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SENATE

FRIDAY, June 22, 2018

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

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

PRAYER

The following prayer was offered by Hon. MEGAN MARTIN, Secretary of the Senate:

Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, thank You for bringing us safely to the beginning of this new day. We pray that today may be a day where we live and move and have our being in You. Lord, we pray that the words that come from our mouths, the thoughts that are formed in our hearts, and the motives behind all of our actions, words, and thoughts may be pleasing in Your sight and honoring to Your name. Lord, we pray that You would be both our guide and our restrainer in all we do and say today, and that our words and deeds are guided by the prompting of Your Holy Spirit. Help us, Lord, to walk in spirit and truth and keep us today so that our eyes keep looking to You and that our ears are open to Your still, small voice. Lord, I pray that you are glorified in all we do. Help us, Lord, to walk humbly before You all the days of our life. Amen.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

HOUSE MESSAGES

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILLS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate SB 934 and SB 1037, with the information the House has passed the same without amendments.

SENATE BILLS RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate **SB 530** and **SB 764**, with the information the House has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

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

HOUSE 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 17**.

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 22, 2018

HB 84 -- Committee on Health and Human Services.

HB 1931 -- Committee on Judiciary.

HB 2215 -- Committee on Education.

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:

June 22, 2018

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 698**, entitled: An Act amending the act of November 6, 1987 (P.L.381, No.79), known as the Older Adults Protective Services Act, in administration, further providing for duties of department and area agencies on aging.

Which was committed to the Committee on AGING AND YOUTH, June 22, 2018.

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 699**, entitled: An Act amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), known

An Act amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), known as the Human Services Code, in public assistance, providing for nonemergency medical transportation services.

Which was committed to the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, June 22, 2018.

Senators BROWNE, SCARNATI, HUGHES, COSTA, AUMENT, EICHELBERGER, FOLMER, LANGERHOLC, MARTIN, REGAN, McGARRIGLE, KILLION, BREWSTER, DINNIMAN, SCHWANK, ALLOWAY, LAUGHLIN, McILHINNEY, TOMLINSON, WHITE, WARD, YAW, VOGEL, MENSCH, STEFANO, SCAVELLO and GORDNER presented to the Chair **SB** 700, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, providing for construction and renovation of buildings by school entities; and establishing a grant program for maintenance projects.

Which was committed to the Committee on EDUCATION, June 22, 2018.

Senators AUMENT, WARD, MARTIN, ARGALL, LANGERHOLC, FOLMER, RAFFERTY, KILLION, SCHWANK, RESCHENTHALER, MENSCH, McGARRIGLE, BAKER, BROWNE, REGAN, COSTA and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB** 1110, entitled:

An Act providing for consumer prescription drug pricing disclosure.

Which was committed to the Committee on BANKING AND INSURANCE, June 22, 2018.

Senators REGAN, LANGERHOLC, MARTIN, McGARRIGLE, SCARNATI, GORDNER, BROWNE, YAW, HUTCHINSON, BARTOLOTTA, RAFFERTY, BREWSTER, VULAKOVICH, RESCHENTHALER, STEFANO, YUDICHAK and WARD presented to the Chair SB 1211, entitled:

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in public safety, providing for the School Safety and Security Program.

Which was committed to the Committee on EDUCATION, June 22, 2018.

Senators HUTCHINSON, RAFFERTY, RESCHENTHALER, VULAKOVICH, YUDICHAK, MENSCH and BARTOLOTTA presented to the Chair **SB 1212**, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 30 (Fish) and 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in fishing licenses, further providing for disabled veterans and former prisoners of war and for exemptions from license requirements; and, in hunting and furtaking licenses, further providing for eligibility for license, for resident license and fee exemptions and for license costs and fees.

Which was committed to the Committee on GAME AND FISHERIES, June 22, 2018.

Senators LANGERHOLC, McGARRIGLE, RESCHENTHALER, MENSCH, REGAN, SABATINA, KILLION, VULAKOVICH, RAFFERTY, BREWSTER, SCARNATI, YUDICHAK, WARD, STEFANO, HUTCHINSON, COSTA, AUMENT and VOGEL presented to the Chair SB 1213, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in safe schools, establishing the School Student Mental Health Assistance Augmentation Account and providing for deposit of court costs and filing fees into the account; and making an inconsistent repeal.

Which was committed to the Committee on EDUCATION, June 22, 2018.

Senators KILLION, BROWNE, BARTOLOTTA, HUGHES, RESCHENTHALER and WARD presented to the Chair **SB 1214**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, in entertainment production tax credit, further providing for carryover, carryback and assignment of credit.

Which was committed to the Committee on FINANCE, June 22, 2018.

Senators DINNIMAN, RAFFERTY and LEACH presented to the Chair **SB 1215**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 26 (Eminent Domain) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in limitations on use of eminent domain, further providing for definitions and providing for eminent domain of land subject to conservation easement.

Which was committed to the Committee on LOCAL GOV-ERNMENT, June 22, 2018.

Senators STREET, HUGHES, HAYWOOD, COSTA, TARTAGLIONE, LEACH, FONTANA and FARNESE presented to the Chair **SB 1216**, entitled:

An Act establishing the Office of New Americans and providing for its powers and duties; and establishing the Advisory Committee to Office of New Americans and providing for its powers, duties and membership.

Which was committed to the Committee on COMMUNITY, ECONOMIC AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, June 22, 2018.

Senators STREET, TARTAGLIONE, WILLIAMS and COSTA presented to the Chair **SB 1217**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in general provisions, providing for certain limitations in cities of the first class.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, June 22, 2018.

Senators McGARRIGLE, BROWNE, LANGERHOLC, GORDNER, FOLMER, ARGALL, KILLION, SCHWANK, RESCHENTHALER, VULAKOVICH, COSTA, WARD, MENSCH, BAKER and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB 1218**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, providing for school safety and security training.

Which was committed to the Committee on EDUCATION, June 22, 2018.

RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

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

June 22, 2018

Senator BAKER presented to the Chair SR 393, entitled:

A Resolution establishing the Task Force on Harassment and Sexual Misconduct in the Workplace.

Which was committed to the Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, June 22, 2018.

Senator HAYWOOD presented to the Chair SR 395, entitled:

A Resolution urging the United States House of Representatives to immediately consider and adopt articles of impeachment against President Donald J. Trump.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, June 22, 2018.

Senators SCHWANK, WILLIAMS, BLAKE, FONTANA, STREET, LEACH, FARNESE, HUGHES, HAYWOOD, TARTAGLIONE, COSTA and DINNIMAN presented to the Chair **SR 405**, entitled:

A Resolution urging the Congress of the United States to enact Federal legislation pending in the United States Senate to prevent the separation of children from their parents at the border and keep immigrant families together.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, June 22, 2018.

BILLS SIGNED

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

SB 934, SB 1037 and HB 17.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVES

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I request legislative leaves for Senator McIlhinney and Senator Tomlinson.

The PRESIDENT. Senator Corman requests legislative leaves for Senator McIlhinney and Senator Tomlinson. Without objection, the leaves will be granted.

JOURNAL APPROVED

The PRESIDENT. The Journal of the Session of April 25, 2018, is now in print.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the Session of April 25, 2018.

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

On the motion,

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	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw

Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	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.

GUESTS OF SENATOR JAY COSTA PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, I am very honored and pleased to introduce three fantastic law interns who are working with us here in our legal office under the auspices of C.J. Hafner, our chief counsel. As I have mentioned, they are current law students but have already been of great help to our full-time legal staff. I would like to introduce them and thank them for all the work that they have been doing.

First is Drew Golba, who is a second-year law student at Dickinson School of Law of Penn State, where he is a member of Phi Alpha Delta and the Student Bar Association. Drew has an undergraduate degree from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in political science and English. Before joining our office this summer, he has held internships at the North Carolina Department of Justice, the North Carolina Democratic Party, and the Charlotte-Douglas International Airport. In addition to his studies, Drew finds time to serve on the board of directors for Vision Resources of Central Pennsylvania and is interested in sports analytics and documentary filmmaking.

Our next intern made his way to Harrisburg from Saskatchewan, Canada. Nick Stobbe is a first-year law student at Dickinson School of Law of Penn State. He earned a bachelor of science degree in public policy from the University of Mary in North Dakota, where he played baseball. Mr. President, by virtue of the fact that he played baseball and he is working as an intern, I deem him to be eligible for our annual softball game to be held on September 24 as a member of the Yinz squad. Just saying. He also volunteers with Bethesda Mission, Home Runs for Heroes, and the Special Olympics in North Dakota. He also has what we call very Canadian interests, including sled-dog racing and lake fishing.

Mr. President, our last intern is someone with whom I and a couple of Members have very much in common, at least Senator Reschenthaler does as well, and that is the privilege of attending Duquesne University School of Law. Luke Mencl is a first-year student and has a bachelor degree in history from West Chester University. Luke was born in Arizona and has worked all over the country. He has led a charmed life, you might say. He has worked at a ski resort in Pennsylvania, a marina in Arizona, and a yacht club in Florida. He is a watercolor artist and plays saxophone in a quartet.

Mr. President, these young men have been doing outstanding work in our office, and I am a big believer in making sure they have the opportunity to see how it is that we put together public policy here in Pennsylvania. I thank my colleagues if

they would be kind enough to give each of these young men a warm Senate welcome.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guests of Senator Costa - Drew, Nick, and Luke - please rise so that we may welcome you to the Pennsylvania Senate.

(Applause.)

GUEST OF SENATOR CAMERA BARTOLOTTA PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Washington, Senator Bartolotta.

Senator BARTOLOTTA. Mr. President, I have a very special guest joining us today. Noah Gerard is seated in the gallery. Noah is an intern in my Harrisburg office for the second summer in a row. He is a 2018 graduate of Central Dauphin High School, where he maintained an A average. Noah was a member of the National Honor Society, youth government, Future Business Leaders of America, DECA, Spanish club, Model United Nations, Key Club, and pre-medicine club. He is quite a slacker. He won first place in the FBLA business law regional competition. He also played lacrosse and served as junior varsity captain. In the fall, he will be attending Penn State University to pursue a degree in business. Noah demonstrates a clear understanding of a deep commitment to public service. His strong academic background has shown that he has a great capacity for learning, and through his work with my office, an even greater potential for growth.

Mr. President, please join me in extending a very warm Senate welcome to Noah Gerard.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guest of Senator Bartolotta, Noah Gerard, please rise so that we may welcome you to the Pennsylvania Senate.

(Applause.)

GUEST OF SENATOR DAVID G. ARGALL PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Schuylkill, Senator Argall.

Senator ARGALL. Mr. President, yet another intern, and as a former intern in the House, believe me, I understand the importance of that program. Daniel Blugis, from Cressona in Schuylkill County, is serving as my intern this semester and is a senior government student at Franklin & Marshall College in Lancaster. He is a member of the F&M varsity baseball team, and I am hopeful he will learn more during this internship this summer than in many of his government classes combined. Please welcome him.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guest of Senator Argall, Daniel Blugis, please rise so that we may welcome you to the Pennsylvania Senate.

(Applause.)

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.

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, I ask Democrats to meet in our caucus room in the rear of the Chamber.

The PRESIDENT. For purposes of Republican and Democratic caucuses, to be held in their respective caucus rooms, without objection, the Senate stands in recess.

AFTER RECESS

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

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

RECESS

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

AFTER RECESS

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

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

CALENDAR

THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

PREFERRED APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 2078 (Pr. No. 3746) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from the Professional Licensure Augmentation Account and from restricted revenue accounts within the General Fund to the Department of State for use by the Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs in support of the professional licensure boards assigned thereto.

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:

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Alloway	DiSanto	Leach	Street
Argall	Eichelberger	Martin	Tartaglione
Aument	Farnese	McGarrigle	Tomlinson

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Blake	Gordner	Rafferty	Ward
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Brewster	Haywood	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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 2079 (Pr. No. 3142) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from the Workmen's Compensation Administration Fund to the Department of Labor and Industry and the Department of Community and Economic Development to provide for the expenses of administering the Workers' Compensation Act, The Pennsylvania Occupational Disease Act and the Office of Small Business Advocate for the fiscal year July 1, 2018, to June 30, 2019, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018.

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:

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Blake	Gordner	Rafferty	Ward
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Brewster	Haywood	Reschenthaler	Williams
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Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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 2080 (Pr. No. 3143) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation from a restricted revenue account within the General Fund to the Office of Small Business Advocate in the Department of Community and Economic Development.

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:

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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	Reschenthaler	Williams
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Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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 2081 (Pr. No. 3144) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act making an appropriation from a restricted revenue account within the General Fund to the Office of Consumer Advocate in the Office of Attorney General.

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:

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Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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 2082 (Pr. No. 3325) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from the Public School Employees' Retirement Fund and from the PSERS Defined Contribution Fund to provide for expenses of the Public School Employees' Retirement Board for the fiscal year July 1, 2018, to June 30, 2019, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018.

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:

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Bartolotta	Fontana	Mensch	Vulakovich
Blake	Gordner	Rafferty	Ward
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Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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 2083 (Pr. No. 3146) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from the State Employees' Retirement Fund and from the SERS Defined Contribution Fund to provide for expenses of the State Employees' Retirement Board for the fiscal year July 1, 2018, to June 30, 2019, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018.

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:

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Alloway	DiSanto	Leach	Street
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Aument	Farnese	McGarrigle	Tomlinson

Baker	Folmer	McIlhinney	Vogel
Bartolotta	Fontana	Mensch	Vulakovich
Blake	Gordner	Rafferty	Ward
Boscola	Greenleaf	Regan	White
Brewster	Haywood	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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 (Pr. No. 3147) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from the Philadelphia Taxicab and Limousine Regulatory Fund and the Philadelphia Taxicab Medallion Fund to the Philadelphia Parking Authority for fiscal year July 1, 2018, to June 30, 2019.

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:

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Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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 2085 (Pr. No. 3148) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from a restricted revenue account within the General Fund and from Federal augmentation funds to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission for the fiscal year July 1, 2018, to June 30, 2019.

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:

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Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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 2086 (Pr. No. 3745) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from the restricted revenue accounts within the State Gaming Fund and from the restricted revenue accounts within the Fantasy Contest Fund and Video Gaming Fund to the Attorney General, the Department of Revenue, the Pennsylvania State Police and the Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018, to June 30, 2019, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018.

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:

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Baker	Folmer	McIlhinney	Vogel
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Blake	Gordner	Rafferty	Ward
Boscola	Greenleaf	Regan	White
Brewster	Haywood	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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 2121 (Pr. No. 3747) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act to provide from the General Fund for the expenses of the Executive and Judicial Departments, the State Government Support Agencies and the General Assembly of the Commonwealth, the public debt and the public schools for the fiscal year July 1, 2018, to June 30, 2019, for certain institutions and organizations and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018; to provide appropriations from the State Lottery Fund, the Tobacco Settlement Fund, the Aviation Restricted Account, the Hazardous Material Response Fund, The State Stores Fund, the Milk Marketing Fund, the Home Investment Trust Fund, the Emergency Medical Services Operating Fund, the Tuition Account Guaranteed Savings Program Fund, the Banking Fund, the Firearm Records Check Fund, the Ben Franklin Technology Development Authority Fund, the Oil and Gas Lease Fund, the Home Improvement Account, the Cigarette Fire Safety and Firefighter Protection Act Enforcement Fund, the Insurance Regulation and Oversight Fund, the Pennsylvania Racehorse Development Restricted Receipt Account, the Justice Reinvestment Fund, the Multimodal Transportation Fund, the State Racing Fund and the ABLE Savings Program Fund to the Executive Department; to provide appropriations from the Judicial Computer System Augmentation Account to the Judicial Department for the fiscal year July 1, 2018, to June 30, 2019; to provide appropriations from the Motor License Fund for the fiscal year July 1, 2018, to June 30, 2019, for the proper operation of several departments of the Commonwealth and the Pennsylvania State Police authorized to spend Motor License Fund money; to provide for the appropriation of Federal funds to the Executive and Judicial Departments of the Commonwealth and for the payment of bills remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018; to provide for the additional appropriation of Federal and State funds from the General Fund, the State Lottery Fund and the Tobacco Settlement Fund for the Executive and Judicial Departments of the Commonwealth for the fiscal year July 1, 2017, to June 30, 2018, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017; and providing for augmentation from additional funding source.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

Senator BROWNE. Mr. President, I rise today to ask my colleagues for their enthusiastic support of House Bill No. 2121, which I sincerely believe is a responsible, impactful proposal to provide for a 2018-19 fiscal year General Fund budget. Mr. President, if we had to sum up the Commonwealth's fiscal experience over the past 12 months, it would be what a difference a year makes. Around this time last year, the Commonwealth was looking down the barrel of a \$1.5 billion fiscal hole, and we in the General Assembly were struggling to find a way to provide the necessary resources for many of the State's vital programs and services. But, if we look back at what has really brought us to this place today, the saying would be what a difference 10 years make.

Year after year, this legislative body has been facing difficult decisions as actual revenues continued to fall short of estimates and mandated spending continued to outpace those available funds. The 2008 recession sent shock waves throughout our national and State economy, translating into a public fiscal stress never before seen for nearly a century. Fiscal receipts did not recover in the normal 2-year recessionary cycle experienced in most past periods of time, but took over 8 years to exceed what they were when the bottom fell out. Yet, we collectively took on the task of meeting our fiscal responsibilities with the needs of our taxpaying citizens and working families in mind. We did not look to them to solve our challenges, but looked within ourselves and found the solutions necessary to achieve year after year of fiscal balance. The decisions were not easy; the final proposals did not come without controversy or pain. Hundreds of programs were eliminated, and most places in State government are smaller than they were 10 years ago. We have 8,000 fewer State workers than we had 10 years ago. But we, unlike the majority of States in the nation who raised their broad-based taxes to balance their books at a time when families could afford it the least, we made the most appropriate choices under difficult circumstances, appropriate choices that would set us up with the most competitive fiscal platform possible when economic conditions improved.

Accordingly, this year the financial condition of Pennsylvania could not be more different. Due to the fiscally responsible work this Chamber undertook for the past 10 years to manage these difficult budget shortfalls by limiting overall spending growth to an unprecedented year-over-year average of 1.2 percent, well below the rate of inflation each year, this year's revenue and expenditure picture is much more promising than it has been for the last 10 years. With years of fiscal restraint and a resurgence in State revenue, we are able to support today a General Fund spending plan that increases investment in important public initiatives by over \$560 million. That is a 1.7 percent increase over the previous year and below what is commonly referred to as TABOR, which is a popular fiscal sustainability measure used by most States. We are able to do that, as we have successfully done in the past, without placing onerous new increased taxes on our hardworking citizens and job creators.

Despite the brighter fiscal outlook facing the Commonwealth, Mr. President, however, the need remains for the General Assembly to be vigilant and responsible with still-limited State resources. This \$32.7 billion General Fund budget does exactly that. It includes a real investment in our children and their education at all school levels. Basic education increases by \$100 million to \$6.1 billion. Early childhood and Head Start funding increases by \$25 million to \$252 million. Special education funding raises to \$1.14 billion, a \$15-million increase. Overall, that is a State record investment in pre-K to 12 education of \$12.3 billion. Necessary support for higher education continues in this budget as well, Mr. President. A 3.3percent increase in our State System of Higher Education; a 3percent increase for our State related institutions - Penn State, Pitt, Temple, and Lincoln; a 3-percent increase for our community colleges; and an additional \$30-million investment, important investment, for workforce readiness and competency and career and technical education.

In addition, Mr. President, the tragic school shootings this year in States like Florida, Texas, and Kentucky kept the spotlight on the need to ensure our students are safe when they attend public school. Regardless of how much we spend in our institutions for their education, that is meaningless if our children are not safe. I am proud to support the Senate efforts to provide resources in funding including an additional \$60 million in this year's budget to school districts so they may invest in resources, equipment, or personnel to protect our children.

Also with safety in mind, this budget provides additional funding for the Pennsylvania State Police to train three new cadet classes, which will result in an additional 300 State Troopers. Care for our most at-risk individuals and our continued growing older population was prevalent in this budget, too. Nine-hundred-sixty-five more individuals with intellectual disabilities will receive services. Over 5,000 more seniors and those with physical disabilities will receive home and community-based services. More than 1,600 more children who are eligible for childcare services will receive those as well, and 800 more families impacted by the opioid crisis will receive evidence-based home-visiting services through the new program in the Department of Human Services. Agriculture and manufacturing, two of Pennsylvania's leading industries, also saw a significant increase in investments.

Last year, Mr. President, one of our concerns was Moody's analysts and other rating agencies rated Pennsylvania among the least prepared States in the nation to handle the next recession, which as we know our economy always hits cycles of recession, and to be prepared for that, prepared for those prospects, is important. So one of the key reasons for that determination was the lack of reserves that we were holding, which effectively in our Rainy Day Fund, because of our challenges, had been depleted to zero. We are committing to take on that challenge as well, to change our policies in that area as well. Modest but meaningful in this year's budget includes a 50-percent deposit of budget surplus into the State Rainy Day Fund, the first time that percentage has been that high.

Mr. President, last year around this time we were grappling with another budget deficit and hopeful that economic improvement and previous budget investments would provide a better financial outlook for this year's fiscal exercise. Not only was that exactly what happened, but with that improved fiscal outlook combined with this reasonable and responsible budget, the Commonwealth's finances stand in a much better and brighter place for the new fiscal year. Although we do have challenges ahead and we must stay vigilant and creative in managing our fiscal affairs, today marks a very hard-foughtfor and welcome change from the experiences of the last decade and a platform to look to the future with the opportunities that fiscal strength and stability will bring.

Mr. President, I ask my colleagues to join me today and support this General Fund budget proposal that is the culmination of our collective work to promote fiscal responsibility and stewardship on behalf of Pennsylvania's families and the communities they call home. Thank you very much.

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

Senator HUGHES. Mr. President, first of all, I, too, would like to rise in partnership with my colleague, the Majority chairman of the Senate Committee on Appropriations, Senator

Browne, to speak in favor and request, and suggest to all, an affirmative vote for this budget. What we have in front of us, and I dare say it, but given the spirit of everything and the fact that the Eagles won the Super Bowl, I am going out on a limb, that we are 8 days prior to June 30--I will knock on wood four times to make sure that I do not jinx myself, or this body or this process--is a document that reflects an early budget, a budget that reflects a very significant spirit of bipartisanship, cooperation, and working together. It is a budget that does some important things. In its modest introduction back in February, we built on Governor Wolf's I think solid budget request and built some things on top of it to do some important things.

In this budget, and in the related documents, we have a very important and new initiative, a school and community violence initiative, that we believe will respond in a direct way to the issues of violence that are occurring across the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. That is new. It is funded, and not at a small level, Mr. President, but at a significant level, to address a growing concern around school and community violence. That is important. What we have done with this budget, Mr. President, is fully restore all of the dollars that were cut about 7 years ago in our basic education line items. With this budget, we will have restored all of those cuts. That is important, that is significant, and the schoolchildren across the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania will benefit from that.

In addition to ongoing commitments in our opioid crisis, we have added new dollars in our career and technical education programs, our CTE programs, that is smart, that makes sense, and it is, again, in a spirit of bipartisanship and cooperation in this budget, Mr. President. We have listened to our young people in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. We have added new dollars on top of what the Governor proposed back in February. We have agreed to increases in State funding for our State-related institutions - Lincoln University, whose president was with us a couple of days ago; our community colleges, and our State-related institutions. As I said, Lincoln University, Temple University, University of Pittsburgh, and Penn State University, our community colleges, and, of course, our State System of Universities. We have buttressed our PHEAA program, the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency. We buttressed that program and did some good work there. We have invested in new options and new opportunities for young people at birth to begin saving for their college education. It is a smart look at the appropriate and necessary investments in our higher education community.

We responded, Mr. President, in a thoughtful way of restoring one of our renowned organizations, the Pennsylvania Human Relations Commission, by supporting the Governor's budget request of over a million-dollar increase in funding for that commission. Needless to say, surrounding us not too far from here, surrounding us across the Commonwealth, there is heightened tension in many communities. The Pennsylvania Human Relations Commission is our vehicle to help reduce that crisis, reduce those tensions, and to address the need for us to see ourselves as, in fact, a Commonwealth, a common good, a Pennsylvania that is working collectively together and not trying to divide and work against one another.

I could go on, Mr. President, but I will not. This is a document that creates a solid foundation for the Commonwealth, a

solid foundation for this State, for this body, and for this building to go forward to build upon as we really address and work collectively in a bipartisan spirit and bipartisan fashion on some of the real tensions that exist and the real anxiety that exists in Pennsylvania's people. Both sides of this aisle, representing the 12 million people in the State of Pennsylvania, can feel that anxiety. We know it exists. We know that folks are very concerned about their lives, their security, and their future. This document, I believe, helps to build and set a foundation to go forward to respond to the anxiety that exists with the people of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

We know that in this document more dollars will be going into our schools to help create a 21st-century education environment. More dollars will be going to students to help them facilitate the need for getting a 4-year or 6-year advanced degree. More dollars will be going into economic development and job-creation programs. More dollars will be going into making this State a tension-free environment by investing in our Human Relations Commission. More dollars are going to programs for our senior citizens so that they can feel a little bit safer, a little bit more secure with respect to living out their retirement and elder years. This is a solid document.

We would have liked to have seen a few other things, but this is a document, given the political reality that exists at this time, but also given the reality of a willingness to work together across the aisle, this is a document, I believe, Mr. President, that is worthy of support. I encourage an affirmative vote.

Thank you, Mr. President.

POINT OF ORDER

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

Senator DINNIMAN. Mr. President, I request a ruling of the Chair as to whether I am entitled to vote since I am a member of the faculty of West Chester University of the State System of Higher Education that is within this budget.

The PRESIDENT. Give me a moment and I will give you a ruling, Senator Dinniman.

Senator, I appreciate your inquiry under Rule 20 regarding a conflict of interest. The Chair, understanding your situation, sees you and rules that you are a member of a class that may or may not benefit but in no way specifically, or particularly, or especially. Therefore, you are one of many who will benefit, including all citizens of the Commonwealth, from the budget. Therefore, you must vote.

Senator DINNIMAN. Mr. President, thank you.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE CANCELLED

The PRESIDENT. Senator Tomlinson has returned, and his 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-47

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

NAY-2

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

NONPREFERRED APPROPRIATION BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 2242 (Pr. No. 3748) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

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

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-49

Alloway	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	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	Stefano	

NAY-0

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

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

BILL OVER IN ORDER TEMPORARILY

HB 2243 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order temporarily at the request of Senator CORMAN.

NONPREFERRED APPROPRIATION BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 2244 (Pr. No. 3750) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

A Supplement to the act of November 30, 1965 (P.L.843, No.355), known as the Temple University--Commonwealth Act, making an appropriation for carrying the same into effect; providing for a basis for payments of such appropriation; and providing a method of accounting for the funds appropriated and for certain fiscal information disclosure.

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:

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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	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	Stefano	

NAY-0

A constitutional two-thirds 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 2245 (Pr. No. 3751) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

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

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-49

Alloway	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	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	Stefano	

NAY-0

A constitutional two-thirds 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 2246 (Pr. No. 3752) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

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

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-49

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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	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	Stefano	

NAY-0

A constitutional two-thirds 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 ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SECRETARY

The SECRETARY. Permission has been granted to add Senate Bill No. 817 to the agenda of the meeting of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations to be held later today off the floor.

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

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

HB 1305 (Pr. No. 1612) (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in high schools, providing for professional development related to secondary transition services.

HB 1677 (Pr. No. 3809) (Amended) (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), known as the Human Services Code, in general powers and duties, providing for coordinated service delivery pilot program; in public assistance, further providing for meeting special needs, work supports and incentives, for medical assistance payments for institutional care and providing for nonemergency medical transportation services; creating opportunities for hospitals and managed care organizations to improve health care outcomes and to further reduce unnecessary and inappropriate services in the Commonwealth's medical assistance program; in the aged, establishing the LIFE Program; in children and youth, further providing for provider submissions; in Statewide quality care assessment, further providing for definitions, for implementation, for administration, for the Quality Care Assessment Account and for expiration; in departmental powers and duties as to supervision, further providing for definitions; in departmental powers and duties as to licensing, further providing for definitions; and imposing a duty on the Department of Human Services.

HB 1929 (Pr. No. 3810) (Amended) (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176), known as The Fiscal Code, implementing the 2018-2019 Commonwealth budget and instituting future budget implementation: Further providing for title of act; in cigarette sales and licensing; further providing for preemption; In Treasury Department: providing for Keystone Scholars Grant Program; In disposition of abandoned and unclaimed property: further providing for property held by business associations; In procedure for the disbursement of money from the State Treasury: further providing for settlement agreements and enforcement; In capital facilities: further providing for applications; providing for entertainment business financial management firms; In tax credits: further providing for Department of Community and Economic Development; In Business in Our Sites Program Account: further providing for transfers of funds; providing for private dam financial assurance; In special funds: further providing for Budget Stabilization Reserve Fund funding for other grants relating to Pennsylvania Gaming Economic Development and Tourism Fund; In additional special funds: further providing for use of Tobacco Settlement Fund, for distributions from Pennsylvania Race Horse Development Fund and for drug and alcohol programs; providing for Natural Gas Infrastructure Development Fund grant agreements; and further providing for use of First Chance Trust Fund; In general budget implementation: providing for independent Fiscal Office revenue estimates; further providing for Attorney General, for Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, for Department of Health, for Department of Labor and Industry, for Department of Revenue and for surcharges; providing for deposit into School Safety and Security Fund and further providing for Mutimodal Transportation Fund; In school district debt refinancing bonds: further providing for sinking fund charges for school building; providing for reinstatement of item vetoes; repealing provisions relating to 2013-2014 budget implementation and 2013-2014 restrictions on appropriations for funds and accounts; providing for 2018-2019 budget implementation and 2018-2019 restrictions on appropriations for funds and accounts; and making related repeals.

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. 1, House Bill No. 1677, and move the Senate proceed to consider House Bill No. 1677, notwithstanding the provisions of Senate Rule 12(m)(2).

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. 1

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 1677 (Pr. No. 3809) -- 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 general powers and duties, providing for coordinated service delivery pilot program; in public assistance, further providing for meeting special needs, work supports and incentives, for medical assistance payments for institutional care and providing for nonemergency medical transportation services; creating opportunities for hospitals and managed care organizations to improve health care outcomes and to further reduce unnecessary and inappropriate services in the Commonwealth's medical assistance program; in the aged, establishing the LIFE Program; in children and youth, further providing for provider submissions; in Statewide quality care assessment, further providing for definitions, for implementation, for administration, for the Quality Care Assessment Account and for expiration; in departmental powers and duties as to supervision, further providing for definitions; in departmental powers and duties as to licensing, further providing for definitions; and imposing a duty on the Department of Human Services.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-49

Alloway	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	Reschenthaler	Williams
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Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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 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 a Republican caucus to be held immediately in the Majority Caucus Room.

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, Democrats will meet in our caucus room in the rear of the Chamber.

The PRESIDENT. For purposes of 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 CANCELLED

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

HOUSE MESSAGES

SENATE BILL RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate SB 1142, 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 CONCURS IN SENATE AMENDMENTS BY AMENDING SAID AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL

The Clerk of the House of Representatives informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate by amending said amendments to **HB 1448**, in which 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.

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR RESUMED

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 44 and **HB 56** -- 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 61 (Pr. No. 3781) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in adoption, further providing for report of intention to adopt, for consents necessary to adoption and for notice of hearing.

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 OVER IN ORDER

HB 83 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL AMENDED

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.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration? Senator DINNIMAN offered the following amendment No. A8945:

Amend Bill, page 1, line 1, by striking out "Providing" and inserting:

Amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for reimbursement of patient expenses associated with participation in cancer clinical trials and for duties of the Department of Health; imposing a penalty; providing

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 6 through 15; pages 2 through 5, lines 1 through 30; page 6, lines 1 through 6; by striking out all of said lines on said pages and inserting:

Section 1. Title 35 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding chapters to read:

CHAPTER 54

CANCER TRIAL ACCESS FOR PENNSYLVANIA PATIENTS

Sec.

5401. Scope.

5402. Legislative findings and intent.

5403. Definitions.

5404. Improving access to cancer clinical trials.

§ 5401. Scope.

This chapter relates to cancer trial access for Pennsylvania paents.

§ 5402. Legislative findings and intent.

(a) Findings and declarations.--The General Assembly finds and declares as follows:

- (1) A Pennsylvanian will be diagnosed with cancer approximately every four minutes, and a Pennsylvanian will die of cancer every 10 minutes. African-American Pennsylvanians in particular face higher rates of cancer incidence and mortality compared to other races and ethnicities.
- (2) The ability to translate medical findings from research to practice relies largely on having robust and diverse patient participation in cancer clinical trials
- pation in cancer clinical trials.

 (3) A low participation rate or a homogenous participant group prevents segments of the population from benefiting from advances achieved through clinical research, creates uncertainties over the applicability of research findings and has proven to develop lifesaving drugs that work for some ethnic populations but not others.

(4) Conversely, some drug trials are canceled because they do not show promise for the current homogenous study population of patients but could be beneficial to other ethnicities who are not receiving the trial drug because of poor participation rates.

- (5) Diverse patient participation in cancer clinical trials depends, in part, on whether a participant can afford ancillary medical and other costs, including transportation for clinical visits required by trial participation, which are not covered by standard of care, or lodging during the course of his or her participation. A national study in 2015 found that patient households making less than \$50,000 annually were almost 30% less likely to participate in clinical trials.
- (6) Another barrier to cancer clinical trial participation is the cost of travel, lodging and other expenses for a patient's travel companion, including a family member, friend, health care provider or chaperones that attend cancer clinical trial treatments to provide emotional, physical and mental support to the trial participant. Some trial participants are too old, too young or too ill to simply travel on their own.
- (7) Cancer clinical trials often only cover the actual cost of the drug being tested and very rarely the direct costs of participation by a patient-subject. There are often significant expenses associated with enrollment in a clinical trial that are not covered by the clinical trial site or sponsor. These include travel expenses to and from the clinical sites whether by air, car, bus, train, taxi or public transportation along with the travel costs of parking, car rental, gas, tolls and lodging.
- (8) This disparity threatens one of the most basic ethical underpinnings of clinical research, the requirement that the benefits of research be made available equitably among all eligible individuals.
- (9) According to the National Cancer Institute, Cancer Clinical Trials Resource Guide, some of the barriers preventing individuals, with cancer or at high risk of developing cancer, from participating in clinical trials are direct and indirect financial and personal costs, including travel.
- (10) Some corporations, individuals, public and private foundations, health care providers and other stakeholders are hesitant to contribute to or accept funds from programs that are organized to alleviate financial burdens faced by patients who wish to participate in clinical trials and their caregivers due to concerns that the United States Food and Drug Administration or other Federal regulators would view the payments made from those funds as prohibited inducements for patients to receive the health care services provided during clinical trials.
- (11) While the United States Food and Drug Administration recently confirmed to Congress and provided guidance that, in fact, reimbursement of direct patient-incurred expenses is not inducement, many organizations, pharmaceutical companies, philanthropic individuals, charitable organizations, government entities and others still operate under the understanding that such reimbursement could be, in fact, considered inducement.
- (b) Intent.--It is the intent of the General Assembly to enact legislation to define and establish a clear difference between what is considered inducement for a patient to participate in a clinical trial and direct reimbursement of patient-incurred expenses for participating in a cancer clinical trial.

§ 5403. Definitions.

The following words and phrases when used in this chapter shall have the meanings given to them in this section unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:
"Cancer clinical trials."

Research studies that test new cancer treatments on people, including chemotherapies, stem cell therapies and other new treatments.

The Department of Health of the Common-"Department."

"Inducement." Paying a person money, including a lump sum or

salary payment, to participate in a cancer clinical trial.

"IRB." An Institutional Review Board that is an appropriately constituted group formally established in accordance with applicable United States Food and Drug Administration regulations or outside the United States by other equivalent and applicable international regulations and guidelines in order to review and monitor biomedical research involving human subjects, and specifically having the authority to approve or disapprove research or to require modifications

in research to secure approval.

"IEC." An Independent Ethics Review Committee that is an appropriately constituted group formally established in accordance with applicable United States Food and Drug Administration regulations or outside the United States by other equivalent and applicable international regulations and guidelines in order to review and monitor biomedical research involving human subjects, and specifically having the authority to approve or disapprove research or to require modifications in research to secure approval.

"Patient-subject." A person participating in a cancer clinical

"Third-party reimbursement entity." A third-party nonprofit corporation or public charity that specializes in assisting cancer patients and increasing enrollment, retention and minority participation in cancer clinical trials.

§ 5404. Improving access to cancer clinical trials.

- (a) Inducement.--All sponsors of cancer clinical trials shall inform potential patient-subjects at the time of the informed consent process of the following:
- (1) Reimbursement for travel and ancillary costs is available to all enrollees based on financial need.
- (2) Coverage of the travel and other ancillary costs is done to eliminate financial barriers to enrollment in order to retain patientsubjects in the clinical trial.
- (3) Family, friends or chaperones that attend the cancer clinical trial treatments to support the patient-subject are eligible for reimbursement of their travel and ancillary expenses.

(b) Reimbursement .--

status.

- (1) Reimbursement of travel, ancillary medical costs and other direct patient-incurred expenses related to trial participation shall not be considered an inducement to participate in a cancer clinical trial.
- (2) Reimbursement for travel and ancillary expenses shall not be considered coercive or exerting undue influence to participate in a trial; instead reimbursement shall be considered a means to create parity in clinical trial access and remove a barrier to participation for financially burdened patient-subjects.
 (c) Expenses and registration.--The following apply:

- (1) Government, industry, public and private foundations, corporations and individuals may offer financial support to patientsubjects, or the family, friends or chaperones of patient-subjects, to cover ancillary costs through their support of a third-party reimburse-
- A third-party reimbursement entity shall register with a department-approved Pennsylvania college or university with a school of public health. Registration must occur within 30 days of the date the third-party reimbursement entity first reimbursed a patientsubject, or the patient-subject's family, friends or chaperones, for travel or ancillary expenses related to a cancer clinical trial conducted within this Commonwealth.
 - (3) Registration under paragraph (2) shall include:
 - (i) The name of the third-party reimbursement entity.
 - The third-party reimbursement entity's legal and tax
- The third-party reimbursement entity's employer or other similar identification number.

- (iv) The names of the third-party reimbursement entity's principal officers and directors
- (v) The names of donors of \$5,000 or more to the thirdparty reimbursement entity.
- (vi) Appropriate identifying information, as determined by the department, regarding other sources of funding from a source of \$5,000 or more.
- (vii) Other information as the department deems necessary or appropriate.
- (4) A third-party reimbursement entity registering under paragraph (2) shall update the registration no less than once annually utilizing forms and regulations developed by the department.
- (5) A third-party reimbursement entity that fails to register as required by this subsection shall be subject to a penalty of no more than \$300 imposed by the department.
- (d) Reimbursement programs.--Reimbursement programs must comply with the following:
- (1) Reimbursement programs that cover ancillary medical and travel expenses must be reviewed and approved by the IRB or IEC in conjunction with their review of the proposed clinical trial. The IRB or IEC must consider whether the reimbursed patient-subjects are recruited fairly, informed adequately and paid appropriately.
- (2) The nature of the ancillary support and general guidelines on financial eligibility must be disclosed in the informed consent process.
- The reimbursement process must conform to Federal (3) and State laws and guidance

CHAPTER 55 EPINEPHRINE AUTO-INJECTOR ENTITIES

5501. Scope. 5502. Definitions.

5503. Epinephrine auto-injectors for authorized entities.

§ 5501. Scope.

This chapter relates to epinephrine auto-injector entities.

§ 5502. Definitions.

The following words and phrases when used in this chapter shall have the meanings given to them in this section unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

"Administer." The direct application of an epinephrine auto-injector to the body of an individual.

- "Authorized entity." Any entity or organization, other than a school entity or a nonpublic school under section 1414.2 of the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, which has an employee or agent who has completed the required training and at which allergens capable of causing anaphylaxis may be present, including, but not limited to:
 - (1) recreation camps;
 - (2) colleges and universities;(3) day-care facilities;

 - (4) youth sports leagues;
 - (5) amusement parks;
 - (6) restaurants;
 - (7) places of employment; and
 - (8) sports arenas.

"Department.' The Department of Health of the Common-

"Epinephrine auto-injector." A single-use device used for the automatic injection of a premeasured dose of epinephrine into the human body.

Health care practitioner." An individual who is authorized to practice some component of the healing arts by a license, permit, certificate or registration issued by a Commonwealth licensing agency or board.

§ 5503. Epinephrine auto-injectors for authorized entities.

(a) Prescribing and dispensing.--Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, a health care practitioner with prescriptive authority may prescribe epinephrine auto-injectors in the name of an authorized entity for use in accordance with this section. Pharmacists and health care practitioners may dispense epinephrine auto-injectors pursuant to a prescription issued in the name of an authorized entity.

(b) Supply.--

(1) An authorized entity may acquire and stock a supply of epinephrine auto-injectors pursuant to a prescription issued in accordance with this section. The epinephrine auto-injectors shall be stored:

- (i) in a location readily accessible in an emergency; and
- (ii) in accordance with:
- (A) the epinephrine auto-injector's instructions for use; and (B) any additional requirements that may be established by

the department.

- (2) An authorized entity shall designate employees or agents who have completed the training required under subsection (d) to be responsible for the storage, maintenance, control and general oversight of epinephrine auto-injectors acquired by the authorized entity.
- (c) Use.--An employee or agent of an authorized entity or other individual associated with the entity who has completed the training required under subsection (d) may use epinephrine auto-injectors prescribed under subsection (a) to do any of the following:
- (1) Provide an epinephrine auto-injector for immediate administration to any individual, or the parent, guardian or caregiver of the individual, who the employee, agent or other individual associated with the entity believes, in good faith, is experiencing anaphylaxis, regardless of whether the individual has a prescription for an epinephrine auto-injector or has previously been diagnosed with an allergy.
- (2) Administer an epinephrine auto-injector to any individual who the employee, agent or other individual believes, in good faith, is experiencing anaphylaxis, regardless of whether the individual has a prescription for an epinephrine auto-injector or has previously been diagnosed with an allergy.

(d) Training.--

- (1) An employee or agent of the authorized entity or other individual associated with the entity shall complete an anaphylaxis training program as required by the department. The training shall be conducted by a nationally recognized organization experienced in training laypersons in emergency health treatment, a health care practitioner employed or contracted by the authorized entity or an entity or individual approved by the department. The department may approve specific entities or individuals or may approve classes of entities or individuals to conduct the training. Training may be conducted online or in person and, at a minimum, shall cover:
- (i) how to recognize signs and symptoms of severe allergic reactions, including anaphylaxis;
- (ii) standards and procedures for the storage and administration of an epinephrine auto-injector; and

(iii) emergency follow-up procedures.

(2) The entity or individual that conducts the training shall issue a certificate, on a form developed or approved by the department, to each individual who successfully completes the anaphylaxis training program.

(e) Good Samaritan protections.--

- (1) The following shall not be liable for any injuries or related damages that result from any act or omission taken under this section:
- (i) An authorized entity that possesses and makes available epinephrine auto-injectors and its employees, agents and other individuals associated with the entity;
- (ii) a health care practitioner that prescribes or dispenses epinephrine auto-injectors to an authorized entity;
- (iii) a pharmacist or health care practitioner that dispenses epinephrine auto-injectors to an authorized entity; and
- (iv) an individual or entity that conducts the training described under subsection (d).
- (2) The immunity provided under paragraph (1) shall not apply to acts or omissions constituting intentional misconduct or gross negligence.
- (3) The administration of an epinephrine auto-injector in accordance with this section shall not be considered the practice of medicine or any other profession that otherwise requires licensure.
- (4) This subsection shall not eliminate, limit or reduce any other immunity or defense that may be available under law, including that provided under 42 Pa.C.S. § 8332 (relating to emergency response provider and bystander good Samaritan civil immunity).
- (5) An entity located in this Commonwealth shall not be liable for any injuries or related damages that result from the provision or administration of an epinephrine auto-injector outside of this

Commonwealth if the entity:

- (i) would not have been liable for the injuries or related damages had the provision or administration occurred within this Commonwealth; or
- (ii) is not liable for the injuries or related damages under the law of the state in which the provision or administration occurred.

Section 2. This act shall take effect as follows:

- (1) The addition of 35 Pa.C.S. Ch. 54 shall take effect in six nonths.
 - (2) This section shall take effect immediately.
 - (3) The remainder of this act shall take effect in 60 days.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

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

Senator DINNIMAN. Mr. President, this amendment is one we can all support, and I deeply thank the Majority and Minority Leaders for their support. What it does is--all of us love our children, right? This will allow a foundation in Pennsylvania to provide, without costing State government a cent, free transportation, hotel, food, and other expenses for parents and for the children who are undergoing pediatric cancer care in trials. It is dealing with all of the ancillary expenses that are involved. The person who is doing this, what had occurred is that her brother had cancer, participated in a trial, and was able to see his kids for another 3 years because of the trial. She, in turn, as a memorial to her brother, committed her life and much of the resources that this family had to helping children with pediatric cancer so they, too, can live to see a new day. This takes care of those expenses involved with trials, and we hope and we know that each of you, because you love your child--and we thank Chairman Baker, too, for getting this through committee so quickly--we know that each of your children, as you vote for this, you love them, and it does not matter whether you are poor or rich, Mr. President, this is a very good amendment. Thank you.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

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

BILL OVER IN ORDER

HB 149 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 159 (Pr. No. 3607) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in juvenile matters, further providing for definitions, for summary offenses and for adjudication.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-49

Alloway	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	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 236, HB 280 and **HB 285** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

SB 595 (Pr. No. 1654) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

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.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-49

Alloway	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	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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 present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 644 and **SB 668** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

SB 735 (Pr. No. 1909) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 7, 1947 (P.L.1368, No.542), known as the Real Estate Tax Sale Law, further providing for the title of the act; and, in sale of property, providing for optional county demolition and rehabilitation fund.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-49

Alloway	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	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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 present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER AND LAID ON THE TABLE

SB 859 (Pr. No. 1123) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of November 22, 1978 (P.L.1166, No.274), referred to as the Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency Law, further providing for the Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency; and establishing the Mental Health and Justice Advisory Committee and the Mental Health and Justice Grant Program.

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.

SB 860 (Pr. No. 1124) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act providing for duties of the Department of Corrections and the Department of Drug and Alcohol Programs, for educating and training of government-funded professionals who come into contact with individuals engaged in risky substance use and for training programs to educate physicians and nonphysicians in addressing risky substance use and addiction; developing screening and assessment instruments for addictive substances; requiring treatment programs and providers to utilize evidence-based prevention and treatment approaches; and providing for screening at the time of arraignment

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 ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 863 (Pr. No. 1930) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of February 19, 1980 (P.L.15, No.9), known as the Real Estate Licensing and Registration Act, in definitions, further providing for definitions; in qualifications and applications for licenses and registration certificates, further providing for qualifications for license; in duties of licensees, further providing for comparative market analysis disclosure and providing for broker price opinion; in Real Estate Recovery Fund, further providing for establishment of the fund; and making related repeals.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-49

Alloway	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	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION DEFEATED ON FINAL PASSAGE

HB 864 (Pr. No. 3801) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 19, 1988 (P.L.1262, No.156), known as the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act, in preliminary provisions, further providing for legislative intent and for definitions; in games of chance, repealing provisions relating to prohibition regarding pools, further providing for prize limits, for distributor licenses and for major league sports drawing, providing for airport 50/50 drawing and further providing for registration of manufacturers and for licensing of eligible organizations; in club licensees, further providing for club licensee and for distribution of proceeds; in enforcement, further providing for enforcement, repealing provisions relating to advertising and further providing for criminal penalties; and, in tavern gaming, further providing for definitions, for licenses, for application, for approval, for change in ownership, for prize limits, for tavern raffle, for distribution of net revenue, for tavern games tax and for reports, providing for e-tab manufacturer requirements and further providing for enforcement and for prohibitions.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration?

MOTION TO REVERT TO PRIOR PRINTER'S No.

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

Senator TOMLINSON. Mr. President, I move to revert to prior Printer's No. 3433 on House Bill No. 864.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

Senator TOMLINSON. Mr. President, we are winding down this Session, in fact, we are supposed to be out of here today, and the underlying bill does a lot of good things for our taverns in Pennsylvania. It protects their licenses, it lowers the fees for small games of chance, it gives airports a 50/50, and it gives colleges a 50/50 on their athletic events. There are a lot of good things in here. It expands gaming for the taverns in here, but there is a lot of confusion on the amendment that went in yesterday and I have heard nothing but questions about what this amendment really does. It seems to be an ex-

tremely aggressive form of expansion of gaming, and I think we need to look at this a little bit, but I want to preserve what we have tried to do for the taverns and the schools in the original bill.

I have heard, since this amendment went in, opposition from the Area Agency on Aging, the Equine Coalition, the Lottery is opposed, the Department of Revenue has actually put out a letter that said this will cost the Lottery \$80 million. I have heard from colleges that are very concerned about amateur athletes. There is a lot of very ambiguous language in this and I think we need to get a lot of that straightened out. It is an expansion of gaming and I think there are a lot of things we need to talk about in that, but I would like to do the good things that were in the original bill and let us take a look at the others when we come back. Therefore, I am asking to revert to the prior printer's number.

Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Franklin, Senator Alloway.

Senator ALLOWAY. Mr. President, I rise to respectfully ask my colleagues on the Senate floor to vote "no" on this motion to revert.

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, I intend to vote in favor of the motion to revert. Yesterday, I did cast a vote in favor of including the amendment, but since that time I have learned a number of things that concern me about the piece that has been added. I recognize the good things that the gentleman referenced that is in this legislation, and hopefully there will be some more things added through this process today, but with respect to the pull-tab piece, I am concerned about the impact that it has on our Lottery Fund. I think the Members have all received a letter from the executive director of our Lottery Fund, Drew Svitko, representing that this, possibly, will likely result in an \$85-million potential reduction to our Lottery programs. Specifically, those programs that provide resources for our property tax and rent rebate program, our transportation program, our aging programs, PACE and PACEnet, and those are very much a concern to me. That, coupled with the fact that we have already done a significant advancement of gaming, particularly as it relates to the gaming industry, and more importantly, through the Lottery program authorizing keno as well as other games that will allow to be--Xpress Sports, I think it is called, that are currently in the bars and taverns as

So, for those reasons, Mr. President, I am going to reverse my vote from yesterday and vote in favor of the motion to revert. Thank you.

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

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

YEA-23

Baker	Gordner	Mensch	Tartaglione
Bartolotta	Haywood	Rafferty	Tomlinson
Blake	Hughes	Sabatina	Ward
Costa	Killion	Scavello	Williams

Dinniman	Leach	Schwank	Yudichak
Farnese	McGarrigle	Street	
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Alloway	Corman	Langerholc	Stefano
Argall	DiSanto	Laughlin	Vogel
Aument	Eichelberger	Martin	Vulakovich
Boscola	Folmer	McIlhinney	White
Brewster	Fontana	Regan	Yaw
Brooks	Greenleaf	Reschenthaler	iaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	

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

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?

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Alloway

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

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Stefano

Argall Boscola Brewster Browne	DiSanto Eichelberger Folmer Fontana	Laughlin Regan Reschenthaler Scarnati	Vogel Vulakovich White Yaw
	NA	AY-29	
Aument Baker Bartolotta Blake Brooks Costa Dinniman Farnese	Gordner Greenleaf Haywood Hughes Hutchinson Killion Leach Martin	McGarrigle McIlhinney Mensch Rafferty Sabatina Scavello Schwank Street	Tartaglione Tomlinson Ward Williams Yudichak

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

RECONSIDERATION OF HB 864

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE OVER IN ORDER TEMPORARILY

HB 864 (Pr. No. 3801) -- Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the vote by which House Bill No. 864, Printer's No. 3801, failed on final passage be reconsidered, and that the bill go over in its order temporarily.

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

The PRESIDENT. House Bill No. 864 will go over in its order temporarily.

BILL OVER IN ORDER AND LAID ON THE TABLE

SB 884 (Pr. No. 1147) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 20 (Decedents, Estates and Fiduciaries) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in orphans' court divisions, further providing for appointment and purpose and for compensation; and, in incapacitated persons, providing for venue and for confidentiality and disclosure of information, further providing for petition and hearing and independent evaluation, repealing provisions relating to county of appointment and qualifications, further providing for review hearing, providing for affidavit in uncontested termination matters and for counsel, further providing for emergency guardian, repealing provisions relating to provisions similar to other estates, providing for removal and discharge of guardian, for appointment of guardian in conveyance and for bond, further providing for evidence of incapacity, for cross-examination of witnesses and for provisions concerning powers, duties and liabilities, providing for protection of person dealing with guardian, and further providing for when accounting filed, for distributions of income and principal during incapacity and for guardianship services.

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.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 891 and **HB 983** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 994 (Pr. No. 2909) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, in gross receipts tax, further providing for imposition of tax.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-49

Alloway	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	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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.

BILL OVER IN ORDER

HB 1034 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

SB 1047 (Pr. No. 1763) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of February 12, 2004 (P.L.73, No.11), known as the Intergovernmental Cooperation Authority Act for Cities of the Second Class, in Intergovernmental Cooperation Authority for Cities of the Second Class, further providing for term of existence.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-49

Alloway	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	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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 present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL OVER IN ORDER

SB 1074 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

SB 1095 (Pr. No. 1894) -- 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.

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 Delaware, Senator McGarrigle.

Senator McGARRIGLE. Mr. President, I rise to ask my colleagues to support Senate Bill No. 1095, which makes necessary improvements to the Keystone Exams. I thank all of the stakeholders who worked on this for a long time. I thank Senator Eichelberger and Senator Dinniman from the Committee on Education, and all of the staff who helped us. This bill gives students alternative pathways to meet the graduation requirements as part of the mandate. This is a very good bill for the students of Pennsylvania. I ask for an affirmative vote.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

Senator DINNIMAN. Mr. President, I also rise with Senator McGarrigle and ask you to support this bill. This bill is what is needed. There was a consensus of every major educational group - PSBA, the school boards; PSEA, the unions; PASA, the superintendents and the principals - they all believe that changes need to be made in the Keystone Exams and in the process. The wonderful thing about this bill is that it gives various alternatives to graduation and at the same time keeps our academic standards high. Hopefully, the House, where there is massive support for this bill, will have an opportunity to vote on this and it will become law.

For me personally, it has been 10 years that I have struggled against the Keystone Exams as they are now constructed, and my friend, Senator Greenleaf, used to tell me you have to hang in there and be tenacious. We really appreciate Senator McGarrigle taking up the bill. Senator Eichelberger, thank you so much, and the authority that he allowed me to have in negotiating with the committee, I mean, it was a very generous act on everyone's part so we could make this bipartisan. I know there are a lot of students out there and a lot of parents who are jumping for joy that we have finally reformed these exams and that we now have a series of high quality and high standard ways for students to graduate. Mike Rader, Lee Derr, and Lisa Felix, representing Senator McGarrigle, Senator Eichelberger, and myself, put everything together. It is time to celebrate. Let us vote this out and let us vote for quality and good education which represents and understands that each student learns differently and individually and we are not going to be prisoners of standardized testing. 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-49

Alloway	DiSanto	Leach	Street
Argall	Eichelberger	Martin	Tartaglione
Aument	Farnese	McGarrigle	Tomlinson

Baker Bartolotta Blake Boscola Brewster Brooks	Folmer Fontana Gordner Greenleaf Haywood Hughes	McIlhinney Mensch Rafferty Regan Reschenthaler Sabatina	Vogel Vulakovich Ward White Williams Yaw
Boscola	Greenleaf	Regan	White
Brewster	Haywood	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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 present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILL OVER IN ORDER

SB 1098 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

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 third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-49

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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	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 1169, HB 1239 and **HB 1346** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

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 third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-49

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

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 1539 and **HB 1550** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 1738 (Pr. No. 3732) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in commencement of proceedings, further providing for definitions, providing for nonmunicipal police extraterritorial jurisdiction for purposes of municipal police jurisdiction and for agents of the Office of Attorney General for purposes of municipal police jurisdiction.

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 Rafferty.

Senator RAFFERTY. Mr. President, I ask for an affirmative vote. This is an important piece of legislation initiated by Representative Marsico in the House. This legislation gives authority for campus police officers to be able to respond to emergency situations within municipalities that are located nearby or next door. It is also very helpful for our police departments. We also were able to have it amended. I thank the Majority Leader's office for working with me on that to make sure that agents of the Office of Attorney General, when they come upon those types of situations, they are narrowly defined in law for their authority, their original jurisdiction, but this allows them now, all highly trained and skilled as well, to be able to enter into those situations to either assist the local police department, or where they themselves witness a felony, that they can become involved. I think this is a good piece of legislation, and I ask for an affirmative vote. 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-49

DiSanto	Leach	Street
Eichelberger	Martin	Tartaglione
Farnese	McGarrigle	Tomlinson
Folmer	McIlhinney	Vogel
Fontana	Mensch	Vulakovich
Gordner	Rafferty	Ward
Greenleaf	Regan	White
Haywood	Reschenthaler	Williams
Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Killion	Scavello	
Langerholc	Schwank	
Laughlin	Stefano	
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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 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 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-41

Argall	Farnese	McIlhinney	Tomlinson
Aument	Folmer	Mensch	Vogel
Baker	Fontana	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Bartolotta	Gordner	Regan	Ward
Blake	Haywood	Reschenthaler	White
Boscola	Hughes	Sabatina	Williams
Brewster	Killion	Scarnati	Yaw
Browne	Langerholc	Scavello	Yudichak
Corman	Leach	Schwank	
Costa	Martin	Street	
Dinniman	McGarrigle	Tartaglione	

NAY-8

Alloway	DiSanto	Greenleaf	Laughlin
Brooks	Eichelberger	Hutchinson	Stefano

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 1885, HB 1886 and **HB 1917** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 2067 (Pr. No. 3763) -- 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.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-49

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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	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	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 with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE

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

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

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

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR RESUMED

BILL AMENDED

HB 2133 (Pr. No. 3107) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act establishing the Kinship Caregiver Navigator Program in the Department of Human Services; and providing for kinship caregiver navigator website and for kinship caregiver navigators.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration? Senator BROOKS offered the following amendment No. A7957:

Amend Bill, page 3, line 5, by inserting after "contract": or agreement

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

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

Senator BROOKS. Mr. President, this is a technical amendment, and I request an affirmative vote.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

It was agreed to.

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

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 2468 (Pr. No. 3803) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 26 (Eminent Domain) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in limitations on use of eminent domain, further providing for definitions and providing for eminent domain of land subject to conservation easement.

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 Chester, Senator Dinniman.

Senator DINNIMAN. Mr. President, let me say this with no rancor at all, that I rise on behalf of my constituents who are very concerned about safety of pipelines, and this issue is about eminent domain and about schools. The concern that we have is that there are 40 schools along the pipeline, 16 of which are in my district, Senator Killion's district, and Senator Rafferty's district that we share. These schools are all within the blast zone. It is not a matter of opposing the pipeline, it is a matter of diverting the pipeline so they are not going past schools. In one of the schools that has students served by myself and Senator Killion, the pipeline is 7 feet from the classroom.

We know that pipelines are one of the safest ways to carry gas. These are especially flammable types of gas, ethane and propane. But we also know that accidents happen, and when accidents happen with these materials, it can be very serious. In West Virginia, when a line similar in construction and carrying ethane burst, an area of a half-square mile was all burnt, including trees and houses. Fortunately, it was a rural area. If a leak or a spark should happen near a school, there is nothing that one can do except to run your rear-ends off to try to escape from that blast zone. We have asked the Governor and the PUC on repeated occasions to tell us the protocols we are supposed to follow. We have never received any answers in terms of those protocols where our schools are concerned.

So briefly, I understand how people vote. I understand what is happening, but I wanted to make it clear that I, as an individual, do not oppose pipelines. I just want to make sure they are safe. We understand the prosperity that comes from them.

My citizens are very concerned. They understand that 98 percent of the pipeline companies are very good. Unfortunately, with Mariner 1 and its owner, wells have gone dry, there have been cave-ins, and people are concerned about their children in the school. Hopefully, we will have an opportunity to discuss this all together. Pipelines are there, but we know they are safe. Discretion is the better part of valor, because you never know when an accident may happen, and we want to make sure, our absolute responsibility before anything else, including the saving of land, is the protection of young children. I know we will have a further discussion of this, hopefully in the fall.

So thank you, Mr. President. I thank all of you for tolerating and bearing with me as I express the concerns of my constituents.

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-38

Alloway	Corman	Langerholc	Street
Argall	Costa	Laughlin	Tartaglione
Aument	DiSanto	Martin	Vogel
Baker	Eichelberger	Mensch	Vulakovich
Bartolotta	Farnese	Regan	Ward
Blake	Folmer	Reschenthaler	White
Boscola	Fontana	Sabatina	Yaw
Brewster	Gordner	Scarnati	Yudichak
Brooks	Haywood	Scavello	
Browne	Hughes	Stefano	

NAY-11

Dinniman	Killion	McIlhinney	Tomlinson
Greenleaf	Leach	Rafferty	Williams
Hutchinson	McGarrigle	Schwank	

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 2477 (Pr. No. 3804) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 17, 2016 (P.L.84, No.16), known as the Medical Marijuana Act, in academic clinical research centers, further providing for chapter heading, providing for legislative findings and declaration of policy, further providing for definitions, providing for academic clinical research centers, further providing for clinical registrants and for research study and providing for temporary regulations.

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 Lebanon, Senator Folmer.

