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SENATE

WEDNESDAY, March 30, 2022

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 SHARON STOKES, of Stokes Ministry, Tamaqua, offered the following prayer:

Let us pray.

Father in Heaven, we thank You for this day. We thank You for bringing our Senate together. Lord, we pray for a good day. We pray for guidance and understanding. We pray for everyone in this Chamber to have an open mind, to listen to each other with understanding and grace, to accomplish the work that needs to be done. Lord, we ask You to give them the wisdom to make the best decisions for the people of this Commonwealth. We ask that You give them guidance as they make tough decisions for us. We thank You, Lord, for all that You do. We ask this all in Jesus' name. Amen.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair thanks Pastor Stokes, who is the guest today of Senator Argall.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR

**RECALL COMMUNICATIONS
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE**

The PRESIDENT laid before the Senate the following communications in writing from His Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which were read as follows and referred to the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations:

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF CRANE OPERATORS

February 22, 2022

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 8, 2022, of Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Forty-eighth Senatorial District, for appoint-

ment as a member of the State Board of Crane Operators, to serve until December 8, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Daniel Haulman, Lebanon, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

March 11, 2022

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 8, 2022, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-second Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Education, to serve until October 1, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Nicole Carnicella, Bellefonte, whose term expired and whose last day was April 23, 2021.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

March 11, 2022

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 8, 2022, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Education, to serve until October 1, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Jay Badams, Erie, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA GAME COMMISSION

March 18, 2022

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 8, 2022, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr. (District 8), 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Game Commission, 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 Hoover, Glenolden, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

NOMINATIONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

The PRESIDENT laid before the Senate the following communications in writing from His Excellency, the Governor of the Commonwealth, which were read as follows and referred to the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations:

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
PHILADELPHIA COUNTY

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Anne Gingrich Cornick, Esquire, 2311 Briarcliff Road, Harrisburg 17104, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Philadelphia County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Frederica Massiah-Jackson, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
PHILADELPHIA COUNTY

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Victoria S. Madden, Esquire, 1056 Brandt Avenue, Lemoyne 17043, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Philadelphia County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Jeffrey Minehart, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
PHILADELPHIA COUNTY

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Mary K. Topper, Esquire, 232 Sylvania Avenue, Glenside 19038, Montgomery County, Fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Philadelphia County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Diane Thompson, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
YORK COUNTY

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Anne Gingrich Cornick, Esquire, 2311 Briarcliff Road, Harrisburg 17104, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, York County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Michael Bortner, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD
OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Landscape Architects, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Megan Carpenter, Beaver, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD
OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Landscape Architects, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Gregory Black, Mechanicsburg, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Massage Therapy, to serve until October 9, 2023, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Shea Rhodes, Philadelphia, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF MEDICINE

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of 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 Keith Loiselle, Gibsonia, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF MEDICINE

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Forty-eighth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of 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 Nirmal Joshi, Mechanicsburg, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA MINORITY
BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Minority Business Development Authority, to serve until June 2, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Robert Agbede, Pittsburgh, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE MUNICIPAL POLICE OFFICERS'
EDUCATION AND TRAINING COMMISSION

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky, 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Municipal Police Officers' Education and Training Commission, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Jarrad Berkihiser, Lancaster, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF NORRISTOWN STATE HOSPITAL

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky, 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, Dauphin County, Fifteenth 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 EXAMINERS
OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS *[sic]*

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky, 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators *[sic]*, to serve until November 16, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice James Shaddock, Warren Center, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS
OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Forty-eighth 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

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, 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

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr. (Public Member), 3115 Wayland Road, 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, Shippenville, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF NURSING

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, 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 Robert Ames, Coaldale, deceased.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF NURSING

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Forty-eighth 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 OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY EDUCATION AND LICENSURE

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, 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 William Jones, South Abington Township, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY EDUCATION AND LICENSURE

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Forty-eighth 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

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Forty-eighth 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

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, 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

February 15, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr. (Public Member), 3115 Wayland Road, 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 CRANE OPERATORS

February 22, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Steven Kuncelman, 122 Clair Kuncelman Lane, Ebensburg 15931, Cambria County, Thirty-fifth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Crane Operators, to serve until December 8, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Daniel Haulman, Lebanon, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

BRIGADIER GENERAL,
PENNSYLVANIA AIR NATIONAL GUARD

March 1, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Colonel Raymond Hyland, Jr., 700 Williamsburg Court, Cranberry Township 16066, Butler County, Twenty-first Senatorial District, for a Certificate of Eligibility to Brigadier General, LINE, with assignment as Chief of Staff, Headquarters, Pennsylvania Air National Guard, to serve until terminated, vice Brigadier General Mark Goodwill, retired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

BRIGADIER GENERAL,
PENNSYLVANIA AIR NATIONAL GUARD

March 1, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Colonel Richard F. McMullen, 195 McMullen Lane, Colver 15927, Cambria County, Thirty-fifth Senatorial District, for a Certificate of Eligibility to Brigadier General, LINE, with assignment as NGAP Assistant, Headquarters, Pennsylvania Air National Guard, to serve until terminated, vice Brigadier General Benjamin Cason, retired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MAJOR GENERAL,
PENNSYLVANIA AIR NATIONAL GUARD

March 1, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Brigadier General Terrence L. Koudelka, Jr., 619 South Market Street, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for a Certificate of Eligibility to Major General, LINE, with assignment as Assistant Adjutant General, Headquarters, Pennsylvania Air National Guard, to serve until terminated, vice Brigadier General Michael Regan, retired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

BRIGADIER GENERAL,
PENNSYLVANIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

March 1, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Colonel Leland D. