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SENATE

TUESDAY, June 8, 2021

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

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant Governor John K. Fetterman) in the Chair.

PRAYER

The Chaplain, Reverend BETH HOLZ, of Mt. Olivet United Methodist Church, Bryansville, and Mt. Nebo United Methodist Church, Delta, offered the following prayer:

Let us pray.

God of all peoples and nations, we have gathered in this place at Your invitation to pray for our State Senate. We come from varied backgrounds and political beliefs that often put us at odds with our friends, family, and neighbors. But in this time of prayer, inspire us through Your spirit to be a renewed sense of unity. Move us beyond the things that would divide to keep a deep awareness of all that we share. God of power and might, wisdom and justice, through Your authority is rightly administered. Laws are enacted and judgment is decreed. Assist with Your spirit of counsel and fortitude the Pennsylvania Senate. May they always seek the ways of righteousness, justice, and mercy. Grant that they may be enabled by Your powerful protection to lead our State with honesty and integrity. Today we offer prayers for all who exercise leadership around us. Together, let us pray for the Pennsylvania State Senators. God, grant Your grace to the State Senate Leaders so that they might make wise decisions in matters that will have an impact on the education of the children of our community. In matters that will have an impact on our environment, our safety, how we live and relate to one another. You have empowered our Governor and State legislators to make laws and decrees which manage our daily lives, make our lives safe, and protect us. Please give strength and wisdom to them and guide their decisions, that they may always put love first.

So, Lord, I pray now for those who hold office and try to serve the public good. Bless them, be gracious to them, and help them to tend faithfully to those they lead. Go from this time of prayer into the world to be people of love, justice, peace, and hope, and as the Creator guides and supports you in all that you do. Amen.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair thanks Pastor Holz, who is the guest today of Senator Phillips-Hill.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

HOUSE MESSAGES

HOUSE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE

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

June 7, 2021

HB 150, 176 and 1390 -- Committee on Transportation.

HB 253 -- Committee on Aging and Youth.

HB 1033 -- Committee on Banking and Insurance.

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HB 1024 -- Committee on Law and Justice.

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEES

Senator JUDY WARD, from the Committee on Aging and Youth, reported the following bills:

SB 385 (Pr. No. 868) (Amended)

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176), known as The Fiscal Code, in emergency COVID-19 response, providing for a long-term care facility ventilation grant program.

SB 668 (Pr. No. 756)

An Act amending the act of August 26, 1971 (P.L.351, No.91), known as the State Lottery Law, in pharmaceutical assistance for the elderly, further providing for the Pharmaceutical Assistance Contract for the Elderly Needs Enhancement Tier, for powers of the department and for coordination of benefits.

HB 649 (Pr. No. 1026)

An Act providing for access to congregate care facilities for essential caregivers, for additional safety requirements for residents of congregate care facilities, for suspension of access for essential caregivers and for costs associated with safety measures related to essential caregivers.

Senator TOMLINSON, from the Committee on Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure, reported the following bills:

SB 397 (Pr. No. 870) (Amended)

An Act amending the act of October 5, 1978 (P.L.1109, No.261), known as the Osteopathic Medical Practice Act, further providing for definitions, for State Board of Osteopathic Medicine, for practice of osteopathic medicine and surgery without license prohibited and for licenses, exemptions, nonresident practitioners, graduate students, biennial registration and continuing medical education; and abrogating regulations.

SB 398 (Pr. No. 871) (Amended)

An Act amending the act of December 20, 1985 (P.L.457, No.112), known as the Medical Practice Act of 1985, further providing for definitions, for State Board of Medicine and for physician assistants; and abrogating regulations.

SB 416 (Pr. No. 872) (Amended)

An Act amending the act of May 22, 1951 (P.L.317, No.69), known as The Professional Nursing Law, providing for the definition of "advanced practice registered nurse-certified registered nurse anesthetist"; further providing for registered nurse, clinical nurse specialist, use of title and abbreviation "R.N." or "C.N.S." and credentials and fraud; and providing for certified registered nurse anesthetist and qualifications and for scope of practice for certified registered nurse anesthetists.

Senator HUTCHINSON, from the Committee on Finance, reported the following bills:

SB 368 (Pr. No. 362)

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, in personal income tax, providing for small businesses.

SB 734 (Pr. No. 869) (Amended)

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, in tax credit eligibility, further providing for definitions and for eligibility and providing for application and administration, for assessment, for administering agency training, for broker registration, for tax credit and tax benefit reports, for allocation of tax credits or tax benefit program awarded upon appeal and for guidelines; in research and development tax credit, further providing for credit for research and development expenses, for carryover, carryback, refund and assignment of credit and for report to General Assembly; in keystone innovation zones, further providing for keystone innovation zone tax credits and for annual report; in procedure and administration, further providing for petition for reassessment, for petition procedure and for review by board; and making editorial changes.

Senator DUSH, from the Committee on Local Government, reported the following bills:

SB 673 (Pr. No. 742)

An Act amending the act of May 1, 1933 (P.L.103, No.69), known as The Second Class Township Code, in auditors and accountants, further providing for surcharge by auditors; and, in township manager, further providing for township manager and appointment, removal, powers and duties and compensation and bond.

SB 675 (Pr. No. 746)

An Act amending Title 11 (Cities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in city administrator, further providing for appointment

of city administrator, for employment agreement, for residency and elective city office and for powers and duties; and, in accounts and finances, further providing for powers and duties of chief fiscal officer.

Senator LANGERHOLC, from the Committee on Transportation, reported the following bills:

SB 242 (Pr. No. 209)

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176), known as The Fiscal Code, in general budget implementation, further providing for Motor License Fund.

SB 725 (Pr. No. 824)

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in licensing of drivers, further providing for classes of licenses; and in commercial drivers, further providing for requirement for commercial driver's license.

SB 736 (Pr. No. 840)

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in registration of vehicles, further providing for use of farm vehicle plates.

SB 737 (Pr. No. 841)

An Act amending the act of July 31, 1968 (P.L.805, No.247), known as the Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code, in repeals, further providing for general repeal.

HB 765 (Pr. No. 1420)

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in powers of department and local authorities, further providing for specific powers of department and local authorities.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE

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

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, I request a temporary Capitol leave for Senator Browne.

The PRESIDENT. Senator Kim Ward requests a temporary Capitol leave for Senator Browne. Without objection, the leave will be granted.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

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

JOURNAL APPROVED

The PRESIDENT. The Journal of the Session of March 15, 2021, is now in print.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the Session of March 15, 2021.

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

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

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

YEA-47

Argall	Costa	Martin	Schwank
Aument	DiSanto	Mastriano	Stefano
Baker	Dush	Mensch	Street
Bartolotta	Fontana	Muth	Tomlinson
Boscola	Gordner	Phillips-Hill	Vogel
Brewster	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Judy
Brooks	Hughes	Regan	Ward, Kim
Browne	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Anthony H.
Cappelletti	Kane	Sabatina	Williams, Lindsey
Collett	Kearney	Santarsiero	Yaw
Comitta	Langerholc	Saval	Yudichak
Corman	Laughlin	Scavello	

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 KRISTIN PHILLIPS-HILL
PRESENTED TO THE SENATE**

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from York, Senator Phillips-Hill.

Senator PHILLIPS-HILL. Mr. President, I rise to recognize today's guest Chaplain, Pastor Beth Holz of Mt. Nebo United Methodist Church in Delta, Pennsylvania. Pastor Holz has been with the church since 2014, and the church's mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world. Pastor Holz practices that mission as she is on the board of directors of Mason-Dixon Community Services, where she helps people in the southern York County community who are in need. We are very grateful that Pastor Holz could come to Harrisburg today to pray for this Chamber. Her thoughtful prayer speaks to all of us, particularly as we begin this budget season. Would my colleagues please join me in giving Pastor Holz a warm Senate welcome.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guest of Senator Phillips-Hill please rise to be welcomed by the Senate.

(Applause.)

Senator PHILLIPS-HILL. Mr. President, I also rise today to introduce my guest, Mr. Robert Brick. Robert, or Robby as he is known among his friends, is shadowing me today at the Capitol. Robby is an honor student and incoming junior at Central York High School, and I know you are very fond of the Central York Panthers, being one yourself. In addition to his studies, Robby has a strong passion for soccer. He is on the varsity soccer team at Central York and plays year-round for the FC Ballyhoo Soccer Club team. Next year, Robby will be on student council and plans to spend this summer checking out colleges--including Villanova, Drexel, and Georgetown--with plans to major in law, finance, or engineering. Please join me in giving a warm Senate welcome to Robby Brick and his mother, Sarah, who is seated in the gallery.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guests of Senator Phillips-Hill please rise to be welcomed by the Senate.

(Applause.)

**GUESTS OF SENATOR
CAMERA C. BARTOLOTTA
PRESENTED TO THE SENATE**

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

Senator BARTOLOTTA. Mr. President, I rise to introduce my summer intern. I have a very special guest joining us from the 46th Senatorial District, Veronica Kovach, who is seated in the gallery. Veronica, who is a resident of Speers Borough and a 2018 graduate of Charleroi Area High School, is our intern for the summer working out of the Washington County office. She will be starting her senior year at West Virginia University this coming fall, where she studies political science. She plans on earning her master's in public administration after graduating next spring. Veronica is an active member in Kappa Kappa Gamma at WVU where she serves as risk management chairman. She is very excited to be working in the 46th Senatorial District this summer and looks forward to every opportunity it has yet to bring her.

Mr. President, please join me in extending a very warm Senate welcome to Veronica Kovach.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guest of Senator Bartolotta please rise to be welcomed by the Senate.

(Applause.)

Senator BARTOLOTTA. Mr. President, I also rise to introduce a very special guest who is joining us from the 46th Senatorial District. The 2020 Miss Rain Day, Alison Blair, who is seated in the gallery. Also seated with Alison are her parents, Mike and Laurie Blair, along with pageant representative Jeanine Henry. The annual Miss Rain Day Scholarship Pageant is a popular Greene County summer event. Its history can be traced back to the late 1800s, when a local farmer began keeping a written record of the fact that it always rained on July 29. Thus, in 1979, the first annual Miss Rain Day pageant was held to celebrate this occurrence. The event has the bragging distinction of being the only pageant in the world where it is considered a success if it rains. Rain Day Scholarship Incorporated is an organization formed with the purpose of providing scholarship money to young, local women while providing an opportunity for them to showcase their various talents. This event has become a Greene County tradition for over 30 years.

Alison is a 2020 magna cum laude graduate from Waynesburg Central High School and is currently attending York College majoring in nuclear medicine technologies. Aside from her academics, Alison studied a variety of dance forms at Moschetta's Performing Arts Center including ballet, lyrical, tap, jazz, and contemporary. She was a member of the competitive dance team at Moschetta's for 5 years and a teaching assistant in beginner ballet. As Miss Rain Day, Alison helped kick off Light-Up Night in the downtown Waynesburg area, promoted Small Business Saturday, and was the grand marshal of the Greene County Chamber of Commerce Reverse Christmas parade. Alison was recently named the 2021 healthcare heroes ambassador, a role in which she helped her community honor healthcare heroes and raise money for the Corner Cupboard Food Bank. As Miss Rain

Day, she encourages everyone to believe in themselves and reach for the stars, because you are the only one who can make your dreams come true.

Mr. President, I ask my colleagues to join me in offering a very warm Senate welcome to Miss Rain Day 2020, Alison Blair.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guests of Senator Bartolotta please rise to be welcomed by the Senate.

(Applause.)

**GUEST OF SENATOR
AMANDA M. CAPPELLETTI
PRESENTED TO THE SENATE**

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Montgomery, Senator Cappelletti.

Senator CAPPELLETTI. Mr. President, I rise to introduce a very special guest from the 17th Senatorial District, Sadie Hornung, who has spent the past 4 weeks interning with my office as part of her graduation requirements. She has spent the past 4 weeks working with my community outreach team, as well as my constituents team, getting to know what it means to truly serve. This Friday, she will be graduating from the Shipley School, and in the fall, she will be attending Northeastern University where she intends to study political science and human services. I ask my colleagues to join me in thanking Sadie for joining us here today.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guest of Senator Cappelletti please rise to be welcomed by the Senate.

(Applause.)

RECESS

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

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

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, at the conclusion of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations meeting, Senate Democrats will meet in the rear of the Chamber and via Zoom as well.

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

AFTER RECESS

The PRESIDENT pro tempore (Senator Jacob D. Corman III) in the Chair.

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

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE CANCELLED

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Senator Browne has returned, and his temporary Capitol leave is cancelled.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE

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

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

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Senator Gordner requests a temporary Capitol leave for Senator Yaw. Without objection, the leave will be granted.

RECESS

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

Senator GORDNER. Mr. President, I request a recess of the Senate for the purpose of a meeting of the Committee on Appropriations to be held here on the floor and via Zoom.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. For the purpose of a meeting of the Committee on Appropriations to be held here on the floor and via Zoom, without objection, the Senate stands in recess.

AFTER RECESS

The PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Elder A. Vogel, Jr.) in the Chair.

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

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Allegheny, Senator Fontana.

Senator FONTANA. Mr. President, I request a temporary Capitol leave for Senator Haywood.

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

RECESS

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Westmoreland, Senator Kim Ward.

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, I request a recess of the Senate for the purpose of a meeting of the Committee on Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness to be held here on the floor and via Zoom.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. For the purpose of a meeting of the Committee on Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness to be held here on the floor and via Zoom, without objection, the Senate stands in recess.

AFTER RECESS

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant Governor John K. Fetterman) in the Chair.

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

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE

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

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, I request a legislative leave for Senator Langerholc.

The PRESIDENT. Senator Kim Ward requests a legislative leave for Senator Langerholc. Without objection, the leave will be granted.

CALENDAR

THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 78, HB 101, SB 113, HB 125 and SB 137 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

SB 351 (Pr. No. 353) -- 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, providing for community-engaged schools.

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-46

Argall	Costa	Martin	Schwank
Aument	DiSanto	Mastriano	Stefano
Baker	Dush	Mensch	Street
Bartolotta	Fontana	Muth	Tomlinson
Boscola	Gordner	Phillips-Hill	Vogel
Brewster	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Judy
Brooks	Hughes	Regan	Ward, Kim
Browne	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Anthony H.
Cappelletti	Kane	Sabatina	Williams, Lindsey
Collett	Kearney	Santarsiero	Yaw
Comitta	Langerholc	Saval	Yudichak
Corman	Laughlin	Scavello	

NAY-1

Saval

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 with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 457 and SB 461 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 464 (Pr. No. 1392) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 19, 1990 (P.L.1234, No.204), known as the Family Caregiver Support Act, further providing for title of act, for intent, for definitions, for primary caregiver support program, for reimbursements, for entitlement not created and for enforcement.

Considered the third time and agreed to,
And the amendments made thereto having been printed as required by the Constitution,

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-47

Argall	Costa	Martin	Schwank
Aument	DiSanto	Mastriano	Stefano
Baker	Dush	Mensch	Street
Bartolotta	Fontana	Muth	Tomlinson
Boscola	Gordner	Phillips-Hill	Vogel
Brewster	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Judy
Brooks	Hughes	Regan	Ward, Kim
Browne	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Anthony H.
Cappelletti	Kane	Sabatina	Williams, Lindsey
Collett	Kearney	Santarsiero	Yaw
Comitta	Langerholc	Saval	Yudichak
Corman	Laughlin	Scavello	

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 486, SB 516 and SB 524 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

BILL AMENDED

SB 554 (Pr. No. 581) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 65 (Public Officers) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in open meetings, further providing for public notice and providing for notification of agency business required and exceptions.

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

Senator STEFANO offered the following amendment No. A1520:

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 7 and 8, by striking out all of said lines and inserting:

Section 1. Section 709(d) of Title 65 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended and the section is amended by adding a subsection to read:

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 11 through 19; page 2, lines 1 through 11; by striking out all of said lines on said pages and inserting:

(c.1) Notification of agency business to be considered.--

(1) In addition to any public notice required under this section, an agency shall provide the following notification of agency business to be considered at a meeting as follows:

(i) If the agency has a publicly accessible Internet website, the agency shall post the agenda, which includes a listing of each matter of agency business that will be or may be the subject of deliberation or official action at the meeting, on the website no later than 24 hours in advance of the time of the convening of the meeting.

(ii) The agency shall post the agenda, which includes a listing of each matter of agency business that will be or may be the subject of deliberation or official action at the meeting, at the location of the meeting and at the principal office of the agency.

(iii) The agency shall make available to individuals in attendance at the meeting copies of the agenda, which include a listing of each matter of agency business that will be or may be the subject of deliberation or official action at the meeting.

(2) This subsection shall not apply to a conference or a working session under section 707 (relating to exceptions to open meetings) or an executive session under section 708 (relating to executive sessions).