Senator FOLMER. Mr. President, I am pleased to rise in support of House Bill No. 2477, the proposed clarification of Pennsylvania's medical cannabis law relating to the research provisions or the so-called Chapter 20 section of the law. Mr. President, when medical cannabis came to Pennsylvania 2 years ago, one of the key provisions that made our Commonwealth unique was the fact that we had a research aspect to our law. Of course, the devil is always in the details, and there were, and continue to be, many issues related to Chapter 20. However, thanks to the work of all four Caucuses, the Governor's Office, and the Pennsylvania Department of Health, temporary regulations were drafted over many months involving countless hours engaging many different people and offices, and my office was pleased to be part of that collaborative effort

Mr. President, the ink on these regulations was barely dry when they were challenged in court, which granted a temporary injunction to delay Chapter 20 and its research provisions. Mr. President, I believe that any delay in Chapter 20 would be an absolute travesty, as patients have been and will continue to be my focus. Fortunately, the four Caucuses again worked in a collaborative effort to address the court's misunderstanding of medical cannabis in general and Chapter 20 in particular. Representative Watson, with whom I worked closely during the passage of Senate Bill No. 3 just 2 years ago, introduced House Bill No. 2477 in response to the court's ruling. Representative Watson's goal, which I share, is for the General Assembly to make clear the legislative intent of Chapter 20. The House overwhelmingly passed House Bill No. 2477, and the work of the four Caucuses has helped to refine the provisions of the bill as it traveled through the House and the Senate to better insure there is balance between those who have commercial permits and those who plan to do research under the provisions of Chapter 20.

Mr. President, House Bill No. 2477 proposes to clarify a number of issues related to Chapter 20 research, including Chapter 20 permits are an addition to the number of commercial permits. The medical cannabis law provides for 24 grower/processor permits, 50 dispensary permits, and 5 permit holders being able to operate as both a grower/processor and as dispensaries. Chapter 20 provides for eight additional grower/processors and dispensary permits for research purposes. House Bill No. 2477 also clarifies medical schools or academic clinical research centers must be approved by the Department of Health before entering into contracts with parties known as a clinical registrant who would help to foster the research. Clinical registrants would be required to comply with the same fees and obligations as commercial grower/processors and commercial dispensaries. Let me repeat that again, Mr. President. Chapter 20 permit applicants must comply with the same requirements the commercial permit holders were required to meet. This includes the \$2 million in fees to be a grower/processor and the \$150,000 in fees to be a dispensary. And, Mr. President, Chapter 20 applicants must also demonstrate they have an additional \$15 million in capital in order to be considered for permits to operate as medical marijuana organizations under Chapter 20.

So, Mr. President, those doing research under the provisions of Chapter 20 must comply with the many requirements of the medical cannabis law in order to grow, process, and dispense medical cannabis. Please read lines 28 through 30 on the bottom of page 6 of House Bill No. 2477. Plus, Mr. President, both the medical schools and their clinical registrant partners must be approved and certified by the Pennsylvania Department of Health before they may contract with one another and before they can receive permits to be medical marijuana organizations. Please read lines 27 and 28 on page 3 of House Bill No. 2477, and lines 1 through 4 on page 4 of House Bill No. 2477.

Mr. President, I understand the concerns of the commercial operators who have received medical cannabis permits, and I look forward to continuing to work with them to make Pennsylvania's medical cannabis program a leader in this nation. In the interim, we need to keep Chapter 20 and its research provisions moving forward. Even if Chapter 20 permits were awarded today, it would take months, or even possibly years, before the medical marijuana research gets up and running.

Mr. President, this is admittedly a complicated and complex issue for many Members sitting in this august body. However, for those of us who have been in the trenches on this issue for the past 3 years, none of this is new. Mr. President, unlike traditional medicines, medical cannabis has a limited distribution system. When fully up and running, there will be 25 grower/processors and 150 dispensaries across the Commonwealth. It will not be like pharmacies that are in every community and sometimes several in each neighborhood. Patients will have access to medicine, but some will have to travel long distances, and all patients will be paying for their medicines, as it is not covered by insurance.

Should House Bill No. 2477 be approved, more work will be needed to insure it is providing the research we envision, and I look forward to working with all the parties to continue these discussions. In the interim, I ask for a "yes" vote on House Bill No. 2477.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, I rise to join my colleague, Senator Folmer, in asking for an affirmative vote on House Bill No. 2477. This measure codifies the Department of Health's temporary regulation implementing Chapter 20 with regard to, number one, the permits that the clinical registrants must obtain before they can do research in the Commonwealth; and secondly, to which commercial entities, approved clinical registrants, may sell their products. The department and the four Caucuses have worked for 2 years with various stakeholders that included commercial permittees and prospective clinical registrants and their medical schools in order to come to a set of regulations that we can all work with that encourages both the thriving research programs and maintains protections for phase 1 dispensaries and grower/processors.

Now, in the Senate Committee on State Government, Chairman Folmer and his office and all four Caucuses worked together to narrow the language of House Bill No. 2477 to only codify what was already in the temporary regulations, as mentioned. It does no more, it does no less than that today.

Under House Bill No. 2477, as we amended it in the Senate, the bill clarifies the applicants for a clinical registrant license must apply for and meet the same requirements as applicants for dispensary permits and grower/processor permits before they can be approved as a clinical registrant contracted with an academic clinical research entity under Chapter 20.

Mr. President, Senator Folmer talked about a number of reasons as to why it is important for us to move forward along those lines. At the end of the day, his comments about why we need to move forward with the research--if we do not move forward with the Chapter 20 research, we will be here many, many months from now, maybe a year, a year and a half from now, still waiting for the research it conveyed. That is what is most important here, and I applaud the gentleman for making those points as well. I do not want to replicate what he said to that degree, but at the end of the day, it is important for us to be able to move forward with the Chapter 20 regulations to allow us the opportunity to begin to find the remedies for those individuals who today we do not know what needs to be done in terms of research, but hopefully we will be able to find those cures as we move forward in an expeditious manner. Without an affirmative vote today, we would be delaying the implementation of Chapter 20. That is not what the people of Pennsylvania want us to do. I ask for an affirmative vote.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

Senator LEACH. Mr. President, I am going to vote "no" on the bill. I am not asking for a "no" vote, but I want to explain my reasons. I first commend everyone who has been working on this. We have been working a long time. Senator Folmer, who amended this bill, did a great job of cleaning up some things; however, there are a couple reasons that I am still reluctant to support this bill. Number one, this bill is drafted in response to a court decision. There was an appellate process, essentially, there was a preliminary injunction issued and there is an appellate process that is ongoing, but more than that, I am not convinced, for some technical legal reasons we do not have to get into detail on, that this bill actually does address the court's concerns, which I do not share. I do not agree with the court's concerns in large part, but if we are going to pass a bill to try to change the result of litigation mid-litigation, I think we should pass a bill that more unambiguously does that. I think it is an open question whether this will address the issue.

The other big problem I have, again, is sort of a lack of knowledge issue. For those not following closely, there is the commercial side, these are people who submitted applications for grower or processor licenses and dispensary licenses; half of those have been awarded and the other half are in the process. These people invested a lot of money, a lot of time, a lot of effort, and a lot of passion into opening this new industry here in Pennsylvania. It is very important that they are permitted to survive economically. It is important not only for them, but it is important for the patients they serve. We also want Pennsylvania to be a leader in research. I was very happy and proud that we passed a bill that included a unique research component, the first of its kind in the nation. However, inevitably, I suppose, there is some territorial battle in terms of who the research people can sell to versus the commercial folks and

which side should have what provisions in order to make it viable economically for them. I believe that there is a sweet spot, Mr. President, where both sides can survive and do well, but because we are the first in the nation, we do not really have another State we can look to and say, well, this is what worked or did not work there. So we sort of have to wing it. We have to do our best to figure out the best way forward on this particular component of the bill, and it is real easy to mess up.

I am troubled because, while there is, I believe, a sweet spot in terms of the commercial and research sides where there are appropriate boundaries and everyone can survive economically, I do not know what that is. I am not an expert on marijuana economics. There are, however, such experts, and what I would have liked to have seen is a period of time where there is a hearing or series of hearings where the commercial folks could come in and express their concerns, and the research folks could come in and talk about their concerns and they could both talk about what would be the best protocol. We could try to find common ground. We can have negotiations and we could have experts come in and talk about what the best protocol is. Now, this bill changes the current protocol, and I just do not know if we are doing it in a way that is responsible, and I wish I had more information.

So before I vote affirmatively to make changes that I do not know the consequences of, I would need to know more. I would need to hear from more people who have a greater base knowledge than I do. So I am voting "no" for that reason, and I hope that my concerns are misplaced. I hope this works out great for everybody. I hope everyone has access to the medicine they need. I hope that everyone makes a lot of money, except me, because that is a whole different story, but I hope this does well, but I am just not sure it will, and until I am more confident, I cannot support it in its current form.

Thank you, Mr. President.

And the question recurring, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-32

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

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 2243 CALLED UP

HB 2243 (Pr. No. 3749) -- Without objection, the bill, which previously went over in its order temporarily, was called up, from page 4 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator CORMAN.

NONPREFERRED APPROPRIATION BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 2243 (Pr. No. 3749) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

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

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-49

Alloway	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	Reschenthaler	Williams
Brooks	Hughes	Sabatina	Yaw
Browne	Hutchinson	Scarnati	Yudichak
Corman	Killion	Scavello	
Costa	Langerholc	Schwank	
Dinniman	Laughlin	Stefano	

NAY-0

A constitutional two-thirds 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.

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. 1929, and move the Senate proceed to consider House Bill No. 1929, notwithstanding the provisions of Senate Rule 12(m)(2).

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 1929 (Pr. No. 3810) -- 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, implementing the 2018-2019 Commonwealth budget and instituting future budget implementation: Further providing for title of act; in cigarette sales and licensing; further providing for preemption; In Treasury Department: providing for Keystone Scholars Grant Program; In disposition of abandoned and unclaimed property: further providing for property held by business associations; In procedure for the disbursement of money from the State Treasury: further providing for settlement agreements and enforcement; In capital facilities: further providing for applications; providing for entertainment business financial management firms; In tax credits: further providing for Department of Community and Economic Development; In Business in Our Sites Program Account: further providing for transfers of funds; providing for private dam financial assurance; In special funds: further providing for Budget Stabilization Reserve Fund funding for other grants relating to Pennsylvania Gaming Economic Development and Tourism Fund; In additional special funds: further providing for use of Tobacco Settlement Fund, for distributions from Pennsylvania Race Horse Development Fund and for drug and alcohol programs; providing for Natural Gas Infrastructure Development Fund grant agreements; and further providing for use of First Chance Trust Fund; In general budget implementation: providing for independent Fiscal Office revenue estimates; further providing for Attorney General, for Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, for Department of Health, for Department of Labor and Industry, for Department of Revenue and for surcharges; providing for deposit into School Safety and Security Fund and further providing for Mutimodal Transportation Fund; In school district debt refinancing bonds: further providing for sinking fund charges for school building; providing for reinstatement of item vetoes; repealing provisions relating to 2013-2014 budget implementation and 2013-2014 restrictions on appropriations for funds and accounts; providing for 2018-2019 budget implementation and 2018-2019 restrictions on appropriations for funds and accounts; 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-44

Argall	Dinniman	Martin	Stefano
Aument	Farnese	McGarrigle	Street
Baker	Fontana	McIlhinney	Tartaglione
Bartolotta	Gordner	Mensch	Tomlinson
Blake	Greenleaf	Rafferty	Vogel

Boscola Brewster Brooks Browne Corman Costa	Haywood Hughes Killion Langerholc Laughlin Leach	Regan Reschenthaler Sabatina Scarnati Scavello Schwank	Vulakovich Ward White Williams Yaw Yudichak
	11/2	11-3	
Alloway DiSanto	Eichelberger	Folmer	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.

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR RESUMED

RECONSIDERATION OF HB 2468

BILL ON FINAL PASSAGE

HB 2468 (Pr. No. 3803) -- Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 2468, Printer's No. 3803, passed finally.

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

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-37

Alloway Argall Aument Baker Bartolotta Blake Boscola Brewster Brooks	Corman Costa DiSanto Eichelberger Farnese Folmer Fontana Gordner Haywood	Langerholc Laughlin Martin Mensch Reschenthaler Sabatina Scarnati Scavello Stefano	Tartaglione Vogel Vulakovich Ward White Yaw Yudichak
Brooks Browne	Haywood Hughes	Stefano Street	
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NAY-12

Dinniman	Killion	McIlhinney	Schwank
Greenleaf	Leach	Rafferty	Tomlinson
Hutchinson	McGarrigle	Regan	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 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.

HOUSE MESSAGES

SENATE BILLS RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate SB 431, SB 564, SB 1002 and SB 1101, 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.

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 a Republican caucus to be held in the Majority Caucus Room, to be followed by meetings of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations and the Committee on Local Government to be held in the Rules room

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, I ask that Senate Democrats meet in the rear of the Chamber for a caucus as well.

The PRESIDENT. For purposes of Republican and Democratic caucuses to be held in their respective caucus rooms, followed by meetings of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations and the Committee on Local Government, without objection, the Senate stands in recess.

AFTER RECESS

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

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

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

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED SECOND CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 2 and **HB 26** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION AND REREFERRED

SB 31 (Pr. No. 12) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, 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, establishing the Spinal Cord Injury Research Program and Spinal Cord Research Advisory Committee, further providing for department responsibilities and for use of funds and providing for spinal cord injury research programs funding.

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 AMENDED

HB 104 (Pr. No. 2952) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in municipal authorities, further providing for money of authority and for transfer of existing facilities to authority and providing for sale or transfer of authority water or sewer infrastructure.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on second consideration? Senator WARD offered the following amendment No. A8940:

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 8 and 9, by striking out all of said lines and inserting:

Section 1. Section 5612(b) of Title 53 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended and the section is amended by adding a subsection to read:

Amend Bill, page 3, by inserting between lines 1 and 2:

(d) Auditor General.--The Auditor General, through agents as the Auditor General may select, shall perform an audit of a municipal authority located in a county of the third class with a population of more than 355,000 but less than 400,000, incorporated pursuant to this chapter as a public corporation of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on April 15, 1942, and organized for the purpose of providing municipal services, principally consisting of operation of a water collection, treatment and distribution system. The audit shall be a thorough review of all financial information and examine the effectiveness, economy and efficiency of the authority, including, but not limited to, a review of billing systems, acquisitions of other municipal authorities, contract processes and transparency, management practices, conflicts of interest and compliance with relevant Federal and State statutes by the authority, its board members and its contractors. For this purpose, the Auditor General may employ consultants, experts, accountants or investigators as the Auditor General may deem advisable and conduct the audit independently of any other audits. The audit shall be concluded by December 31, 2019, and may include recommendations on how to improve procedures and activities to enhance economy, efficiency and effectiveness in any areas covered by the audit.

Section 2. Section 5613(b) of Title 53 is amended to read: Amend Bill, page 4, line 11, by striking out "2" and inserting: 3

Amend Bill, page 4, line 26, by striking out "3" and inserting: 4

Amend Bill, page 4, line 30, by striking out "4" and inserting: 5

Amend Bill, page 5, line 4, by striking out "5" and inserting: 6

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

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

YEA-47

DiSanto	Leach	Stefano
Eichelberger	Martin	Street
Farnese	McGarrigle	Tartaglione
Folmer	McIlhinney	Tomlinson
Fontana	Mensch	Vogel
Gordner	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Greenleaf	Regan	Ward
Haywood	Reschenthaler	White
Hughes	Sabatina	Williams
Killion	Scarnati	Yaw
Langerholc	Scavello	Yudichak
Laughlin	Schwank	
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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.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 255, HB 296 and HB 298 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL LAID ON THE TABLE

HB 544 (Pr. No. 3213) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of February 2, 1966 (1965 P.L.1860, No.586), entitled "An act encouraging landowners to make land and water areas available to the public for recreational purposes by limiting liability in connection therewith, and repealing certain acts," further providing for liability for landowners to recreational users.

