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SENATE

TUESDAY, June 19, 2018

The Senate met at 1 p.m., Eastern Daylight Saving Time.

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

PRAYER

The Chaplain, RAJAN ZED, president of The Universal Society of Hinduism, Reno, Nevada, offered the following prayer:

It is an honor for a community when the prayers from Indian Sanskrit scriptures are being read in this great hall of democracy of the great State of Pennsylvania. Starting with Gayatri Mantra, which is considered a most sacred mantra of Hinduism, I shall be reading from the ancient scriptures of Rig-veda Bhagavad-gita, with some of them as old as 1500 before the common era. After reading in Sanskrit, I shall interpret in English.

(Translation from Sanskrit:)

We meditate on the transcendental glory of the Deity Supreme, who is inside the heart of the earth, inside the life of the sky, and inside the soul of the heaven. May He stimulate and illuminate our minds.

(Translation from Sanskrit:)

Lead us from the unreal to the real, lead us from darkness to light, lead us from death to immortality.

(Translation from Sanskrit:)

Strive constantly to serve the welfare of the world; by devotion to selfless one attains the supreme goal of life. Do your work with the welfare of others always in mind.

(Translation from Sanskrit:)

May we be protected together. May we be nourished together. May we work together with great vigor. May our study be enlightening. May no obstacle arise between us.

(Translation from Sanskrit:)

United in your resolve, united in your hearts, may your spirits be at one that you may long together dwell in unity and concord. Peace. Peace be unto all. Thank you.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair thanks Rajan Zed, who is the guest today of Senator McIlhinney.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

HOUSE MESSAGES

**HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE AMENDMENTS
TO HOUSE BILL**

The Clerk of the House of Representatives informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to **HB 152**.

SENATE BILL RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate **SB 892**, 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 bill will be referred to the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations.

BILL SIGNED

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

HB 152.

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

Senator VULAKOVICH, from the Committee on Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness, reported the following bills:

SB 575 (Pr. No. 645)

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in volunteer firefighters, further providing for definitions, for statement of purpose, for funds and for audits.

SB 933 (Pr. No. 1310)

An Act amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in proprietary and official rights, further providing for the offense of wearing of uniforms and insignia and misrepresentation of military service or honors; and, in State Veterans' Commission and Deputy Adjutant General for Veterans' Affairs, further providing for Veterans' Trust Fund.

SB 1079 (Pr. No. 1891) (Amended)

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in Commonwealth services, providing for online training for firefighters.

HB 980 (Pr. No. 2153)

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for the exclusion of veterans' benefit payments from income for Commonwealth programs.

RESOLUTION REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

Senator VULAKOVICH, from the Committee on Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness, reported the following resolution:

SR 394 (Pr. No. 1887)

A Resolution designating the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as a Purple Heart State and recognizing August 7th as "Purple Heart Day" in Pennsylvania.

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

JOURNAL APPROVED

The PRESIDENT. The Journal of the Session of April 18, 2018, is now in print.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the Session of April 18, 2018.

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

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

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

YEA-49

Alloway	DiSanto	Leach	Street
Argall	Eichelberger	Martin	Tartaglione
Aument	Farnese	McGarrigle	Tomlinson
Baker	Folmer	McIlhinney	Vogel
Bartolotta	Fontana	Mensch	Vulakovich
Blake	Gordner	Rafferty	Ward
Boscola	Greenleaf	Regan	White
Brewster	Haywood	Resenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerhole	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	Stefano	

NAY-0

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

The PRESIDENT. The Journal is approved.

**SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS
2017 PENNSYLVANIA BITUMINOUS COAL
QUEEN PRESENTED TO THE SENATE**

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Fayette, Senator Stefano.

Senator STEFANO. Mr. President, today I am thrilled to welcome the 2017 Bituminous Coal Queen, Kacey Furlong. She is

the daughter of Dr. David and Roxie Furlong. Kacey is a recent graduate of Brownsville Area High School. She has a deep passion for dance and she has been competing since the age of 10. While competing, she has received prestigious scholarships from the Joffrey Ballet School in New York City and consecutive scholarships to Complexions Ballet in New York City as well. Kacey hopes to continue her devotion to dance upon graduation from high school. She plans to attend West Virginia University and pursue a career in nutrition and become a member of the WVU dance team. Outside of school, Kacey teaches dance throughout the week and assists her father at his chiropractic office.

The connection that Kacey has to the coal mining industry dates back several generations. Her great-grandfather, John Lenk, dedicated his entire life and retired from the Maple Creek Mine. Carrying on the tradition were several great uncles who worked in the mining industry as well. Kacey understands the impact the mining industry has on our area and the many benefits it provides to our community. She is humbled and beyond proud to reign as the 2017 Bituminous Coal Queen, and everyone back home is so proud of her and all the work she has done this year.

Please give Kacey and her mom a warm Senate welcome. Thank you.

The PRESIDENT. Would our wonderful Coal Queen, Kacey Furlong, the Bituminous Coal Queen, please rise. We will hear you speak, but let us recognize your mom, too, because it does not happen without all she does. Please address the Senate, Kacey.

(Applause.)

Ms. FURLONG. Thank you, Senator Stefano. Good afternoon, ladies and gentlemen. I humbly stand before you grateful and honored for my journey as being the 2017 Coal Queen. A quote by Erin Hanson depicts how I have felt for my journey as Coal Queen, as well as my life as a dancer. "What if I fall? Oh, but my darling, what if you fly?" I used to be afraid of competing against people in dance. At times I felt as if I was not good enough or that I may falter on stage in front of everyone. What I have grown to learn is to never let the fear of what you love most hold you back. If I would have held back from auditioning to be Coal Queen, I would not be the person who I am today. Being Coal Queen has allowed for me to grow both mentally and personally. My dance school nicknamed me turtle because I was so shy. Dance is my outlet to come out of my shell and be the person that I was unable to be offstage. The time leading up to Coal Queen was full of meeting new people and being involved in activities in which I had to open up. Speaking in front of a crowd during the pageant was something I had never done before. I was awarded the impromptu question category from the pageant. I guess you can say that I have officially come out of my shell.

During my reign, I have had the opportunity to meet many coal miners in our area. Several family members of mine, starting back with my great-grandfather, have belonged to, or still belong to, the coal mining industry and they each share the same compassion and love for their careers. This industry creates a vast amount of jobs that truly affect the small towns of which we are a part. Coal mining is a legacy that is passed on through generations that instills a sense of pride and brotherhood. My time as Coal Queen has allowed for me to see more in depth just how important coal mining is and how we must keep this industry

thriving to benefit infrastructure not only locally, but nationally. Coal is not only useful in generating electricity, it is vital in steel production, cement manufacturing, and as liquid fuel. Imagine a world without coal. You would not have any items such as plastics, running shoes, trains, household appliances, ATMs--my parents would not miss this one, since I use their MAC card--building structures, cars, buses, ships, airplanes, and the list goes on and on. I am not willing to give these things up, and I am pretty sure that you are not either. All in all, we know of the need and importance of coal mining. We just have to do what it takes to keep it in production.

As the world we live in today continues to become more focused on going green and protecting our environment, clean coal technology is only one key focal point to invest in. According to estimates from the International Energy Agency, roughly 41 percent of the world's electricity comes from coal-fired power plants. However, moving forward, cleaner coal technologies will be needed to keep emissions down and combat climate change. Politicians, the private sector, international organizations, and civil societies must collaborate in the future concerning technology and environmental protection. By doing so, we can continue to utilize this affordable, reliable resource for years to come.

At this time, I extend my sincere thanks to Representative Snyder, Senator Stefano, the Senate of Pennsylvania, the King Coal Association, especially Becky Mitchell and Lisa Allison, for making all the events of this past year possible; my parents, Dr. Dave and Roxie Furlong, as well as my sister, Katlyn, for their unconditional love, support, and guidance. Thank you.

(Applause.)

The PRESIDENT. Thank you, Kacey, this year's Bituminous Coal Queen.

GUESTS OF SENATOR JOHN C. RAFFERTY PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

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

Senator RAFFERTY. Mr. President, I believe my guests are still here. I had the pleasure today to be able to host and to spend some time with great friends from Shannondell community in Audubon, Pennsylvania. They are very involved, very civic-minded, and really good neighbors and good people in the Lower Providence community and really all of the Montgomery County, Chester County area. They were very inquisitive about the Capitol and very interested in government and seeing the Senate. I had the chance to take them into the Senate. I ask my colleagues to give the residents from Shannondell our traditional warm welcome to the Senate of Pennsylvania.

Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guests of Senator Rafferty from the Shannondell community please rise so that we may welcome you to the Pennsylvania Senate.

(Applause.)

GUESTS OF SENATOR JAY COSTA PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, today I have three interns who are working in my Forest Hills office this summer and all

three are doing an outstanding job. The first one is Evan Keating McNally. Evan is a rising senior at the University of Arizona pursuing a bachelor of arts degree in law with a minor in psychology. He is a 2015 graduate of Shady Side Academy, and has worked over the course of the past three summers at Field Environmental Instruments. Evan makes his home in Edgewood Borough, and I am proud to have him working with us in our Forest Hills office.

We also have Shamelle Price-Wheeler, who will be a junior at Penn State University this fall. She is studying communications with a minor in dispute management and resolution, and expects to graduate with a bachelor of arts degree in 2020. She is a 2016 graduate of Woodland Hills High School, and at Penn State she is a member of the Urban Dance Troupe, the speech and debate team, the block party committee, and is very active as a volunteer in her community. She, too, is working in my Forest Hills office.

Dan Rieter will be a senior this fall at Ohio University in Athens, Ohio, from which he expects to graduate with a bachelor of science degree in education in integrated social studies. Dan is a 2015 graduate of Central Catholic High School in Pittsburgh. He has worked as a camp counselor at YMCA Camp Kon-O-Kwee/Spencer and is an active member of the Acacia Fraternity. Dan is also an intern, as I mentioned, at my Forest Hills office this summer.

Mr. President, these young men and lady have been doing an outstanding job working in the role of our interns and gaining experience in the work that we do both here in Harrisburg but also in our local district offices. I ask my colleagues to give each of them a warm Senate welcome.

Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guests of Senator Costa, the star interns Evan, Shamelle, and Dan, please rise so that we may welcome you to the Pennsylvania Senate.

(Applause.)

GUESTS OF SENATOR THOMAS H. KILLION PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

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

Senator KILLION. Mr. President, this afternoon I rise to introduce a group of constituents visiting Harrisburg from Middletown Township, my hometown, located in Delaware County. The group is part of a bus trip organized by the Middletown Township Parks and Recreation Department. In addition to their time touring our Commonwealth's beautiful Capitol today, this afternoon they will have an opportunity to enjoy a cruise on the Pride of the Susquehanna Riverboat, and I am very happy to see that the sun came out.

Mr. President, I ask that we extend our traditional warm welcome to these guests who are currently seated in the Senate gallery.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guests of Senator Killion from Middletown Township please rise so that we may welcome you to the Pennsylvania Senate, and have a great trip up here. Looks like a large delegation.

(Applause.)

**GUEST OF SENATOR KIM L. WARD
PRESENTED TO THE SENATE**

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

Senator WARD. Mr. President, I rise today to recognize a really, really wonderful young woman whom I got to know today, Akiliann Bray. Akiliann is shadowing me today as part of the GirlGov program and she is actually a constituent of Senator Fontana and lives in Pittsburgh. Akiliann will be a senior next year at Winchester Thurston School, and this is her second year participating in the GirlGov program. This is a yearlong program aimed at getting young women in high school engaged in civics, government, philanthropy, youth organizing, community involvement, women's history, and leadership. When I met her today I said, what is your interest? Why are you interested in this? And she said she is interested in equality and fairness. Akiliann has served on the GirlGov's economic justice committee advocating for affordable housing in the Pittsburgh area. To top it all off, she is a very talented and aspiring songwriter who hopes to go to NYU. Why do I know that she is a talented? Because she sang us one of the songs that she wrote and it was beautiful and I had some folks in my office who were visiting and they could not believe it when they heard her. She is really, really great.