(d) Meetings of General Assembly in Capitol Complex.--Notwithstanding any provision of this section to the contrary, in case of sessions of the General Assembly, all meetings of legislative committees held within the Capitol Complex where bills are considered, including conference committees, all legislative hearings held within the Capitol Complex where testimony is taken and all meetings of legislative commissions held within the Capitol Complex, the requirement for public notice thereof shall be complied with if, not later than the preceding day:

(1) The supervisor of the newsroom of the State Capitol Building in Harrisburg is supplied for distribution to the members of the Pennsylvania Legislative Correspondents Association with a minimum of 30 copies of the notice of the date, time and place of each session, meeting or hearing[.] or the notice is provided via electronic means to an email address designated by the Pennsylvania Legislative Correspondents Association.

(2) There is a posting of the copy of the notice at public places within the Main Capitol Building designated by the Secretary of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives or the notice is posted on the publicly accessible Internet website of the General Assembly.

Amend Bill, page 3, lines 15 through 25, by striking out all of said lines and inserting:

(e) Changes to agenda.--

(1) Upon majority vote of the individuals present and voting during the conduct of a meeting, an agency may add a matter of agency business to the agenda. The reasons for the changes to the agenda shall be announced at the meeting before any vote is conducted to make the changes to the agenda. The agency may subsequently take official action on the matter added to the agenda. The agency shall post the amended agenda on the agency's publicly accessible Internet website, if available, and at the agency's principal office location no later than the first business day following the meeting at which the agenda was changed.

(2) This subsection shall not apply to a conference or a working session under section 707 (relating to exceptions to open meetings) or an executive session under section 708 (relating to executive sessions).

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

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

Senator STEFANO. Mr. President, this is a technical amendment which clarifies that the agenda posting requirements in the bill do not apply to Executive Session, a conference, or other working Sessions. Further, it would allow the General Assembly to email the Pennsylvania Legislative Correspondents' Association as an alternative to delivering hard copies for notifications of Session, meetings, and hearings, and to post the notice on the General Assembly's publicly accessible Website instead of hard copies in the Main Capitol Building.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

It was agreed to.

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

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 561 and SB 563 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

BILL AMENDED

SB 618 (Pr. No. 712) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for vaccinations.

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

PHILLIPS-HILL AMENDMENT A1435

Senator PHILLIPS-HILL offered the following amendment No. A1435:

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 10 and 11, by striking out all of line 10 and "5902" in line 11 and inserting:
5901

Amend Bill, page 1, line 12, by striking out "5903" and inserting:
5902

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 13 through 17; page 2, lines 1 through 14; by striking out all of said lines on said pages

Amend Bill, page 2, line 15, by striking out "5902" and inserting:
5901

Amend Bill, page 2, lines 19 through 24, by striking out all of said lines

Amend Bill, page 3, line 4, by striking out "5903" and inserting:
5902

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

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from York, Senator Phillips-Hill.

Senator PHILLIPS-HILL. Mr. President, this amendment is purely technical. I appreciate the Members' consideration and adoption.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

The yeas and nays were required by Senator PHILLIPS-HILL and were as follows, viz:

YEA-46

Argall	DiSanto	Mastriano	Schwank
Aument	Dush	Mensch	Stefano
Baker	Fontana	Muth	Street
Bartolotta	Gordner	Phillips-Hill	Tomlinson
Boscola	Haywood	Pittman	Vogel
Brewster	Hughes	Regan	Ward, Judy
Brooks	Hutchinson	Robinson	Ward, Kim
Browne	Kane	Sabatina	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Kearney	Santarsiero	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Langerholc	Saval	Yaw
Corman	Laughlin	Scavello	Yudichak
Costa	Martin		

NAY-1

Cappelletti

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

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

REGAN AMENDMENT A1494

Senator REGAN offered the following amendment No. A1494:

Amend Bill, page 2, by inserting between lines 29 and 30:
"Institution of higher education." A postsecondary institution of higher education receiving State funding through the annual appropriations process.

Amend Bill, page 3, line 5, by inserting after "entity":
or institution of higher education

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

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

Senator REGAN. Mr. President, this amendment adds State-funded institutions of higher education to the list of entities that cannot require proof of COVID-19 vaccination. Further, the amendment defines an institution of higher education as a postsecondary institution of higher education receiving State funding through the annual appropriations process. This amendment aims to encompass institutions including our State-related and PASSHE schools, which are reliant upon the millions of taxpayer dollars appropriated to them each and every year. My amendment is in response to students and parents who do not want to

be forced to make personal health decisions that could have life-long ramifications due to the unknowns surrounding the COVID-19 vaccination in order to receive an education that is costing them many thousands of dollars. It should also be noted that even Federal law dictates that individuals have the option to accept or refuse administration of a product authorized for emergency use, which is how the COVID-19 vaccines have been authorized. Therefore, I respectfully ask my colleagues' support for a "yes" vote.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, I rise and ask for a negative vote on this amendment. I think it is a very broad and far-encompassing amendment that impacts, certainly, our State-related and State system schools; but it goes far beyond that in many other areas, into the private universities and colleges with respect to, for example, grants that are designed to help students. So the very students who we are trying to protect and provide support for--the institutional advancement grants, or the IAG grants, that we give annually to most universities are given to the universities, not necessarily per se to the students themselves. That is just one example of the concerns I have with respect to this amendment as it encompasses far too much given what is trying to be achieved through the underlying legislation. Thank you.

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

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

YEA-28

Argall	DiSanto	Mastriano	Stefano
Aument	Dush	Mensch	Tomlinson
Baker	Gordner	Phillips-Hill	Vogel
Bartolotta	Hutchinson	Pittman	Ward, Judy
Brooks	Langerholc	Regan	Ward, Kim
Browne	Laughlin	Robinson	Yaw
Corman	Martin	Scavello	Yudichak

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Boscola	Costa	Kearney	Schwank
Brewster	Fontana	Muth	Street
Cappelletti	Haywood	Sabatina	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hughes	Santarsiero	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kane	Saval	

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

And the question recurring,
Will the Senate agree to the bill on third consideration, as amended?