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

HB 544 TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that House Bill No. 544, Printer's No. 3213, 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

SB 575, SB 576, SB 714 and SB 820 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION AND REREFERRED

SB 899 (Pr. No. 1906) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for older adults protective services and imposing penalties; and making a related repeal.

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 917, HB 927, SB 930, SB 931, SB 933, HB 939, SB 963, HB 980, SB 1043, SB 1079, SB 1134 and SB 1199 --Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION, AMENDED

HB 1216 (Pr. No. 3608) -- 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 riot, disorderly conduct and related offenses, further providing for neglect of animal; and, in particular rights and immunities, providing for rescue from motor vehicle.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the bill on second consideration? Senator TOMLINSON offered the following amendment No. A7656:

Amend Bill, page 1, line 4, by inserting after "FOR": definitions, for

Amend Bill, page 1, line 4, by inserting after "ANIMAL": and for the offense of attack of guide dog; in trade and commerce, further providing for the offense of discrimination on account of guide, signal or service dog or other aid animal

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 10 through 12, by striking out all of said lines and inserting:

Section 1. Section 5531 of Title 18 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a definition to read: § 5531. Definitions.

The following words and phrases when used in this subchapter shall have the meanings given to them in this section unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

"Service, guide or support dog." A dog that is trained or is being trained to work or perform tasks for the benefit of an individual with a disability consistent with Federal and State law related to service animals.

Section 2. Sections 5532(a) and 5535 of Title 18, added June 28, 2017 (P.L.215, No.10), are amended to read:

Amend Bill, page 2, line 8, by striking out all of said line and inserting:

§ 5535. Attack of [guide] service, guide or support dog.

(a) Offense defined.--A person commits a misdemeanor of the third degree if the person is the owner of a dog that kills, maims or disfigures a [guide dog of an individual who is blind, a hearing dog of an individual who is deaf or audibly impaired or a service dog of an individual who is physically limited] service, guide or support dog of an individual with a disability without provocation by the [guide, hearing or service] service, guide or support dog or the individual.

(b) Culpability.--A person commits an offense under this section

only if the person:

(1) knew or should have known that the dog the person owns had a propensity to attack human beings or domestic animals without provocation[, and the owner]; and

(2) knowingly or recklessly failed to restrain the dog or

keep the dog in a contained, secure manner.

(c) Penalty.--A person convicted of violating this section shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than \$5,000 and shall be ordered to make reparations for veterinary costs in treating the [guide, hearing or service] service, guide or support dog and, if necessary, the cost of obtaining and training a replacement [guide, hearing or service] service, guide or support dog.

(d) Civil penalty and restitution.--

- (1) A person who is the owner of a dog that kills, maims or disfigures a [guide dog of an individual who is blind, a hearing dog of an individual who is deaf or audibly impaired or a service dog of an individual who is physically limited] service, guide or support dog of an individual with a disability shall be subject to paragraph (2) if both of the following apply:
- (i) The owner knew the dog had a propensity to attack human beings or domestic animals.
- (ii) The owner failed to restrain the dog or keep the dog in a contained, secure manner.
- (2) A court of common pleas may impose any of the following upon a person who is the owner of a dog under paragraph (1):

(i) A civil penalty of up to \$15,000.

(ii) Reparations for veterinary costs in treating the [guide, hearing or service] service, guide or support dog and, if necessary, the cost of retraining the dog or of obtaining and training a replacement [guide, hearing or service] service, guide or support dog.

(iii) Loss of income for the time the individual is unable to work due to the unavailability of the [guide, hearing or service] ser-

vice, guide or support dog.

Section 3. Section 7325 of Title 18 is amended to read:

§ 7325. Discrimination on account of [guide, signal or service] service, guide or support dog or other aid animal.

(a) Offense defined.--A person is guilty of a summary offense if he, being the proprietor, manager or employee of a theatre, hotel, restaurant or other place of public accommodation, entertainment or amusement, refuses, withholds or denies any person, who is using a [guide, signal or service] <u>service</u>, <u>guide or support</u> dog or other aid animal [that has been certified by a recognized authority] to assist [a person, because of the physical disability, blindness or deafness of the user,] an individual with a disability or who is training a [guide, signal or support] service, guide or support dog or other aid animal for [or from a recognized authority for such a user] an individual with a disability, the use of or access to any accommodation, advantage, facility or privilege of such theatre, hotel, restaurant or other place of public entertainment or amusement.

(b) Definition.--As used in this section, the term "service, guide or support dog" shall have the same meaning given it under section

5531 (relating to definitions).
Section 4. Title 42 is amended by adding a section to read: Amend Bill, page 3, line 7, by striking out "3" and inserting:

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.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 1460 and HB 1469 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION AND REREFERRED

HB 1613 (Pr. No. 3794) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for the Health Care Cost Containment Council, for its powers and duties, for health care cost containment through the collection and dissemination of data, for public accountability of health care costs and for health care for the indigent.

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 1958, HB 2050 and **HB 2124** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator CORMAN.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION AND REREFERRED

HB 2453 (Pr. No. 3590) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of February 18, 1998 (P.L.146, No.22), known as the Check Casher Licensing Act, amending the title of the act; in general provisions, further providing for authority of the Department of Banking and Securities; in licensing provisions, further providing for license terms and fees; in enforcement, further providing for suspension and revocation of license and civil penalties, for change of status, for restrictions on business of licensee and for civil penalty; and, in miscellaneous provisions, further providing for applicability and repealing provisions relating to report to General Assembly.

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.

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 293, RECOMMITTED

Senator CORMAN, without objection, called up from page 17 of the Calendar, **Senate Resolution No. 293**, entitled:

A Resolution directing the Joint State Government Commission to conduct a comprehensive review of school safety in this Commonwealth and report its findings to the Senate.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 326, ADOPTED

Senator CORMAN, without objection, called up from page 17 of the Calendar, **Senate Resolution No. 326**, entitled:

A Resolution urging the Congress of the United States to adopt the National Park Service's recommendations to extend the Lewis and Clark National Historic Trail to include additional sites along the Lewis and Clark Expedition's Eastern Legacy.

On the question,

Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Beaver, Senator Vogel.

Senator VOGEL. Mr. President, this resolution encourages Congress to accept the conclusions of the National Park Service and recognize the Eastern Legacy of the Lewis and Clark National Trail for its historic national significance. The route of travel called the Eastern Legacy was not recognized in the original National Historic Trail. In 2008, the National Park Service was authorized to study potential areas for inclusion in the national trail. Three segments were identified as meeting the criteria for national significance. One of those three segments included the Ohio River from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, to Louisville, Kentucky. Meriwether Lewis spent 6 weeks in the summer of 1803 in Elizabeth, Pennsylvania, a small town near Pittsburgh. While waiting there for the construction of the expedition's 55-foot keelboat, he recruited 11 volunteers and procured the supplies to take down river to Louisville, Kentucky. He began keeping his historic journals when he departed Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and noted several Pennsylvania sites on his journey down the Ohio as he traveled to the West, where he would eventually meet up with William Clark.

Thank you for your consideration in recognizing the Eastern Legacy of the Lewis and Clark National Trail for its historic national significance.

Thank you, Mr. President.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

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

SB 172 (Pr. No. 1930) (Amended) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in general provisions, further providing for definitions; and, in rules of the road in general, further providing for speed timing devices and providing for automated speed enforcement systems in active work zones and establishing a pilot program for automated speed enforcement system on designated highway.

SB 431 (Pr. No. 1872) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in nuisances, further

providing for the offense of scattering rubbish; in rules of the road in general, providing for duty of driver in litter enforcement corridors; and, in powers of department and local authorities, providing for designation of litter enforcement corridors and further providing for specific powers of department and local authorities.

SB 530 (Pr. No. 1899) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending the act of July 9, 1987 (P.L.220, No.39), known as the Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors Act, further providing for definitions, for qualifications for license, for reciprocity, for restriction on the use of title "licensed clinical social worker," for restrictions on the use of title "Licensed Professional Counselor," for penalties and for unlawful practice; and repealing provisions related to appropriation.

SB 564 (Pr. No. 1873) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act providing for installation of protective fencing on certain State-owned bridges and for powers and duties of the Department of Transportation.

SB 764 (Pr. No. 1829) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending the act of December 22, 1983 (P.L.306, No.84), known as the Board of Vehicles Act, providing for preliminary provisions, further providing for short title, for definitions, for State Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons, for powers and duties of board, for license to engage in business, for biennial renewal, for enforcement, for protest hearing decision within 120 days unless waived by the parties, for reimbursement for all parts and service required by the manufacturer or distributor and reimbursement audits, for damage disclosure, for mediation and arbitration, for unlawful acts by manufacturers or distributors, for area of responsibility, for termination of franchises, for industry reorganization, for succession to franchise ownership, for manufacturer right of first refusal, for manufacturer or distributor repurchase of inventory and equipment, for reimbursement of rental costs for dealer facility, for grounds for disciplinary proceedings, for administrative liability of employer, copartnership, association or corporation, for reinstatement, for application for license, for refusal of license, for change of salesperson's license to indicate new employer, for termination of employment or business, for exemption from licensure and registration, for limitations on establishing or relocating dealers, for licensing cost, for penalties, for civil actions for violations, for fees, for disposition of fees and fines, for vehicle shows, off-premise sales and exhibitions and for off-premise sales, shows, exhibitions or rallies on Sundays; providing for recreational vehicles and for miscellaneous provisions; further providing for savings provision, for repeals, expiration of terms of board members and for existing rules and regulations.

SB 1002 (Pr. No. 1912) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 1041 over the Mahoning Creek in Grant Township and Canoe Township, Indiana County, as the Army SPC Christine L. Mayes Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 286 over the South Branch Cush Creek River, Montgomery Township, Indiana County, as the Sgt. Edward John Parada Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 19108, on that portion of Pennsylvania Route 286 over the Two Lick Creek, Borough of Clymer, Indiana County, as the Corporal Louis R. Tate Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 19109, on that portion of Pennsylvania Route 286 over the Two Lick Creek, at the east end of the Borough of Clymer, Indiana County, as the Lance Corporal Joshua T. Twigg Memorial Bridge; designating the portion of State Route 2024 and State Route 1016, also known as Monument Orviston Road, from the intersection of State Route 2024 and Main Street in Beech Creek Borough, Clinton County, to the intersection of State Route 1016 and Kato Orviston Road in Curtin Township, Centre County, as the CPL Milford H. Wensel Memorial Highway; and designating a portion of Pennsylvania Route 44 in Potter County as the Highway to the Stars.

SB 1101 (Pr. No. 1875) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in certificate of title and security interests, further providing for content and effect of certificate of title and for theft vehicles.

SB 1142 (Pr. No. 1911) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in school finances, further providing for intergovernmental agreements for school security and safety; in grounds and buildings, further providing for school police officers; in safe schools, further providing for the Office for Safe Schools; providing for school safety and security and for school police officers and school resource officers; establishing the School Safety and Security Fund; establishing the Safe2Say Program; and providing for methods of anonymous reporting concerning unsafe activities in schools.

HB 1448 (Pr. No. 3811) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

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; in organization meetings and officers of boards of school directors, providing for executive sessions; in duties and powers of boards of school directors, providing for third-party services; in grounds and buildings, further providing for limitation on new applications for Department of Education approval of public school building projects and providing for lead testing; in books, furniture and supplies, further providing for time and manner of adopting and furnishing textbooks and supplementary books; in professional employees, further providing for persons to be suspended; in certification of teachers, further providing for provisional vocational education certificate; in pupils and attendance, further providing for definitions, providing for attendance policy at nonpublic schools and further providing for excuses from attending school, for penalties for violating compulsory school attendance requirements and for nonprofit school food program; in Drug and Alcohol Recovery High School Pilot Program, further providing for term of program and for reporting; in terms and courses of study, further providing for fire and emergency evacuation drills; in community colleges, further providing for financial program and reimbursement of payments; in educational tax credits, further providing for definitions, for qualification and application by organizations, for application by business firms, for tax credits and for limitations; providing for higher education accountability and transparency; in funding for public libraries, providing for State aid for fiscal year 2018-2019; and, in reimbursements by Commonwealth and between school districts, further providing for payments to intermediate units, for assistance to school districts declared to be in financial recovery status or identified for financial watch status and for Ready-to-Learn Block Grant.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 4

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS
TO SENATE AMENDMENTS

HB 1448 (Pr. No. 3811) -- 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; in organization meetings and

officers of boards of school directors, providing for executive sessions; in duties and powers of boards of school directors, providing for third-party services; in grounds and buildings, further providing for limitation on new applications for Department of Education approval of public school building projects and providing for lead testing; in books, furniture and supplies, further providing for time and manner of adopting and furnishing textbooks and supplementary books; in professional employees, further providing for persons to be suspended; in certification of teachers, further providing for provisional vocational education certificate; in pupils and attendance, further providing for definitions, providing for attendance policy at nonpublic schools and further providing for excuses from attending school, for penalties for violating compulsory school attendance requirements and for nonprofit school food program; in Drug and Alcohol Recovery High School Pilot Program, further providing for term of program and for reporting; in terms and courses of study, further providing for fire and emergency evacuation drills; in community colleges, further providing for financial program and reimbursement of payments; in educational tax credits, further providing for definitions, for qualification and application by organizations, for application by business firms, for tax credits and for limitations; providing for higher education accountability and transparency; in funding for public libraries, providing for State aid for fiscal year 2018-2019; and, in reimbursements by Commonwealth and between school districts, further providing for payments to intermediate units, for assistance to school districts declared to be in financial recovery status or identified for financial watch status and for Ready-to-Learn Block Grant.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate amendments to House Bill No. 1448?

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. 1448.

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-44

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

NAY-4

DiSanto Eichelberger Hutchinson Martin

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 1142 (Pr. No. 1911) -- 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 finances, further providing for intergovernmental agreements for school security and safety; in grounds and buildings, further providing for school police officers; in safe schools, further providing for the Office for Safe Schools; providing for school safety and security and for school police officers and school resource officers; establishing the School Safety and Security Fund; establishing the Safe2Say Program; and providing for methods of anonymous reporting concerning unsafe activities in schools.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1142?

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. 1142.

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

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from York, Senator Regan.

Senator REGAN. Mr. President, over the past few months, Senator Langerholc and I and Members of the Senate, along with global security experts, worked tirelessly to develop a school safety program that is cost-effective and adaptable. I am very honored that critical elements of my legislation, Senate Bill No. 1211, have been incorporated into Senate Bill No. 1142. This legislation establishes the School Safety and Security Committee within the Pennsylvania Commission for Crime and Delinquency. This committee will be comprised of recognized subject matter experts, as well as representatives from multiple State agencies and this legislature. The committee will establish criteria for school safety and security assessments and school safety and security training. They will also create and distribute surveys to all school employees to help collect specific information pertaining to each school entity and their current security capabilities in order to aid schools in identifying their school safety needs. The committee will review pre-existing safety and security surveys and the assessments to evaluate each school's ability to prepare for, mitigate, and respond to potential life-threatening situations.

Another critical element of this program requires all school employees to complete school safety training both online and in person. Our teachers continue to prove their desire to learn how to best protect their students. This legislation will require school safety and security training courses to be approved by the committee and insure teachers receive continuing professional education credits for that training. Overall, this is a flexible and comprehensive program that allows for assessments, planning, training, and equipping our schools with the resources they need to insure our children's safety. I am so

happy this bill has passed. This bill will go a long way toward protecting our kids in school.

Finally, Mr. President, I look forward to working with my colleague, Senator Langerholc, and other Senate colleagues in conducting public hearings across the State this summer to further develop and perfect Pennsylvania's approach to this extremely important topic.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

Senator LANGERHOLC. Mr. President, I rise in full support of this legislation, and this legislation is a testament to the bipartisanship cooperation of every Member in this Chamber. This is a tangible work product that we can take back to our districts, which will work to help not only schoolchildren presently, but the many future generations of schoolchildren. The specific legislation will address inter alia \$60 million in school safety and security grant program funding which will provide a menu of school safety and security measures to be funded under a model similar to the Ready to Learn Block Grant program. It also includes funding for a wide range of school safety and security measures for school districts including hiring school police officers, resource officers, counselors and/or mental health counselors.

Every Member of this body has had a hand in this, and I appreciate their work and feedback in getting this cooperative legislation passed. I am grateful and this will work because this is being proactive. This is proactive legislation that will insure that the root causes of these terrible tragedies will be addressed and that the many future generations of schoolchildren will not have to live in terror.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

Senator DINNIMAN. Mr. President, simply, this is a good bill. The reason it is such a good bill is because it not only deals with the physical buildings and technology, but it deals with the student who is experiencing trauma, emotional difficulty, and it also has a provision to deal with community violence, which means that those community schools now can put it all together. It is comprehensive and it deserves full and unanimous support by this body.

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

Corman Killion Scarnati Yaw Costa Langerholc Scavello Yudichak Dinniman Laughlin Schwank	Baker Fe Bartolotta G Boscola G Brewster H Brooks H Browne H Corman K Costa L	ontana fordner freenleaf faywood fughes futchinson illion angerholc	McIlhinney Mensch Rafferty Regan Reschenthaler Sabatina Scarnati Scavello	Tartaglione Tomlinson Vogel Vulakovich Ward White Williams Yaw Yudichak
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NAY-1

Eichelberger

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. 5, House Bill No. 126, and move the Senate proceed to consider House Bill No. 126, notwithstanding the provisions of Senate Rule 12(m)(2).

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. 5

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 126 (Pr. No. 3814) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for reimbursement of patient expenses associated with participation in cancer clinical trials and for duties of the Department of Health; imposing a penalty; providing for the use of epinephrine auto-injectors by certain entities and organizations; and conferring powers and imposing duties on the Department of Health.

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

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 6

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 431 (Pr. No. 1872) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in nuisances, further providing for the offense of scattering rubbish; in rules of the road in general, providing for duty of driver in litter enforcement corridors; and, in powers of department and local authorities, providing for designation of litter enforcement corridors and further providing for specific powers of department and local authorities.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 431?

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. 431.

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	DiSanto	Laughlin	Schwank
Argall	Eichelberger	Leach	Stefano
Aument	Farnese	Martin	Street
Baker	Folmer	McGarrigle	Tartaglione
Bartolotta	Fontana	McIlhinney	Tomlinson
Boscola	Gordner	Mensch	Vogel
Brewster	Greenleaf	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Brooks	Haywood	Regan	Ward
Browne	Hughes	Reschenthaler	White
Corman	Hutchinson	Sabatina	Williams
Costa	Killion	Scarnati	Yaw
Dinniman	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 inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 564 (Pr. No. 1873) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act providing for installation of protective fencing on certain State-owned bridges and for powers and duties of the Department of Transportation.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 564?

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. 564.

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	DiSanto	Laughlin	Schwank
Argall	Eichelberger	Leach	Stefano
Aument	Farnese	Martin	Street
Baker	Folmer	McGarrigle	Tartaglione
Bartolotta	Fontana	McIlhinney	Tomlinson
Boscola	Gordner	Mensch	Vogel
Brewster	Greenleaf	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Brooks	Haywood	Regan	Ward
Browne	Hughes	Reschenthaler	White
Corman	Hutchinson	Sabatina	Williams
Costa	Killion	Scarnati	Yaw
Dinniman	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 inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 1002 (Pr. No. 1912) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 1041 over the Mahoning Creek in Grant Township and Canoe Township, Indiana County, as the Army SPC Christine L. Mayes Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 286 over the South Branch Cush Creek River, Montgomery Township, Indiana County, as the Sgt. Edward John Parada Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 19108, on that portion of Pennsylvania Route 286 over the Two Lick Creek, Borough of Clymer, Indiana County, as the Corporal Louis R. Tate Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 19109, on that portion of Pennsylvania Route 286 over the Two Lick Creek, at the east end of the Borough of Clymer, Indiana County, as the Lance Corporal Joshua T. Twigg Memorial Bridge; designating the portion of State Route 2024 and State Route 1016, also known as Monument Orviston Road, from the intersection of State Route 2024 and Main Street in Beech Creek Borough, Clinton County, to the intersection of State Route 1016 and Kato Orviston Road in Curtin Township, Centre County, as the CPL Milford H. Wensel Memorial Highway; and designating a portion of Pennsylvania Route 44 in Potter County as the Highway to the Stars.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1002?

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. 1002.

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	DiSanto	Laughlin	Schwank
Argall	Eichelberger	Leach	Stefano
Aument	Farnese	Martin	Street
Baker	Folmer	McGarrigle	Tartaglione
Bartolotta	Fontana	McIlhinney	Tomlinson
Boscola	Gordner	Mensch	Vogel
Brewster	Greenleaf	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Brooks	Haywood	Regan	Ward
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Corman	Hutchinson	Sabatina	Williams
Costa	Killion	Scarnati	Yaw
Dinniman	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 inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 1101 (Pr. No. 1875) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in certificate of title and security interests, further providing for content and effect of certificate of title and for theft vehicles.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1101?

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. 1101.

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	DiSanto	Laughlin	Schwank
Argall	Eichelberger	Leach	Stefano
Aument	Farnese	Martin	Street
Baker	Folmer	McGarrigle	Tartaglione
Bartolotta	Fontana	McIlhinney	Tomlinson
Boscola	Gordner	Mensch	Vogel
Brewster	Greenleaf	Rafferty	Vulakovich
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Browne	Hughes	Reschenthaler	White
Corman	Hutchinson	Sabatina	Williams
Costa	Killion	Scarnati	Yaw
Dinniman	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 inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

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

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

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA COUNCIL ON AGING

May 30, 2018

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, George Gunn, 1102 Brittany Pointe, Lansdale 19446, Montgomery County, Twelfth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Council on Aging, to serve until October 8, 2018, and until his successor is appointed and qualified.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

May 30, 2018

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Joel S. Jaspan, 14 Hawthorne Circle, Lafayette Hill 19444, Montgomery County, Seventh Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Dentistry, to serve until April 7, 2020, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Lisa Deem, Blue Bell, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF FINANCE AND REVENUE

April 17, 2018

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Paul Gitnik, 60 Cielo Lane, Pittsburgh 15211, Allegheny County, Forty-second Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Finance and Revenue, to serve until January 1, 2024, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, vice R. Scott Shearer, Harrisburg, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE PLANNING BOARD

June 6, 2018

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, David Feldman, 528 Valley View Road, Merion Station 19066, Montgomery County, Seventeenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Planning Board, to serve for a term of four years, and until his successor is appointed and qualified, vice Allen McIntosh, Warren, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF Governor

NOMINATIONS LAID ON THE TABLE

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

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

EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion was made by Senator ALLOWAY,

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

Which was agreed to by voice vote.

NOMINATIONS TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

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

The Clerk read the nominations as follows:

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TOM WOLF Governor

On the question,

Will the Senate advise and consent to the nominations?

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

YEA-48

DiSanto	Laughlin	Schwank
Eichelberger	Leach	Stefano
Farnese	Martin	Street
Folmer	McGarrigle	Tartaglione
Fontana	McIlhinney	Tomlinson
Gordner	Mensch	Vogel
Greenleaf	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Haywood	Regan	Ward
Hughes	Reschenthaler	White
Hutchinson	Sabatina	Williams
Killion	Scarnati	Yaw
Langerholc	Scavello	Yudichak
	Eichelberger Farnese Folmer Fontana Gordner Greenleaf Haywood Hughes Hutchinson Killion	Eichelberger Leach Farnese Martin Folmer McGarrigle Fontana McIlhinney Gordner Mensch Greenleaf Rafferty Haywood Regan Hughes Reschenthaler Hutchinson Sabatina Killion Scarnati

NAY-0

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

Ordered, That the Governor be informed accordingly.

EXECUTIVE SESSION RISES

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

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS BILL REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

Senator MARTIN, from the Committee on Local Government, reported the following bill:

SB 1099 (Pr. No. 1931) (Amended)

An Act amending the act of May 25, 1945 (P.L.1050, No.394), known as the Local Tax Collection Law, further providing for definitions; providing for county option to collect real property taxes, for optional alternative tax collection agreements and for collection of school taxes by school districts; and further providing for bonds of tax collectors.

SENATE RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED

Senators BAKER, ARGALL, BLAKE, GORDNER, YUDICHAK, BARTOLOTTA, GREENLEAF, MARTIN, SABATINA, BREWSTER, BROWNE, SCHWANK, WHITE, VULAKOVICH, WARD and FOLMER, by unanimous consent, offered **Senate Resolution No. 408**, entitled:

A Resolution designating July 21, 2018, as "Anthracite Heritage Day" in Pennsylvania and recognizing 2018 as the 250th anniversary of the discovery of anthracite coal as a fuel source.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

Senator BAKER. Mr. President, in 2018, we recognize the 250th anniversary of the day when a blacksmith in Wilkes-Barre discovered anthracite coal as an excellent source of fuel. Much can be said about this, and in light of the time today, I will submit my remarks for the record.

The PRESIDENT. You will deprive us of your excellent speech, but we are delighted to accept your remarks for the record.

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

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

Mr. President, Pennsylvania celebrates a very significant anniversary this year. 2018 is the 250th anniversary of the day when a blacksmith in Wilkes-Barre discovered that anthracite coal was an excellent fuel.

When we look at the history, it is rather amazing how crucial a role anthracite played in transforming America into the world's leading economic power. Anthracite helped fuel the Industrial Revolution and contributed to the mill and mine image that characterized our Commonwealth for generations. Because of the need to get coal from the mines to the users, first canals and then railroads were built. This pumped additional meaning into our reputation as the Keystone State. The strife between miners and operators, typified by the still controversial story of the Molly Maguires, helped to shape many of our modern labor laws. Anthracite was a key factor in the military prowess that enabled America to propel the Allies to victory in World War I and World War II.

The marvelous ethnic diversity we find in northeastern Pennsylvania is a direct result of the miners who came from abroad and settled in what were called coal-patch towns. The substantial dangers of the mines eventually led to worker safety laws. The impact on the health of miners led to development of institutions for treatment and care for those who remember when we had State general hospitals. The impact of widespread mining helped spark some important water quality laws and policies.

The history is interesting and vital, but anthracite is not just an artifact seen only in museums. Pennsylvania remains a leading producer, so there are still jobs and economic impact. Anthracite is a prominent part of our past, an economic factor in the present, and a resource we will rely upon in the future.

We offer special thanks to Korean War veteran and proud Pennsylvanian Bob Alper of Kingston for his dedication to celebrating our mining heritage and keeping history alive.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

Senators KILLION, BAKER, BLAKE, BREWSTER, BROWNE, DINNIMAN, EICHELBERGER, FOLMER, FONTANA, GREENLEAF, MARTIN, McGARRIGLE, RAFFERTY, SABATINA, SCAVELLO, SCHWANK, VULAKOVICH, YUDICHAK and COSTA, by unanimous consent, offered **Senate Resolution No. 409**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the week of July 16 through 22, 2018, as "Juror Appreciation Week" in Pennsylvania.

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

Senators KILLION, AUMENT, BAKER, BARTOLOTTA, BLAKE, BREWSTER, BROWNE, COSTA, DINNIMAN, FONTANA, GREENLEAF, MARTIN, MENSCH, RAFFER-TY, SABATINA, SCHWANK, VOGEL and VULAKOVICH, by unanimous consent, offered **Senate Resolution No. 410**, entitled:

A Resolution designating July 31, 2018, as "Heatstroke Prevention Day" in Pennsylvania.

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

Senators FARNESE, DINNIMAN, BLAKE, GREEN-LEAF, FONTANA, STREET, RAFFERTY, COSTA, HUGHES, BREWSTER and MENSCH, by unanimous consent, offered **Senate Resolution No. 411**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing September 21, 2018, as "International Day of Peace"; expressing support of its ideals and principles; and encouraging Pennsylvanians to meaningfully engage at this worldwide event.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

Senator FARNESE. Mr. President, very briefly, in these times that when we look around us, it is incumbent not upon just the folks in this building, or this Chamber, or this institution, but this Commonwealth, and hopefully someday this country to all come together, put our differences aside, take a deep breath all in furtherance of a day of peace, a day of compassion, and a day of understanding. Putting our differences to the side for the moment and allowing each and every one of us to sit down and hopefully not only work out differences, but get to know our fellow man and woman. That is really what the Day of Peace means to me, and I am very honored and proud to be able to present this resolution here today with my good friend, Senator Dinniman, who will have some comments as well.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

Senator DINNIMAN. Mr. President, shalom. Peace. That is the shortest speech I ever gave here.

The PRESIDENT. Fantastic. Thank you, Senator Dinniman. We will remind you of that speech and see if you can beat it.

Senator DINNIMAN. Mr. President, I have three resolutions coming up, so we will see.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

Senators DINNIMAN, ARGALL, GREENLEAF, BROWNE, BLAKE, MARTIN, RAFFERTY, EICHELBERGER, BREWSTER, RESCHENTHALER, TARTAGLIONE, SABATINA, SCHWANK, COSTA, VULAKOVICH, KILLION, HUGHES, AUMENT, MENSCH and FOLMER, by unanimous consent, offered **Senate Resolution No. 412**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of September 2018 as "Mushroom 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, briefly, Chester County is proud to be the mushroom capital of the world. We grow more mushrooms in Pennsylvania, especially Chester County. Sixty-five percent of the nation's mushrooms are grown in this Commonwealth. It is a great source of the prosperity of Chester County. In Chester County, we talk of farm and pharma, what we get from our agricultural farms, especially mushrooms, and we are also a center of the pharmaceutical industry. So we do quite well. We are not here in August, and so this way we get an early recognition of Mushroom Month. We can utilize this in our activities, and we have a mushroom festival which is growing bigger and bigger every year and draws tens of thousands of people. There are some great ways you can use mushrooms, but let me tell you, the attempt to make mushroom ice cream does not work. Besides that, the food and the use of mushrooms is amazing. Finally, Mr. President, some national franchises are now using a hamburger that is half mushroom and is going quite well. So, let us celebrate the mushroom here.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

Senators DINNIMAN, BAKER, SCHWANK, STREET, BARTOLOTTA, GREENLEAF, MARTIN, BREWSTER, KILLION, HUGHES, COSTA, WHITE, SCAVELLO, MENSCH, FOLMER and RAFFERTY, by unanimous consent, offered **Senate Resolution No. 413**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the month of September 2018 as "Prostate Cancer Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania and acknowledging the importance of raising public awareness of the threat and causes of prostate cancer.

On the question, Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

Senator DINNIMAN. Mr. President, prostate cancer continues to be one of the largest causes of death of men in this Commonwealth. We can prevent so many deaths by early recognition and diagnosis. I am a survivor of prostate cancer, and I know there are other Members of the Senate and past Members of the Senate who are also survivors. Lives are saved by early detection. So, simply as part of our educational program, we need to get men in and not fear the examination, because that examination can save your life.