So, I am very pleased to be partnering with GirlGov as one of the elected officials and I am fortunate and was really honored and really enjoyed getting to know someone as bright, talented, and engaged as Akiliann is. So I am really happy to have her with me today and I ask you to please join me in extending our warm welcome. Thank you.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guest of Senator Ward, Akiliann Bray, up-and-coming songwriter, entertainer, and otherwise GirlGov power player, she has risen, let us welcome you to the Pennsylvania Senate. Great parade wave.

(Applause.)

**GUEST OF SENATOR CHARLES McILHINNEY
PRESENTED TO THE SENATE**

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

Senator McILHINNEY. Mr. President, I thank Rajan Zed, the president of the Universal Society of Hinduism, for serving as our guest Chaplain today and offering the opening prayer. In addition to delivering the prayer in the Senate, he also offered the prayer in the House of Representatives today. He is a global Hindu and interfaith leader and has been bestowed with the World Interfaith Leader Award. Please join me in giving him a warm Senate welcome.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guest of Senator McIlhinney, Rajan Zed, please rise. Thank you so much for your prayers and for being with us.

(Applause.)

**GUESTS OF SENATOR WAYNE LANGERHOLC
PRESENTED TO THE SENATE**

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

Senator LANGERHOLC. Mr. President, it is my pleasure to introduce several constituents of mine here advocating on behalf of their respective school districts. I have worked with many members who are here today on various issues of school safety and I appreciate the open dialogue that we have had among other issues, including the budget. The individuals seated in the Senate gallery are Ron Matchock, of Curwensville Area School District; Dr. John Zesiger, superintendent of Moshannon Valley School District; Elsi Harchak, business manager/food service director of Moshannon Valley School District; Stuart Albaugh, superintendent of Harmony School District; Bradley Brothers, business administrator for Harmony School District; Dr. David Lehman, superintendent of Conemaugh Valley School District; Kris Albright, principal of Moshannon Valley School District; and Curt Vasas, principal of Forest Hills.

I ask that the Senate give their traditional warm welcome to these constituents of mine.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guests of Senator Langerholc, the great educators, please rise so that we may welcome you to the Pennsylvania Senate.

(Applause.)

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

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

Senator BAKER. Mr. President, I rise to introduce Mallory Wilson of Harveys Lake in Luzerne County, who is serving as an intern in my Dallas district office. Actually, this is Mallory's second year working with us in the summer. She did an excellent job last year and we were delighted to invite her back for a more comprehensive experience. She is a rising senior at Chestnut Hill College where she studies criminal justice. In the fall, she will divide her time between her studies and also an internship with the U.S. Marshals Service. It was an honor for her to get a chance to meet our own U.S. Marshal retired, Senator Regan, who offered her some insights into his experience. She is a former lacrosse standout, and she is certified as an official for both PIAA and USA Lacrosse. She officiates junior and high school games whenever she has the opportunity. She is joined today with her mom, Jodi. They are in the gallery, and I ask us to offer our usual warm Senate welcome to Mallory Wilson and her mom, Jodi.

Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guests of Senator Baker, Mallory Wilson and her mom, please rise so that we may welcome you to the Senate.

(Applause.)

**GUEST OF SENATOR GUY RESCHENTHALER
PRESENTED TO THE SENATE**

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

Senator RESCHENTHALER. Mr. President, it is my pleasure to welcome a guest to the Senate of Pennsylvania today, Caroline Ehrenfeld. Caroline is a constituent of Senator McIlhinney, and she is here today to shadow me and learn more about the legislative process. Caroline will be a senior at American University

where she is studying political science with a concentration in American government. She is also pursuing a minor in psychology, and she tells me that her favorite part of psychology is political psychology. So, she has a strong interest in politics and she is also pursuing that as an intern at Arena Strategies. She previously interned with Congressman Fitzpatrick and Mayor Kenney. Caroline has several academic accomplishments, including her membership on the dean's list and the National Society of Collegiate Scholars. She is also a member of Pi Sigma Alpha for demonstrating excellence in the political science academic field.

I wish Caroline the best of luck in all her future endeavors. Mr. President and colleagues, please join me in giving my honored guest a warm welcome.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guest of Senator Reschenthaler, Caroline, intern extraordinaire, please rise so that we may welcome you to the Pennsylvania Senate.

(Applause.)

GUEST OF SENATOR RANDY VULAKOVICH PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

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

Senator VULAKOVICH. Mr. President, today I would like to introduce Maya Shook. She happens to be a constituent of Senator Costa and attends Allderdice High School located in the city of Pittsburgh. During this GirlGov program that she is a part of, Maya was part of a freedom from violence committee advocating for proper sexual assault reporting policies within school districts. Her interests lie in cross-country, playing the guitar, and a school club called Global Minds which deals with bridging the gap between native English-speaking students and English-as-a-second-language students. She is a member of the feminist student union that deals with feminist issues in general. Maya hopes to enter into secondary education and concentrate her studies on social sciences.

Mr. President, I ask that the Senate recognize Maya Shook with our usual warm welcome.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guest of Senator Vulakovich, Maya Shook, please rise so that we may welcome you to the Pennsylvania Senate.

(Applause.)

GUESTS OF SENATOR ARTHUR L. HAYWOOD PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

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

Senator HAYWOOD. Mr. President, I rise to recognize two individuals. First is Lauren Davis. Lauren is shadowing me today as a member of the Women and Girls Foundation GirlGov Program. She graduated from Upper Saint Clair High School in Upper Saint Clair, Pennsylvania. She will be attending Allegheny College this fall and plans to study psychology. She has had a tremendous record so far. Lauren is strongly interested in social justice through the GirlGov program. She has worked on issues of sex education on a statewide basis, as well as at the level of school districts. She has learned that most school districts do not have adequate sex education classes. In addition, Lauren has worked on issues of racial and social justice, and she is most passionate about insuring LGBTQ equality at schools.

I am very honored to have Lauren shadow me here today, and I expect a lot of her and ask that the Senate give her a warm welcome.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guest of Senator Haywood, Lauren Davis, please rise so that we may welcome you to the Pennsylvania Senate.

(Applause.)