J. WARD AMENDMENT A1518

Senator J. WARD offered the following amendment No. A1518:

Amend Bill, page 1, line 2, by inserting after "vaccinations": and for disease prevention and control
Amend Bill, page 1, line 6, by striking out "a chapter" and inserting:

chapters

Amend Bill, page 3, by inserting between lines 8 and 9:

CHAPTER 60

DISEASE PREVENTION AND CONTROL

Sec.

6001. Duties of Secretary of Health.

§ 6001. Duties of Secretary of Health.

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, including the act of April 23, 1956 (1955 P.L.1510, No.500), known as the Disease Prevention and Control Law of 1955, the Secretary of Health may not order or otherwise require a closure or order or otherwise require an individual that has not been exposed or potentially exposed to a contagious disease to do any of the following:

- (1) Physically distance from other individuals.
- (2) Wear a universal face covering.
- (3) Conduct a specific hygienic practice.
- (4) Shelter in place, quarantine or isolate from other individuals.
- (5) Restrict travel.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the amendment?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Blair, Senator Judy Ward.

Senator J. WARD. Mr. President, today we take another step in taking back our rights that have been so severely compromised during the last 15 months. My amendment prohibits the Secretary of Health from using laws such as the Disease Prevention and Control Law to mandate those who have not been exposed or in close contact with the exposed to wear a mask, stay at home, and be socially distant. It also prevents the Secretary from using the same laws as a way to unilaterally shutter employers. Nothing in this amendment prevents the Secretary from being able to protect the health and well-being of Pennsylvanians. Rather, the amendment simply prevents one person from unilaterally throwing tens of thousands of citizens out of work, barring children from school, and spending millions of taxpayer dollars. If the Department of Health truly believes that steps such as these are necessary, the Secretary will need to make the case to the General Assembly as to why these things may be needed. Public health and safety are critically important, and those kinds of decisions should not be made in a vacuum by someone who is not elected by the people. We must work together to develop policies that protect lives and livelihoods.

The year-long, and counting, COVID-19 pandemic has been a wake-up call on many fronts in Pennsylvania, especially in how we responded to the long-term crisis. At the onset, we tried to avoid the devastation that the pandemic wreaked in Italy and other nations, but Pennsylvania has been extremely slow in restoring personal freedoms since. The Disease Prevention and Control Act has been used as a nearly absolute power to take away any action they want, regardless of the opinion of State lawmakers, local and county officials, or the public. Our only recourse is to pass legislation that, in the end, will force administrations to work collaboratively with lawmakers to avoid the kind of negative consequences we have seen during the COVID-19 pandemic. When it comes to limits on civil liberties, I think more voices representing the will of the people make for better emer-

gency response and a more enduring freedom. I urge my colleagues to join me in supporting this amendment.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, I rise also to oppose this amendment. Let us be clear, it is a very far-reaching amendment that severely limits the ability of our secretaries of health to be able to manage a situation; in this case, what we have managed with respect to an emergency declaration dealing with the COVID-19 pandemic. I think many folks across this country and many other places--maybe not necessarily in some of your districts, but in the district I represent and the areas we represent--I think the role of the Secretary of Health in protecting Pennsylvania citizens has done a good job in that regard. But most importantly, when we talk about the reference that decisions were made in isolation, I look to the situation with the vaccine task force as a shining example of four caucuses working together with the Governor, working with the Secretary of Health, to implement a vaccination plan as well as the countless numbers of meetings and phone conversations that we have had over the course of the last 16 months where the Secretary of Health has been instrumental in recommending things they were going to do in consultation with Members of the leadership team from the Senate Republicans, House Republicans, Senate Democrats, and House Democrats, along with the Governor. Those conversations existed and decisions were made in reference to them as we went forward.

At this moment in time, after we have already stripped the Governor of his authority to manage emergency declarations, we know what is going on over in the House, as we speak, that may bring all of this to an end. At the end of the day, we are simply adding an amendment that has had no public hearings and no opportunity for the Secretary of Health to communicate to us what should be done, if we are even thinking about limiting the authority of the Secretary of Health under the Infectious Disease Act. My view is that this is something that warrants more of a detailed conversation as we go forward in terms of discussing whether or not this is even appropriate. But let us not take these steps just for the sake of saying we are going to take these steps and eliminate and restrict the power and authority of a Secretary of Health who has been working very hard. When you talk about not being an elected official, I look to the CDC leadership in Washington, D.C., who have given us tremendous guidance. Those are not elected officials, yet they deal with the issues across this country and make recommendations, and many folks on the other side of the aisle have said to me, we have to follow CDC guidelines. That is everything we have heard over the course of the past 14 months. Let us follow CDC guidelines because those are the right ones. That is not an elected official who is putting forth those guidelines. My recommendation to all of our Members right now is that we pause, not do this amendment, and move forward with the conversation about what we need to do as we go forward in the coming weeks and months to how we deal with the Secretary of Health situation. Particularly now, knowing what is going to happen as we go forward if, in fact, the House does pass a resolution that may make its way here with respect to ending the declaration. This discussion should be held in the realm of that conversation about where we are going to be at, maybe by the end of this week. I ask for a negative vote.

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

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, Senator Judy Ward made a very compelling argument for this amendment and I ask for a "yes" vote on her amendment. Thank you.

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

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

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Argall	DiSanto	Mastriano	Stefano
Aument	Dush	Mensch	Tomlinson
Baker	Gordner	Phillips-Hill	Vogel
Bartolotta	Hutchinson	Pittman	Ward, Judy
Brooks	Langerholc	Regan	Ward, Kim
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Boscola	Costa	Kearney	Schwank
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Cappelletti	Haywood	Sabatina	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hughes	Santarsiero	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kane	Saval	

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 K. WARD.