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 DINNIMAN, GREENLEAF, BROWNE, BLAKE, FONTANA, BARTOLOTTA, BREWSTER, TARTAGLIONE, RAFFERTY, SABATINA, SCHWANK, COSTA, KILLION, HUGHES, AUMENT and SCAVELLO, by unanimous consent, offered **Senate Resolution No. 414**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the week of August 6 through 10, 2018, as "YMCA Advocacy Week" 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, briefly, the Ys across this Commonwealth provide tremendous service for people who are young, middle-aged, and old. The focus of the Y in the Commonwealth now is on the age of sixth grade, seventh grade, and eighth grade, those middle-schoolers. I know in my own county, in my own area, through our work, we are making sure that our middle-schoolers turn in the right direction, that they are helped with the avalanche of negativity that young people find today, whether it be drugs, whether it be use of cigarettes, et cetera, but the key is to have a community organization that says we have something valuable for you. We have something that will keep you in physical, mental, and in spiritual good health for all ages and all people, and that is what the Ys of the Commonwealth do.

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 ARGALL, STREET, DINNIMAN, BROWNE, RAFFERTY, BREWSTER, TARTAGLIONE, SABATINA, HUGHES and COSTA, by unanimous consent, offered **Senate Resolution No. 415**, entitled:

A Resolution designating June 26, 2018, as "Turkic Cultural Day" in Pennsylvania and recognizing the valuable work of the Council of Turkic American Associations and the Turkish Cultural Center of Pennsylvania.

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

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. 8, Senate Bill No. 172, and move the Senate proceed to consider Senate Bill No. 172, notwithstanding the provisions of Senate Rule 12(m)(2).

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. 8

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS AS AMENDED

SB 172 (Pr. No. 1930) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in general provisions, further providing for definitions; and, in rules of the road in general, further providing for speed timing devices and providing for automated speed enforcement systems in active work zones and establishing a pilot program for automated speed enforcement system on designated highway.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House, as further amended by the Senate, to Senate Bill No. 172?

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. 172.

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

POINT OF ORDER

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

Senator SABATINA. Mr. President, I rise to request a ruling pursuant to Senate Rule 20(c)(2). Mr. President, the law firm in which my father is the principal has a contract with the Philadelphia Parking Authority regarding red light camera enforcement. Senate Bill No. 172, as amended, includes a pilot program for an automated speed enforcement system on Roosevelt Boulevard in Philadelphia. The pilot program is to be administered by the parking authority. My question is whether I am permitted to vote on Senate Bill No. 172 pursuant to Article III, Section 13, of the Pennsylvania Constitution.

Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDENT. Senator, if you will give me a moment, I will give you a ruling.

Senator, the facts as you have laid them out, according to our Rule 20 parameters, is that to truly be in conflict, there must be a particular or special benefit that inures to you as a Senator upon your vote on this legislation. You, not even as a member of the law firm, would not benefit in any special, particular, or specific way, nor is it clear that your father's law firm, related to this legislation, would specifically or particularly benefit from this legislation and your vote. Therefore, in fact, you must vote on this by the parameters of our Senate rules, and specifically Senate Rule 20.

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

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Schuylkill, Senator Argall.

Senator ARGALL. Mr. President, very briefly, I ask everyone for their support. This issue dates to 2014, when Senator Schwank and I met with transportation officials in Berks County to discuss work zone safety and protecting those who work every day to fix our roads and bridges. We have seen terrible accidents on many of our major highways, our interstates, and the Turnpike. There is no doubt in my mind that this bipartisan legislation is going to protect a lot of lives and a lot of jobs. I want to express my thanks to the chairman of the Senate Committee on Transportation, Senator Rafferty, and his co-chair, Senator Sabatina; as well as in the House, my old classmate from the class of 1984, Representative Taylor, and his co-chair, Representative Keller, for their bipartisan efforts. They, along with the executive director of the Committee on Transportation, Nolan Ritchie, and John Hopcraft from my office, have spent an enormous amount of time trying to get this bill right. I thank all of you for your time and patience.

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

Senator SCHWANK. Mr. President, I rise to also affirm Senator Argall's comments on Senate Bill No. 172. I think the genesis of this bill is what is so remarkable about it. We were at a meeting with our District 5 engineer talking about some road projects that Senator Argall and I share, and while we were discussing that, the engineer talked with us about legislation and a program that they had in the State of Maryland that helped to insure worker safety. As a matter of fact, the roads that we were talking about were ones where fatal accidents occurred in construction zones. The more and more we talked about this, we decided then and there this might be legislation that we would like to put forward. Had I known the long road it would take to get here, I guess then I truly understand the work of a State legislator, but it was good work.

I, too, thank not only Senator Argall and our staff who worked on this bill, but Senator Rafferty and Senator Sabatina, who also were really helpful. There was a lot of back and forth with the House, but ultimately, we were able to get something that we can start and see how this works. We have had so many fatal accidents not only with construction workers but also with travelers in highway construction zones. This has to, we hope, make a significant difference in reducing those accidents and fatalities. So, I am looking forward to seeing this get passed, Mr. President. Thank you.

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

Senator RAFFERTY. Mr. President, it is a significant day for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with this piece of legislation moving forward. The cornerstone of any government - State level, county level, local level - is protecting the health, safety, and welfare of its residents. This legislation, by the work zone safety camera legislation, by legislation that the city of Philadelphia has requested, by the additional resources that we have given our Pennsylvania State Police, assures the safety and welfare of those traveling our roadways, and specifically within the work zones, our workers. They deserve the right, their families deserve the right for them to be able to travel to the workplace safely, work in a safe environment, and travel back home safely. We have already had a number of

incidents where vehicles and tractor-trailers have sped through work zones and brushed up against workers. We cannot have this. We cannot have that type, we cannot have the injuries, we cannot have the deaths that we know that we have had here in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. This is a safety measure and it has worked well in other States.

I thank the Pennsylvania State Police, PennDOT, the Turnpike, the labor unions, the contractors, all for their efforts, and I especially thank Senator Argall and Senator Schwank, the prime sponsors, for allowing me the leeway to work on this piece of legislation with Senator Sabatina and our staff. John Hopcraft, from Senator Argall's office, along with Nolan Ritchie, executive director of the Senate Committee on Transportation, and Ryan Boop, chief of staff, were able to work with all the interested parties, including Chairman Taylor of the House Committee on Transportation, to fashion this bill to make sure that our workers and the people traveling on our roadways in Pennsylvania remain safe. I ask for an affirmative vote.

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

Farnese	Leach	Stefano
Folmer	Martin	Street
Fontana	McGarrigle	Tartaglione
Gordner	McIlhinney	Tomlinson
Greenleaf	Mensch	Vogel
Haywood	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Hughes	Regan	Ward
Hutchinson	Reschenthaler	White
Killion	Scarnati	Williams
Langerholc	Scavello	Yaw
Laughlin	Schwank	Yudichak
	Folmer Fontana Gordner Greenleaf Haywood Hughes Hutchinson Killion Langerhole	Folmer Martin Fontana McGarrigle Gordner McIlhinney Greenleaf Mensch Haywood Rafferty Hughes Regan Hutchinson Reschenthaler Killion Scarnati Langerholc Scavello

NAY-4

Alloway Brooks Eichelberger Sabatina

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.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 9

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 530 (Pr. No. 1899) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 9, 1987 (P.L.220, No.39), known as the Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors Act, further providing for definitions, for qualifications for license, for reciprocity, for restriction on the use of title "licensed clinical social worker," for restrictions on the use of title "Licensed Professional Counselor," for penalties and for unlawful practice; and repealing provisions related to appropriation.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 530?

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. 530.

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	DiSanto	Laughlin	Schwank
Argall	Eichelberger	Leach	Stefano
Aument	Farnese	Martin	Street
Baker	Folmer	McGarrigle	Tartaglione
Bartolotta	Fontana	McIlhinney	Tomlinson
Boscola	Gordner	Mensch	Vogel
Brewster	Greenleaf	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Brooks	Haywood	Regan	Ward
Browne	Hughes	Reschenthaler	White
Corman	Hutchinson	Sabatina	Williams
Costa	Killion	Scarnati	Yaw
Dinniman	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 inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

HOUSE MESSAGE

SENATE BILL RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate SB 817, 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.

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 in the rear of the Chamber.

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

AFTER RECESS

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

BILL REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

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

SB 817 (Pr. No. 1910) (Rereported) (Concurrence)

An Act authorizing the Department of General Services to extend the term of a certain lease of real property, being a portion of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Veterans' Center in East Vincent Township, Chester County; authorizing the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, with the approval of the Governor, to grant and convey to Robbie S. Cohen-Millstein certain lands situate in Nockamixon Township, Bucks County, in exchange for Robbie S. Cohen-Millstein granting and conveying certain lands to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, to be added to those existing lands at Delaware Canal State Park; authorizing the Department of General Services, with the concurrence of the Department of Environmental Protection, to lease to Pier 35 1/2 LLC, or its nominee, land within the bed of the Delaware River in the City of Philadelphia; and authorizing the Department of General Services, with the concurrence of the Department of Environmental Protection, to lease to Penn Treaty Views LLC, or its nominee, land within the bed of the Delaware River in the City of Philadelphia; and authorizing the Department of General Services, with the concurrence of the Department of Environmental Protection, to lease to K4 Philadelphia, LLC, or its nominee, land within the bed of the Delaware River in the City of Philadelphia.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 7

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 817 (Pr. No. 1910) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of General Services to extend the term of a certain lease of real property, being a portion of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Veterans' Center in East Vincent Township, Chester County; authorizing the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, with the approval of the Governor, to grant and convey to Robbie S. Cohen-Millstein certain lands situate in Nockamixon Township, Bucks County, in exchange for Robbie S. Cohen-Millstein granting and conveying certain lands to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, to be added to those existing lands at Delaware Canal State Park; authorizing the Department of General Services, with the concurrence of the Department of Environmental Protection, to lease to Pier 35 1/2 LLC, or its nominee, land within the bed of the Delaware River in the City of Philadelphia; and authorizing the Department of General Services, with the concurrence of the Department of Environmental Protection, to lease to Penn Treaty Views LLC, or its nominee, land within the bed of the Delaware River in the City of Philadelphia; and authorizing the Department of General Services, with the concurrence of the Department of Environmental Protection, to lease to K4 Philadelphia, LLC, or its nominee, land within the bed of the Delaware River in the City of Philadelphia.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 817?

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. 817.

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	DiSanto	Laughlin	Schwank
Argall	Eichelberger	Leach	Stefano
Aument	Farnese	Martin	Street
Baker	Folmer	McGarrigle	Tartaglione
Bartolotta	Fontana	McIlhinney	Tomlinson
Boscola	Gordner	Mensch	Vogel
Brewster	Greenleaf	Rafferty	Vulakovich
Brooks	Haywood	Regan	Ward
Browne	Hughes	Reschenthaler	White
Corman	Hutchinson	Sabatina	Williams
Costa	Killion	Scarnati	Yaw
Dinniman	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 inform the House of Representatives accordingly.

BILL ON FIRST CONSIDERATION

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

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The bill was as follows:

SB 1099.

And said bill having been considered for the first time, Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for second consideration.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SECRETARY

The following announcement was read by the Secretary of the Senate:

SENATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

COMMITTEE MEETING

TUESDAY, JULY 17, 2018

9:30 A.M. TRANSPORTATION (public hearing on Act 89 of 2013: The Benefits and Need Mncpl Bldg.

for Transportation Funding)

PETITIONS AND REMONSTRANCES

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

Senator HUTCHINSON. Mr. President, there has been a lot of talk and many meetings recently about the plight of small dairy farmers here in Pennsylvania focusing, unfortunately, on a very real threat to their very existence going forward. Mr. President, I am totally sympathetic to the plight of the family

dairy farmers, and I am engaged in any way possible to help this critical industry and the thousands of families that it sustains as they try to survive and thrive going forward. But, Mr. President, getting far fewer headlines is another very similar crisis facing another group of small mom-and-pop family businesses spread across rural Pennsylvania. Although market prices are a portion of the problem facing conventional oil and gas producers, just like the milk industry, a more menacing, yet ultimately more controllable, negative impact is coming from Pennsylvania State government itself.

Mr. President, hundreds of families depend upon producing conventional oil and gas, like their fathers, grandfathers, and great-grandfathers did. Two refineries and hundreds of jobs depend upon Pennsylvania-grade crude oil, including the 150-plus-year-old ARG Refinery located in Bradford. Unfortunately, Pennsylvania government and our Governor focus upon regulating the conventional oil and gas industry out of existence under the new Marcellus Act 13 regime. Act 13, meant for the new, unconventional industry, has had a devastating impact on the outlook of the traditional oil and gas producers. Ten years ago in 2007, over 4,500 new conventional wells were drilled in Pennsylvania. In 2017, that 4,500 number dropped to a mere 105. The numbers tell the tale. Our mom-and-pop conventional industry is on life support. For the first time ever, the world's oldest oil refinery is paying to transport oil here from New Mexico and Canada, and I ask rhetorically, how long can that be sustained?

Much like Pennsylvania's small family farms, we are talking about multi-generational businesses that cannot move out of the communities where they live and raise their families. Certainly, these families are committed to clean streams and clean land because they will be drinking the water and living in the communities going forward. The conventional drillers have proven their stewardship after nearly 160 years of operation. Mr. President, I stand here proudly representing the most beautiful region of the State, even though our landscape is home to several hundred thousand legacy wells right alongside thousands of miles of exceptional trout streams. The bottom line is this: Our small-producing wells cannot survive a system of laws and regulations written for the high-impact Marcellus Shale industry. Mr. President, today I stand in frustration and sadness that we are leaving here with no separate, commonsense law on the books to responsibly govern the conventional industry. Our Governor refuses to stand up for families as an entire industry withers away because he threatens to veto our bill which would reinstate the conventional oil and gas law to where it was in 2012 before we repealed it with Act 13. I hope and pray that our families can hang on and that there will be a change of heart before we return this fall.

Thank you, Mr. President.

HOUSE MESSAGES

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 1232**, **HB 1851** and **HB 1898**.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILLS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate **SB 1056** and **SB 1091**, 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:

SR 399.

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 22, 2018

HB 1745 -- Committee on Education.

HB 1840 -- Committee on Labor and Industry.

HB 2211 -- Committee on Banking and Insurance.

HB 2212 -- Committee on Health and Human Services.

HB 2488 and 2489 -- Committee on State Government.

BILLS SIGNED

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

SB 431, SB 530, SB 564, SB 817, SB 1002, SB 1056, SB 1091, SB 1101, SB 1142, HB 1232, HB 1851, HB 1898, HB 2078, HB 2079, HB 2080, HB 2081, HB 2082, HB 2083, HB 2084, HB 2085, HB 2086, HB 2121, HB 2242, HB 2243, HB 2244, HB 2245 and HB 2246.

RECESS

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

Senator CORMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now recess to the call of the President pro tempore.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The PRESIDENT. Without objection, the Senate stands in recess until the call of the President pro tempore.

AFTER RECESS

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

HOUSE MESSAGES

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 1124, HB 1644, HB 1677, HB 1738, HB 1929, HB 2067, HB 2468 and HB 2477.

BILLS SIGNED

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

HB 863, HB 994, HB 1124, HB 1419, HB 1448, HB 1644, HB 1677, HB 1738, HB 1782, HB 1929, HB 2067, HB 2468 and HB 2477.

RECESS

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

Senator BROWNE. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now recess to the call of the President pro tempore.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

AFTER RECESS

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

RECESS

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

Senator DiSANTO. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now recess until Wednesday, June 27, 2018, at 12:15 p.m.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The Senate recessed at 10:59 p.m., Eastern Daylight Saving Time.