Senator HAYWOOD. Mr. President, I would also like to introduce my Harrisburg intern, Vishnu Viswanathan, who is in the gallery today. He is currently a student at Cumberland Valley High School in Mechanicsburg. He is a rising senior and will graduate in 2019. He is also a very accomplished young person. He is involved in extracurricular activities, including basketball and swimming, but he spends time in several significant clubs, including the debate club, THON, and robotics. In ninth grade, he was in a national competition for the FIRST LEGO League and the FIRST Tech Challenge. This is after he won State and regional competitions. He won a statewide tournament in debate, and in his spare time he plays the guitar. He is an impressive young man, a tremendous addition to my office, and I believe to the Senate as a whole. I ask for his recognition.

The PRESIDENT. Would the additional guest of Senator Haywood, Vishnu Viswanathan, please rise so that we may welcome you to the Pennsylvania Senate.

(Applause.)

GUEST OF SENATOR ANTHONY H. WILLIAMS PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

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

Senator WILLIAMS. Mr. President, before I start my comments about the person who is involved in my office, let us take a serious moment and reflect upon all of these young people who we are talking about today. For all of the news and all of the things talked about the next generation being selfish and self-centered, this is an extraordinary group of dedicated, well-mannered, appropriately positioned, aggressively pushing forward our country in a positive way generation of youngsters. I am grateful to be a part of this announcing my individual person today.

Many of us have talked about this GirlGov Program, and I am proud to have a young person by the name of Payton Herman as my designee, my young person who is following me today. She is a rising junior at Moon Area High School in Allegheny County. She is originally from Saskatchewan, Canada. She is on the education committee in GirlGov, and is interested in fair tuition and access to higher education. She worked on a petition to provide educational access to undocumented immigrant children, dreamers. She is also a lifeguard, swim instructor, a Girl Scout working on her Gold Award project, a memorial to every student killed in school violence since Columbine. She plans to major in mechanical engineering at a university in the south. I am not sure there would be any time left in her busy schedule to do something like this, but she found the time to do such. Let us give her a warm welcome on behalf of the Senate.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guest of Senator Williams, Payton Herman, please rise so that we may welcome you to the Pennsylvania Senate.

(Applause.)

**GUEST OF SENATOR JAMES R. BREWSTER
PRESENTED TO THE SENATE**

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

Senator BREWSTER. Mr. President, I am honored today to introduce Ella Abrams. Ella is part of the GirlGov Program. Ella is currently a ninth-grader at McKeesport Area High School. During this GirlGov Program year, Ella was part of the racial justice committee advocating for teachers to be required to take macro-aggression and racial-bias training as part of their continuing education. As Senator Williams mentioned, it is an honor to see the young folks here today. I actually heard a couple of them talking about possibly being here one day in an official capacity. I thought that was a tremendous thing to hear from young folks. So I ask the Senate for a warm Senate welcome to Ella Abrams from my high school.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guest of Senator Brewster, Ella Abrams from McKeesport, please rise so that we may welcome you to the Pennsylvania Senate.

(Applause.)

CALENDAR

SECOND CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

HB 1124 CALLED UP OUT OF ORDER

HB 1124 (Pr. No. 3730) -- Without objection, the bill was called up out of order, from page 11 of the Second Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN, as a Special Order of Business.

**BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION
AND REREFERRED**

HB 1124 (Pr. No. 3730) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in assault, further providing for the offense of neglect of care-dependent person and providing for the offense of abuse of care-dependent person.

Considered the second time and agreed to,

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

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

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

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

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED

SECOND CONSIDERATION CALENDAR RESUMED

HB 1419 CALLED UP OUT OF ORDER

HB 1419 (Pr. No. 3314) -- Without objection, the bill was called up out of order, from page 12 of the Second Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN, as a Special Order of Business.

**BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION
AND REREFERRED**

HB 1419 (Pr. No. 3314) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in criminal history record information, further providing for general regulations and for order for limited access and providing for clean slate limited access, for exceptions, for order to vacate order for limited access, for effects of expunged records and records subject to limited access and for employer immunity from liability.

Considered the second time and agreed to,

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

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

**SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS
ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SECRETARY**

The SECRETARY. Permission has been granted for the Committee on Judiciary to meet today in the Rules room to consider Senate Bill No. 255.

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 off-the-floor committee meetings to be held in the Rules room, starting with the Committee on Banking and Insurance, followed by the Committee on Judiciary, and when those committee meetings conclude, a Republican caucus will be held in the Majority Caucus Room.

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, I ask Senate Democrats to meet in our caucus room at the rear of the Chamber after the committee meetings.

The PRESIDENT. For purposes of meetings of the Committee on Banking and Insurance and the Committee on Judiciary, followed by Republican and Democratic caucuses, to be held in their respective caucus rooms, 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 Bartolotta.

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

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 Appropriations to be held in the Rules room in the rear of the Chamber.

The PRESIDENT. For the purpose of an off-the-floor meeting of the Committee on Appropriations, without objection, the Senate stands in recess.

AFTER RECESS

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

LEGISLATIVE LEAVES

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I request temporary Capitol leaves for Senator Scarnati and Senator White.

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

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED**THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR****BILLS OVER IN ORDER**

HB 44, HB 56 and HB 61 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL OVER IN ORDER AND LAID ON THE TABLE

HB 99 (Pr. No. 424) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 8 (Boroughs and Incorporated Towns) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in contracts, further providing for regulation of contracts.

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

Pursuant to Senate Rule 9, the bill was laid on the table.

BILL LAID ON THE TABLE

HB 126 (Pr. No. 2004) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act providing for the use of epinephrine auto-injectors by certain entities and organizations; and conferring powers and imposing duties on the Department of Health.

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

HB 126 TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that House Bill No. 126, Printer's No. 2004, be taken from the table and placed on the Calendar.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

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

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 149, HB 159, HB 236, HB 280, HB 285, SB 357, SB 521 and SB 735 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

**BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION
AND FINAL PASSAGE**

HB 824 (Pr. No. 3661) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for the National Guard Youth Challenge 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 PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Allegheny, Senator Vulakovich.

Senator VULAKOVICH. Mr. President, I rise in support of House Bill No. 824, which would establish the National Guard Youth Challenge Program in our Commonwealth. This is a residential, quasi-military program for youth between the ages of 16 and 18 who are experiencing difficulty in traditional high school. It is operated by States through their National Guard with supporting Federal funds and oversight.

