to the family of the late Alice Geneva Watson by Senator Williams.

POSTHUMOUS CITATIONS

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

A posthumous citation honoring the late Joseph F. McCarthy III was extended to the family by Senator Costa.

Posthumous citations honoring the late Honorable Elinor Zimmerman Taylor, the late Maria Whitehead, and the late Wilmor Thomas Musser were extended to the families by Senator Dinniman and others.

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SECRETARY

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

SENATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2016

9:30 A.M.

PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDING
CONSTRUCTION AND
RECONSTRUCTION ADVISORY
COMMITTEE (public hearing to
consider issues related to financing
of school building construction projects)

Red Lion H.S. Auditorium

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2016

9:00 A.M.

VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS (H) and VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS (S) (joint hearing to review emergency preparedness and response measures for natural gas/petroleum pipeline infrastructure across Pennsylvania) Hrg. Rm. 1 North Off.

HOUSE MESSAGES

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL

The Clerk of the House of Representatives informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House amendments to SB 385.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILLS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to HB 245, HB 319, HB 516, HB 850, HB 1403, HB 1437, HB 1496, HB 1600, HB 1699, HB 1737, HB 1864, HB 1907, HB 1968 and HB 2107.

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 26, 2016

HB 975 -- Committee on Urban Affairs and Housing.

HB 2266 -- Committee on Judiciary.

HB 2350 -- Committee on Public Health and Welfare.

BILLS SIGNED

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

SB 356, SB 385, SB 486, SB 562, SB 613, SB 881, SB 1062, SB 1202, SB 1219, SB 1235, SB 1265, SB 1282, SB 1367, SB 1368, HB 245, HB 319, HB 516, HB 850, HB 1403, HB 1437, HB 1496, HB 1600, HB 1699, HB 1703, HB 1737, HB 1864, HB 1907, HB 1968, HB 2014, HB 2078, HB 2107, HB 2241, HB 2303 and HB 2338.

RECESS

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now recess until Wednesday, November 16, 2016, 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 12:17 a.m., Eastern Daylight Saving Time.