SECOND CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

SB 1 (Pr. No. 839) -- 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, providing for advertising and for mandate waiver program; in pupils and attendance, providing for transfer of attendance records to another school entity or nonpublic school; in terms and courses of study, further providing for agreements with institutions of higher education; in opportunities for educational excellence, further providing for definitions and for concurrent enrollment agreements; in charter schools, further providing for definitions, for powers of charter schools, for charter school requirements and for powers of board of trustees, providing for duties of administrators, further providing for establishment of charter school, establishing the Public Charter School Commission and providing for application process, further providing for regional charter school, for contents of application, for term and form of charter, for State Charter School Appeal Board, for facilities, for enrollment, for school staff and for funding for charter schools, providing for fee prohibition, further providing for tort liability, for causes for nonrenewal or termination, for multiple charter school organizations, for charter school grants, for provisions applicable to charter schools, for powers and duties of department, for cyber charter school requirements and prohibitions, for school district and intermediate unit responsibilities, for establishment of cyber charter school, for State Charter School Appeal Board review and for applicability of other provisions of this act and of other acts and regulations; and, in educational tax credits, further providing for definitions, for qualification and application by organizations, for

application by business firms, for tax credits, for limitations and for opportunity scholarships.

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

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 104 and **HB 108** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

BILL OVER IN ORDER AND LAID ON THE TABLE

SB 168 (Pr. No. 253) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 18, 2001 (P.L.949, No.114), known as the Workforce Development Act, in industry partnerships, further providing for definitions, for industry clusters, for interdepartmental cooperation and for industry and labor market research and providing for dissemination of industry and labor market research to educational institutions.

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

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

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 194, SB 236, SB 305 and SB 312 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION AND REREFERRED

SB 324 (Pr. No. 850) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in pupils and attendance, providing for assisting students experiencing education instability.

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

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

BILL OVER IN ORDER

HB 416 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

SB 423 (Pr. No. 854) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 71 (State Government) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in membership, credited service, classes of service, and eligibility for benefits relating to retirement for State employees and officers, further providing for mandatory and optional membership in the system and participation in the plan; and, in benefits, further providing for termination of annuities.

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

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 431, SB 435, SB 455 and SB 463 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION AND REREFERRED

SB 465 (Pr. No. 852) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act providing for the Agricultural Conservation Assistance Program and imposing powers and duties on the State Conservation Commission.

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

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

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 480, SB 519, SB 562, SB 588, SB 597, SB 617, SB 620, SB 671, SB 689, SB 703, SB 704, SB 733 and HB 854 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

BILL LAID ON THE TABLE

HB 951 (Pr. No. 1335) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in limitation of time, further providing for infancy, insanity or imprisonment; in matters affecting government units, further providing for exceptions to sovereign immunity and for exceptions to governmental immunity; waiving sovereign immunity and governmental immunity; and making a related repeal.

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

HB 951 TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, I move that House Bill No. 951, Printer's No. 1335, 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.

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

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

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF NORRISTOWN STATE HOSPITAL

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Norristown State Hospital, to serve until January 17, 2023, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Raymond Catton, Phoenixville, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF NURSING

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Nursing, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Robert Ames, Coaldale, deceased.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF NURSING

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Nursing, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Jason Owen, Erie, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS
OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Margaret Matisko, Wilkes-Barre, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS
OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice William McIlwaine, Millersville, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS
OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr. (Public Member), 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of State Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Anita Lahr, Shippensburg, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OCCUPATIONAL
THERAPY EDUCATION AND LICENSURE**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Occupational Therapy Education and Licensure, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice William Jones, South Abington Township, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OCCUPATIONAL
THERAPY EDUCATION AND LICENSURE**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Occupational Therapy Education and Licensure, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Richard Turner, Mercer, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Optometry, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Lisa Hegedus, Jeannette, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Optometry, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Brian Fill, Tarentum, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr. (Public Member), 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Optometry, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Marla Wasson, Lewisberry, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD
OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Osteopathic Medicine, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Thomas Stephenson, Milford, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD
OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Osteopathic Medicine, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Joanne Coolen, Hershey, deceased.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA PAROLE BOARD

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane,

Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Parole Board, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than ninety days beyond that period, vice Leslie Grey, Erie, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Pharmacy, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Kishor Mehta, Gibsonia, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD
OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Physical Therapy, to serve until October 2, 2021, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Gary Coburn, Mechanicsburg, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD
OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Physical Therapy, to serve until October 2, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Marybeth Lehman, Indiana, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
THE UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH OF THE
COMMONWEALTH SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Betsy Phillips, 3607 North Fourth Street, Harrisburg 17110, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of [data missing] University of Pittsburgh of the Commonwealth System of Higher Education, to serve until October 5, 2022, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Kevin Washo, Philadelphia, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PODIATRY

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of State Board of Podiatry, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Edward Snell, Pittsburgh, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PODIATRY

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr. (Public Member), 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Podiatry, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Barbara Wiggin, Mechanicsburg, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF POLK CENTER**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Polk Center, to serve until January 19, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice James Culbertson, Franklin, deceased.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF POLK CENTER**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Polk Center, to serve until January 21, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Jack Kyle, Franklin, deceased.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF POLK CENTER**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Polk Center, to serve until January 19, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Eleanora Miller, Grove City, deceased.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF POLK CENTER**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Polk Center, to serve until January 21, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Jayne Romero, Titusville, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Registration Board for Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors and Geologists, to serve until October 1, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice David Pennoni, Havertown, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Registration Board for Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors and Geologists, to serve until March 27, 2023, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Elizabeth Catania, Woodlyn, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Registration Board for Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors and Geologists, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Joseph Mackey, Mount Bethel, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Real Estate Commission, to serve for a term of five years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Alexis Barbieri, Philadelphia, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr. (Public Member), 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Real Estate Commission, to serve for a term of five years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Joyce Haas, State College, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF
CERTIFIED REAL ESTATE APPRAISERS**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Certified Real Estate Appraisers, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Kurt Brink, Milford, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF
CERTIFIED REAL ESTATE APPRAISERS**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated

February 26, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Certified Real Estate Appraisers, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Donna Rovito, Allentown, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**REGISTER OF WILLS AND RECORDER,
INDIANA COUNTY**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Register of Wills and Recorder, in and for the County of Indiana, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice Patricia Streams-Warman, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEE
RETIREMENT COMMISSION**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Public Employee Retirement Commission, to serve until October 27, 2021, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Christ Zervanos, Harrisburg, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

SHERIFF, CAMBRIA COUNTY

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Sheriff, in and for the County of Cambria, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice Robert Kolar, deceased.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Teniola Osundeko, Harrisburg, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Jennifer Easter, Lebanon, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
SOUTH MOUNTAIN RESTORATION CENTER**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of South Mountain Restoration Center, to serve until January 21, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice William Shank, Chambersburg, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 669

Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Examiners in Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Trudy Mosey, Pittsburgh, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE STATE TAX
EQUALIZATION BOARD**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Tax Equalization Board, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Anthony Pinizzotto, Johnstown, deceased.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE STATE
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Transportation Commission, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Robert Pease, Pittsburgh, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE STATE
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Transportation Commission, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Charles Martin, Doylestown, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE STATE
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Transportation Commission, to serve until June 18, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice John Mast, Telford, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Brian Bentley, Newtown, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Frank Snyder, Reynoldsville, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Victoria S. Madden, Esquire (Public Member), 1056 Brandt Avenue, Lemoyne 17043, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice James Minor, Greensboro, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Lance Alexander, Blairsville, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr. (Public Member), 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Rene Barczak, Philadelphia, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD
OF VETERINARY MEDICINE**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Veterinary Medicine, to serve for a term of four years, and until the

successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Glenda Brion, West Chester, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD
OF VETERINARY MEDICINE**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Veterinary Medicine, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Meredith Odato Graham, Pittsburgh, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF WARREN STATE HOSPITAL**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Warren State Hospital, to serve until January 21, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice William McCarthy, Erie, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF WARREN STATE HOSPITAL**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Warren State Hospital, to serve until January 21, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Burt Alexander, Warren, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
WERNERSVILLE STATE HOSPITAL**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of the Trustees of Wernersville State Hospital, to serve until January 17, 2023, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Kenneth Harting, Wernersville, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
WERNERSVILLE STATE HOSPITAL**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Wernersville [data missing] Hospital, to serve until January 21, 2025, [data missing] until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Ivan Torres, Reading, deceased.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Western Youth Development Centers, to serve until the third Tuesday of January 2023, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice the Honorable Gerald LaValle, Harrisburg, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Western Youth Development Centers, to serve until the third Tuesday of January

2023, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Thomas Fee, New Castle, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Western Youth Development Centers, to serve until the third Tuesday of January 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Joseph Fragle, Sharon, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Western Youth Development Centers, to serve until the third Tuesday of January 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Loretta Hogans, New Castle, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

**MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF WHITE HAVEN CENTER**

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of White Haven Center, to serve until January 17, 2023, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Richard J. Cortese, Pocono Lake, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE WORKERS'
COMPENSATION APPEAL BOARD

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Workers' Compensation Appeal Board, to serve until January 17, 2023, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Susan McDermott, Philadelphia, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Allegheny, Magisterial District 05-2-04, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Elissa Lang, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Allegheny, Magisterial District 05-2-19, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Blaise P. Larotonda, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the

County of Allegheny, Magisterial District 05-2-42, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Robert P. Ravenstahl, Jr., resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Beaver, Magisterial District 36-2-02, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Tim Finn, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Chester, Magisterial District 15-1-01, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Bret Binder, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Chester, Magisterial District 15-4-01, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Analisa Sondergaard, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Dauphin, Magisterial District 12-3-05, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Lowell Witmer, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Dauphin, Magisterial District 12-3-05, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Lowell Witmer, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Lebanon, Magisterial District 52-2-01, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Thomas M. Capello, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Monroe, Magisterial District 43-3-02, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Cyril D. Higgins, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Washington, Magisterial District 27-3-06, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Traci McDonald-Kemp, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

June 1, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 26, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Wayne, Magisterial District 22-3-04, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Ronald J. Edwards, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

NOMINATIONS RETURNED TO THE GOVERNOR

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

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

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

UNFINISHED BUSINESS BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEES

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

SB 255 (Pr. No. 230)

An Act to provide appropriations from the General Fund for the expenses of the Executive, Legislative and Judicial Departments of the Commonwealth, the public debt and the public schools for the fiscal year July 1, 2021, to June 30, 2022, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021; to provide appropriations from special funds and accounts to the Executive and Judicial Departments for the fiscal year July 1, 2021, to June 30, 2022, and for the payment of bills remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021; to provide for the appropriation of Federal funds to the Executive and Judicial Departments for the fiscal year July 1, 2021, to June 30, 2022, and for the payment of bills remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021; and to provide for the additional appropriation of Federal and State funds to the Executive and Judicial Departments for the fiscal year July 1, 2020, to June 30, 2021, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020.

SB 256 (Pr. No. 231)

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, 2021, to June 30, 2022, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021.

SB 257 (Pr. No. 232)

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, 2021, to June 30, 2022, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021.

SB 258 (Pr. No. 235)

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.

SB 259 (Pr. No. 236)

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, 2021, to June 30, 2022, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021.

SB 260 (Pr. No. 237)

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, 2021, to June 30, 2022.

SB 261 (Pr. No. 238)

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.

SB 262 (Pr. No. 239)

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.

SB 263 (Pr. No. 240)

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, 2021, to June 30, 2022, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021.

SB 264 (Pr. No. 241)

An Act making appropriations from the Philadelphia Taxicab and Limousine Regulatory Fund and the Philadelphia Taxicab Medallion Fund to the Philadelphia Parking Authority for the fiscal year July 1, 2021, to June 30, 2022.

SB 265 (Pr. No. 242)

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.

SB 266 (Pr. No. 243)

A Supplement to the act of July 28, 1966 (3rd Sp.Sess., P.L.87, No.3), entitled "An act providing for the establishment and operation of the University of Pittsburgh as an instrumentality of the Commonwealth to serve as a State-related university in the higher education system of the Commonwealth; providing for change of name; providing for the composition of the board of trustees; terms of trustees, and the power and duties of such trustees; authorizing appropriations in amounts to be fixed annually by the General Assembly; providing for the auditing of accounts of expenditures from said appropriations; providing for public support and capital improvements; authorizing the issuance of bonds exempt from taxation within the Commonwealth; requiring the chancellor to make an annual report of the operations of the University of Pittsburgh," 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.

SB 267 (Pr. No. 244)

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

SB 268 (Pr. No. 245)

A Supplement to the act of July 7, 1972 (P.L.743, No.176), entitled "An act providing for the establishment and operation of Lincoln University as an instrumentality of the Commonwealth to serve as a State-related institution in the higher education system of the Commonwealth; providing for change of name; providing for the composition of the board of trustees; terms of trustees, and the power and duties of such trustees; providing for preference to Pennsylvania residents in tuition; authorizing appropriations in amounts to be fixed annually by the General Assembly; providing for the auditing of accounts of expenditures from said appropriations; providing for public support and capital improvements; authorizing the issuance of bonds exempt from taxation within the Commonwealth; requiring the President to make an annual

report of the operations of Lincoln University," making an appropriation for carrying the same into effect; providing for a basis for payments of the appropriation; providing for a method of accounting for the funds appropriated; and providing for certain fiscal information disclosure.

SB 269 (Pr. No. 246)

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

SB 291 (Pr. No. 294)

An Act providing for the capital budget for the fiscal year 2021-2022 and for limitation on redevelopment assistance capital projects; and making a related repeal.

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

SB 578 (Pr. No. 624)

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in taxation and finance, further providing for exemptions and special provisions.

SB 739 (Pr. No. 874) (Amended)

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in Commonwealth services, further providing for definitions and for assistance to fire companies and EMS companies.

SB 740 (Pr. No. 847)

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in emergency medical services system, further providing for support of emergency medical services.

BILLS ON FIRST CONSIDERATION

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

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The bills were as follows:

SB 242, SB 255, SB 256, SB 257, SB 258, SB 259, SB 260, SB 261, SB 262, SB 263, SB 264, SB 265, SB 266, SB 267, SB 268, SB 269, SB 291, SB 368, SB 385, SB 397, SB 398, SB 416, SB 578, SB 668, SB 673, SB 675, SB 725, SB 734, SB 736, SB 737, SB 739, SB 740, HB 649 and HB 765.

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SECRETARY

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

SENATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9, 2021

Off the Floor	VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS (to consider House Resolution No. 106)	Senate Chamber (LIVE STREAMED)
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THURSDAY, JUNE 10, 2021

11:00 A.M.	LABOR AND INDUSTRY (public hearing to discuss Senate Bill No. 320)	Hrg. Rm. 1 North Off. (LIVE STREAMED)
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THURSDAY, JUNE 17, 2021

9:30 A.M.	VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS (S) and VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS (H) (joint public hearing on Pennsylvania's veterans home care and COVID-19 mitigation protocols)	Room 515 Irvis Off.
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PETITIONS AND REMONSTRANCES

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

Senator KANE. Mr. President, Philadelphia, Erie, East Norriton, Mohnton, McKees Rocks, Tobyhanna, these are the cities and sites of mass shootings in Pennsylvania this year. There have been 146 fatal mass shootings in America since New Year's Day. One hundred forty-six mass shootings in 159 days. Nearly one mass shooting every single day. Some communities have seen over a dozen. If I were to read the names of all 146 of these cities, it would take almost 4 minutes. Every single one of these shootings, both in Pennsylvania and in the rest of the country, contributes to the epidemic of gun violence in this country. Those shootings have claimed the lives of 294 people and injured over 1,000, and those numbers only include shootings with at least 4 victims. They do not include the deaths by gun suicide, the deaths from domestic violence incidents that escalated to violent shootings, and the deaths from individual gun homicides. We need to do something to prevent these needless and senseless deaths. This Chamber has legislation we could take up tomorrow. Legislation with broad, bipartisan support by Pennsylvanians to keep our communities safe, to protect the lives of Pennsylvanians.

Today, I am thinking about the families of victims lost to gun violence who yesterday were forced to relive their own pain and suffering and watch a rally full of weapons that looked more like they belonged on the battlefield than a State legislature. These families deserve better. Their victims deserve better. We all deserve to live without the fear of gun violence. I am tired of empty statements; I am tired of thoughts and prayers. It is long past time for this body to show some courage and act.

Thank you, Mr. President.

BILL INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

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

June 8, 2021

Senators FONTANA, SCAVELLO, COSTA, HUGHES, YUDICHAK, KEARNEY, VOGEL, SCHWANK and BREWSTER presented to the Chair **SB 750**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of November 24, 2004 (P.L.1270, No.153), referred to as the Pennsylvania Amber Alert System Law, establishing the Pennsylvania Green Alert System; and further providing for immunity.

Which was committed to the Committee on LAW AND JUSTICE, June 8, 2021.

RECESS

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

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now recess until Wednesday, June 9, 2021, at 12 m., Eastern Daylight Saving Time, unless sooner recalled by the President pro tempore.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The Senate recessed at 4:55 p.m., Eastern Daylight Saving Time.