The Youth Challenge Program began in the mid-1990s. Today, there are 40 sites in 29 States, Washington, D.C., and Puerto Rico, with more than 150,000 young people having completed the program. The program includes a 5 1/2-month residential phase followed by a 12-month post-residential phase with support from a mentor. The goal of the Youth Challenge Program is to intervene in and reclaim the lives of high school dropouts producing program graduates with the values, life skills, education, and self-discipline necessary to succeed.

Senator Greenleaf has introduced legislation for a number of years that would add Pennsylvania to the ranks of States with Youth Challenge Programs. Our Senate Committee on Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness held a hearing on this issue in 2015. We also toured the Maryland program. In 2017, the Senate passed Senate Bill No. 52, and now, with House Bill No. 824, we are ready to get this legislation to the Governor. I thank Senator Greenleaf as well as Representative Saylor and Representative Hill for their advocacy on this issue, which is ultimately about reclaiming the lives of our youth. In 2011, there was a study of Maryland's program. Members of the program group were more likely than those in the control group to have obtained a GED or a high school diploma and to have earned college credits. Members of the program group were more likely to be employed and earned about 20 percent more than their control group counterparts. This is similar, but has been found in each State that has a second-chance program for our at-risk youth.

Mr. President, I ask for an affirmative vote so that Pennsylvania can offer the same second chance, and I am sure our Pennsylvania National Guard is going to do a great job, and they are willing to start this program ASAP.

Thank you very much, 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-48

Alloway	Dinniman	Laughlin	Schwank
Argall	DiSanto	Leach	Stefano
Aument	Eichelberger	Martin	Street
Baker	Farnese	McGarrigle	Tartaglione
Bartolotta	Folmer	McIlhinney	Tomlinson
Blake	Fontana	Mensch	Vogel
Boscola	Gordner	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Brewster	Greenleaf	Regan	Ward
Brooks	Haywood	Reschenthaler	White
Browne	Hughes	Sabatina	Williams
Corman	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yaw
Costa	Langerholc	Scavello	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

SB 859, SB 860, SB 884 and SB 891 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION
AND FINAL PASSAGE

SB 945 (Pr. No. 1718) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in registration of vehicles, further providing for contributions to Veterans' Trust Fund.

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?

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE CANCELLED

The PRESIDENT. Senator Bartolotta has returned, and her legislative leave is cancelled.

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	Laughlin	Schwank
Argall	DiSanto	Leach	Stefano
Aument	Eichelberger	Martin	Street
Baker	Farnese	McGarrigle	Tartaglione
Bartolotta	Folmer	McIlhinney	Tomlinson
Blake	Fontana	Mensch	Vogel
Boscola	Gordner	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Brewster	Greenleaf	Regan	Ward
Brooks	Haywood	Reschenthaler	White
Browne	Hughes	Sabatina	Williams
Corman	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yaw
Costa	Langerholc	Scavello	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 present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 983 and HB 994 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL AMENDED

SB 1001 (Pr. No. 1775) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act providing for the declaration of a public health emergency, for duties of the Department of Health, for temporary regulations and for immunity from liability.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration?

Senator COSTA offered the following amendment No. A7818:

Amend Bill, page 2, line 30, by inserting after "individuals ":
at risk of contracting, or

Amend Bill, page 3, line 1, by inserting a comma after "having"

Amend Bill, page 3, line 9, by inserting after "THE":

Governor, on the recommendation of the

Amend Bill, page 3, line 9, by inserting a comma after "SECRETARY"

Amend Bill, page 3, line 23, by inserting after "the":

Governor, on the recommendation of the

Amend Bill, page 3, line 23, by inserting a comma after "secretary"

Amend Bill, page 4, line 5, by inserting after "practitioners":

, including pharmacists,

Amend Bill, page 4, lines 7 through 11, by striking out "Authorize public health workers to dispense," in line 7 and all of lines 8 through 11 and inserting:

Authorize appropriately trained, licensed or certified public health workers to dispense, administer, furnish or otherwise provide prophylaxis or treatment for a reportable disease or condition as necessary to prevent and control the spread of disease or condition.

Amend Bill, page 4, line 21, by inserting after "section":

, except for nonidentifiable aggregated data,

On the question,
Will the Senate agree to the amendment?
It was agreed to.

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

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 1034, SB 1047, SB 1074, SB 1098 and SB 1126 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION
AND FINAL PASSAGE

SB 1132 (Pr. No. 1644) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 44 (Law and Justice) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in other officers, establishing the Pennsylvania Alternative Dispute Resolution Commission, providing for its powers and duties and establishing the Alternative Dispute Resolution Fund.

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-45

Alloway	Dinniman	McGarrigle	Tartaglione
Argall	Eichelberger	McIlhinney	Tomlinson
Aument	Farnese	Mensch	Vogel
Baker	Folmer	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Bartolotta	Fontana	Regan	Ward
Blake	Gordner	Resenthaler	White
Boscola	Greenleaf	Sabatina	Williams
Brewster	Haywood	Scarnati	Yaw
Brooks	Hughes	Scavello	Yudichak
Browne	Hutchinson	Schwank	
Corman	Langerholz	Stefano	
Costa	Leach	Street	

NAY-3

DiSanto	Laughlin	Martin
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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 present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL OVER IN ORDER

SB 1169 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL AMENDED

SB 1171 (Pr. No. 1779) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 3 (Agriculture) and 27 (Environmental Resources) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in nutrient management and odor management, further providing for declaration of legislative purpose, for definitions and for powers and duties of commission and repealing provisions relating to Nutrient Management Advisory Board; and establishing the Farm Animal Advisory Board.

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

Senator BROOKS offered the following amendment No. A7670:

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 1 through 7, by striking out all of said lines and inserting:
Amending Titles 3 (Agriculture) and 27 (Environmental Resources) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in nutrient management and odor management, further providing for the Nutrient Management Advisory Board; and, in Agricultural Advisory Board, further providing for establishment of board.

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 10 through 20; pages 2 through 9, lines 1 through 30; page 10, lines 1 and 2; by striking out all of said lines on said pages and inserting:

Section 1. Section 510(a) and (d) of Title 3 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes are amended to read:

§ 510. Nutrient Management Advisory Board.

(a) Creation.--There is created the Nutrient Management Advisory Board. The board shall consist of 16 members appointed by the chairman of the commission and approved by a two-thirds vote of the commission. The members so appointed shall consist of [five] six active commercial farm owners or operators representing the livestock, swine, meat poultry, egg poultry and dairy industry nominated by Statewide general farm organizations, one veterinary nutrition specialist, one representative from the feed industry, one representative from the fertilizer industry, [one representative of commercial agricultural lenders,] one representative of local government, one representative of academia who shall be an agronomist or plant scientist faculty member of the school of agriculture of a Pennsylvania college or university, one representative of academia who shall be an animal science faculty member with an expertise in odor management from the school of agriculture of a college or university within this Commonwealth, one hydrologist, two citizen representatives who are not farmers and one environmental representative, all of whom shall have sufficient knowledge, experience or familiarity with agronomic practices, nutrient management practices or odor management practices and all of whom shall be residents of this Commonwealth. The six active commercial farm owners or operators shall be nominated in a manner that provides representation of the northwest, north central, northeast, southwest, south central and southeast regions of this Commonwealth, corresponding to the regions served by the Department of Environmental Protection regional offices. Two of the six active commercial farm owners or operators shall hold an active concentrated animal feeding operation permit as required by the act of June 22, 1937 (P.L.1987, No.394), known as The Clean Streams Law.

(d) Duties.--The board shall review and comment on all commission proposed regulations, the interim guidelines under section 504(2) (relating to powers and duties of commission) and the interim criteria under section 504(5) developed to implement the provisions of this chapter. The commission shall have no power to promulgate regulations, interim guidelines or interim criteria under this chapter until receipt of written comments on the proposed regulations, guidelines or criteria from the board or until [60] 90 days have expired from the date when the regulations, guidelines or criteria were submitted by the commission to the board for its comments. Existing regulations, guidelines and criteria shall continue until modified, superseded or repealed by the commission.

Section 2. Section 702(b) of Title 27 is amended by adding a paragraph to read:

§ 702. Establishment of board.

(b) Members.--The following persons shall comprise the board:

(7) Two members appointed by the secretary that hold an active concentrated animal feeding operation permit as required by the act of June 22, 1937 (P.L.1987, No.394), known as The Clean Streams Law.

Section 3. Members of the Nutrient Management Advisory Board, as of the effective date of this section, shall continue to serve as members until their present terms of office expire.

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

On the question, Will the Senate agree to the amendment? It was agreed to.

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

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

SB 1172 (Pr. No. 1820) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of October 31, 2006 (P.L.1210, No.133), known as the Price Gouging Act, further providing for definitions, for price gouging prohibited and for investigation.

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

Table with 4 columns: Alloway, Dinniman, Laughlin, Schwank, Argall, DiSanto, Leach, Stefano, Aument, Eichelberger, Martin, Street, Baker, Farnese, McGarrigle, Tartaglione, Bartolotta, Folmer, McIlhinney, Tomlinson, Blake, Fontana, Mensch, Vogel, Boscola, Gordner, Rafferty, Vulakovich, Brewster, Greenleaf, Regan, Ward, Brooks, Haywood, Resenthaler, White, Browne, Hughes, Sabatina, Williams, Corman, Hutchinson, Scarnati, Yaw, Costa, Langerholc, Scavello, 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 present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 1232, HB 1239, HB 1346, HB 1539, HB 1644 and HB 1659 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL RECOMMITTED

HB 1677 (Pr. No. 3675) -- 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 public assistance, further providing for meeting special needs and work supports and incentives and for employment incentive payments; in departmental powers and duties as to supervision, further providing for definitions; and, in departmental powers and duties as to licensing, further providing for definitions.

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

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 1738 and HB 1917 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 1918 (Pr. No. 2709) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in forgery and fraudulent practices, providing for the offense of possession and use of unlawful devices.

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

Table with 4 columns: Alloway, Dinniman, Laughlin, Schwank, Argall, DiSanto, Leach, Stefano, Aument, Eichelberger, Martin, Street, Baker, Farnese, McGarrigle, Tartaglione, Bartolotta, Folmer, McIlhinney, Tomlinson, Blake, Fontana, Mensch, Vogel, Boscola, Gordner, Rafferty, Vulakovich, Brewster, Greenleaf, Regan, Ward, Brooks, Haywood, Resenthaler, White, Browne, Hughes, Sabatina, Williams, Corman, Hutchinson, Scarnati, Yaw, Costa, Langerholc, Scavello, 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 1979 (Pr. No. 2837) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in limitation of time, further providing for twenty year limitation.

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	Laughlin	Schwank
Argall	DiSanto	Leach	Stefano
Aument	Eichelberger	Martin	Street
Baker	Farnese	McGarrigle	Tartaglione
Bartolotta	Folmer	McIlhinney	Tomlinson
Blake	Fontana	Mensch	Vogel
Boscola	Gordner	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Brewster	Greenleaf	Regan	Ward
Brooks	Haywood	Resenthaler	White
Browne	Hughes	Sabatina	Williams
Corman	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yaw
Costa	Langerholc	Scavello	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.

BILL AMENDED

HB 2067 (Pr. No. 3680) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act designating a portion of Pennsylvania Route 73 in Philadelphia County as the Police Officer Isabel Nazario Memorial Highway; designating a portion of Pennsylvania Route 29 in Montgomery County as Leonard Joseph Taglieber Memorial Highway; designating a portion of Pennsylvania Route 41 (Gap Newport Pike) between Pennsylvania Route 926 (Street Road) and U.S. Route 1 located in London Grove Township and Londonderry Township, Chester County, as the Trooper Kenton Iwaniec Memorial Highway; designating a portion of State Route 2019, known as Garrett Road, in Delaware County as the Deputy Chief Michael P. Morgan Memorial Highway; designating a portion of State Route 115 in Monroe County as the Submarine Veterans Memorial Highway; and designating a bridge of that portion of State Route 954 over the North Branch of Plum Creek, South Mahoning Township, Indiana County, as the PFC William T. Bresnock Memorial Bridge.

On the question,
Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration?
Senator RAFFERTY offered the following amendment No. A7690:

Amend Bill, page 5, line 10, by striking out "LANDSDOWNE" and inserting:
Lansdowne

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

It was agreed to.
Without objection, the bill, as amended, was passed over in its order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL OVER IN ORDER

HB 2138 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

SECOND CONSIDERATION CALENDAR RESUMED

BILL OVER IN ORDER

SB 2 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

HB 17 (Pr. No. 2003) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 14, 1972 (P.L.221, No.63), known as the Pennsylvania Drug and Alcohol Abuse Control Act, further providing for confidentiality of records and for consent of minor.

Considered the second time and agreed to,
Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 26, HB 83, SB 249, HB 544, SB 576, SB 714, SB 820, SB 917, HB 927, SB 930, SB 931, HB 939, SB 963 and SB 1019 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION AND REREFERRED

SB 1032 (Pr. No. 1777) -- 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 preliminary provisions, further providing for Keystone Exams and for powers and duties of the Secretary of Education; and, in State Board of Education, further providing for powers and duties of the board.

Considered the second time and agreed to,
Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.

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

BILL OVER IN ORDER

SB 1043 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION,
AMENDED AND REREFERRED

SB 1095 (Pr. No. 1877) -- 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 preliminary provisions, further providing for Keystone Exams.

On the question,
Will the Senate agree to the bill on second consideration?
Senator McGARRIGLE offered the following amendment
No. A7790:

Amend Bill, page 12, by inserting between lines 10 and 11:
(c.5) Beginning June 30, 2021, and each June 30 thereafter, the secretary shall prepare a report regarding the presentation of evidence for graduation under subsection (c.1)(2)(vii) and submit the report to the Governor, the chairman and minority chairman of the Education Committee of the Senate and the chairman and minority chairman of the Education Committee of the House of Representatives and post the report on the Department of Education's publicly accessible Internet website. The report shall, at a minimum, include all of the following information:

(1) The total number and identity of all public school entities in which students categorized by a public school entity demonstrated readiness for graduation under subsection (c.1)(2)(vii).

(2) The total number of students categorized by a public school entity who demonstrated readiness for graduation under subsection (c.1)(2)(vii) each year.

(3) The percentage of students categorized by a public school entity who demonstrate readiness for graduation each year through the following:

- (i) achieving a proficient score on all three Keystone Exams;
- (ii) meeting the requirements of subsection (a.1);
- (iii) meeting the requirements of subsection (c);
- (iv) meeting the requirements of subsection (c.1)(2)(i), (ii), (iii), (iv), (v) or (vi); and
- (v) meeting the requirements of subsection (c.1)(2)(vii).

(4) A description of each type of evidence used by students categorized by a public school entity to demonstrate readiness for graduation under subsection (c.1)(2)(vii) and a list describing the evidence most often used.

(5) Recommendations for improving the provisions and utilization of subsection (c.1)(2)(vii).

On the question,
Will the Senate agree to the amendment?
It was agreed to.

On the question,
Will the Senate agree to the bill on second consideration, as amended?
It was agreed to.

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

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

BILL OVER IN ORDER

SB 1134 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION
AND REREFERRED

SB 1198 (Pr. No. 1835) -- 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 school districts, providing for publicly accessible school performance indexes or reports and further providing for value-added assessment system.

Considered the second time and agreed to,
Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.

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

BILL OVER IN ORDER

SB 1199 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION
AND REREFERRED

SB 1205 (Pr. No. 1848) -- 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 corporate governance annual disclosure; and, in reserve liabilities, further providing for small company exemption.

Considered the second time and agreed to,
Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.

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

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 1209, HB 1216, HB 1460 and HB 1646 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION
AND REREFERRED

HB 1782 (Pr. No. 3324) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in rates and distribution systems, providing for alternative ratemaking for utilities.

Considered the second time and agreed to,
Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.

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

BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

HB 1885 (Pr. No. 3167) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 20 (Decedents, Estates and Fiduciaries) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in personal representative and bond, further providing for requiring or changing amount of bond.

Considered the second time and agreed to,

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

HB 1886 (Pr. No. 2641) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 20 (Decedents, Estates and Fiduciaries) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in incapacitated persons, further providing for provisions concerning powers, duties and liabilities.

Considered the second time and agreed to,

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

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION
AND REREFERRED

HB 1929 (Pr. No. 3731) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176), known as The Fiscal Code, in First Chance Trust Fund, further providing for use of fund.

Considered the second time and agreed to,

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

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

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 2050 and **HB 2124** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS
BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEES

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

SB 595 (Pr. No. 1654) (Rereported)

An Act amending Title 57 (Notaries Public) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in revised uniform law on notarial acts, further providing for authority to perform notarial act, providing for notarial acts performed by remotely located individuals and further providing for notification regarding performance of notarial act on electronic record and selection of technology.

HB 594 (Pr. No. 626) (Rereported)

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in authorized disposition of offenders, prohibiting Accelerated Rehabilitative Disposition for child sexual offenses.

HB 644 (Pr. No. 681) (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of May 21, 2013 (P.L.32, No.10), known as the Community-Based Health Care Act, in health care assistance, further providing for Community-Based Health Care Program.

HB 864 (Pr. No. 3433) (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of December 19, 1988 (P.L.1262, No.156), known as the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act, in preliminary provisions, further providing for legislative intent and for definitions; in games of chance, further providing for prize limits and for major league sports drawing, providing for airport 50/50 drawing and further providing for licensing of eligible organizations; in club licensees, further providing for club licensee and for distribution of proceeds; and, in enforcement, further providing for enforcement.

HB 1124 (Pr. No. 3730) (Rereported)

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in assault, further providing for the offense of neglect of care-dependent person and providing for the offense of abuse of care-dependent person.

HB 1419 (Pr. No. 3314) (Rereported)

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in criminal history record information, further providing for general regulations and for order for limited access and providing for clean slate limited access, for exceptions, for order to vacate order for limited access, for effects of expunged records and records subject to limited access and for employer immunity from liability.

HB 1550 (Pr. No. 2070) (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of June 30, 1981 (P.L.128, No.43), known as the Agricultural Area Security Law, further providing for purchase of agricultural conservation easements.

HB 1898 (Pr. No. 3673) (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of December 22, 1983 (P.L.306, No.84), known as the Board of Vehicles Act, further providing for definitions; providing for vehicle recalls; and further providing for unlawful acts by manufacturers or distributors, for application for license and for licensing cost.

Senator GREENLEAF, from the Committee on Judiciary, reported the following bill:

SB 255 (Pr. No. 235)

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in riot, disorderly conduct and related offenses, further providing for the offense of pool selling and bookmaking.

Senator WHITE, from the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported the following bill:

HB 1851 (Pr. No. 2991)

An Act amending the act of May 17, 1921 (P.L.789, No.285), known as The Insurance Department Act of 1921, in examinations, further providing for purpose and providing for scheduling conference, for budget estimate and revisions, for billing invoices and for annual examination and analysis report.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE CANCELLED

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

SENATE RESOLUTION ADOPTED

Senators YUDICHAK, AUMENT, MARTIN, BROWNE, GREENLEAF, BARTOLOTTA, SABATINA, RAFFERTY, FONTANA, FOLMER, COSTA, BLAKE, EICHELBERGER, ARGALL, HUGHES, BREWSTER, DINNIMAN, RESCHENTHALER, VULAKOVICH, FARNESE, KILLION, SCAVELLO and BAKER, by unanimous consent, offered **Senate Resolution No. 398**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing July 12, 2018, as "Summer Learning Day" in Pennsylvania.

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

BILLS ON FIRST CONSIDERATION

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

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The bills were as follows:

SB 255, SB 575, SB 933, SB 1079, HB 980 and HB 1851.

And said bills having been considered for the first time,

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SECRETARY

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

SENATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20, 2018

10:00 A.M.	TRANSPORTATION (to consider Senate Bill No. 1096; House Bill No. 1958; and a public hearing to collect testimony from Secretary Leslie Richards on PennDOT's budget and program priorities)	Room 8E-B East Wing
Off the Floor	AGING AND YOUTH (to consider Senate Bill No. 899; and House Bill No. 2133)	Rules Cmte. Conf Rm.
Off the Floor	APPROPRIATIONS (to consider House Bills No. 153, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2121, 2242, 2243, 2244, 2245 and 2246)	Rules Cmte. Conf. Rm.
Off the Floor	HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (to consider House Bill No. 353)	Rules Cmte. Conf. Rm.
Off the Floor	RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS (to consider Senate Bills No. 892 and 978; and certain Executive Nominations)	Rules Cmte. Conf. Rm.
Off the Floor	STATE GOVERNMENT (to consider House Bill No. 2477)	Rules Cmte. Conf. Rm.

PETITIONS AND REMONSTRANCES

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

Senator SCHWANK. Mr. President, yesterday I addressed the issue of the humanitarian crisis that we are facing on the south-west border of the United States in regards to children who are being separated from their parents who are fleeing violence or seeking asylum in the United States. These folks are coming up generally from Central America, some from southern Mexico, and they are not aware when they hit the border of exactly what this policy is and their children are being taken from them. This is the zero tolerance policy that our President has enacted. It is not by law, it is an action that he has taken.

I talked about this yesterday and one of the things that I said was that we were working on a resolution to address the issue to send to Congress, to urge them to do several things. This resolution is sponsored by myself and Senator Williams, and I am encouraging other Members of the Senate to sign onto it, but I wanted to speak briefly about exactly what we are asking our Congress to do. One is that we in the Senate are urging Congress to enact Federal legislation that is pending in the United States Senate to prevent the separation of children from their parents at the border and keep immigrant families together. This refers, Mr. President, to legislation that was introduced by Senator Dianne Feinstein, a Democrat from California, and the act is titled Keep Families Together Act. It is important to note that there is specific language in this. One, that the State court has to be engaged in terminating the rights of a parent. We know that even in our county courts, if the court was seeking or the Children and Youth Services was seeking to terminate a parent's rights, there is a procedure that takes place to make sure that happens. The second is that an official from the State or county child welfare agency with expertise in child trauma and development makes a best interest determination about what happens to the child.

The other thing is that this does not refer to children who perhaps are victims of trafficking, or children who it is likely that the adult who is with them is not a parent or a guardian, or if the child is in danger of abuse. In those cases, those children should be taken from their parents, but in the vast majority of the cases that has not been the situation. We are also resolving that we condemn the administration's zero-tolerance policy. Finally, that the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania urge our Congressional Representatives and our U.S. Senators to immediately request that the President reverse this policy. He has the power to do that, and we are hopeful that he will.

Yesterday, Mr. President, I talked about that picture that has been seen around the world, that little 2-year-old girl who is standing to the side while a U.S. border guard pats down the mother. If you look at the picture, you can see the horror and the anguish on the child's face. You cannot see the parent's face or the border guard's face, but there is an excellent article in the Washington Post that talks about how that photo was captured and what the photographer was feeling as he was there to observe this happening. It much better describes the horror and the sorrow of the situation that has been created there. I feel as good people we cannot stand by and allow this to happen, to allow children to be traumatized without responding in an appropriate way. We would not allow this to happen here in this country, whether children are from this country or somewhere else trying

to be in this country, this is not the way that they should be treated. The trauma that is created by these policies will be long-lasting, and chances are very good that many of these children could be separated from their parents permanently in the event that the parents are deported. These are poor people, these are people with no resources who have come to the United States. If they are deported to their home countries, it is very likely they are not going to have the resources to try to seek to reunite with their children.

This is a disaster in the making, Mr. President, and I urge my colleagues to review the resolution that is being forwarded. The language is not florid. It is not language that is seeking to necessarily overly criticize anyone, but it recognizes the humanitarian disaster that is being created. We need to say something.

Thank you, Mr. President.

HOUSE MESSAGES

SENATE BILL RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate **SB 978**, 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 bill will be referred to the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations.

HOUSE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE

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

June 19, 2018

HB 1810 -- Committee on Community, Economic and Recreational Development.

HB 2477 -- Committee on State Government.

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, June 20, 2018, at 11 a.m., Eastern Daylight Saving time, unless sooner recalled by the President pro tempore.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The Senate recessed at 4:53 p.m., Eastern Daylight Saving Time.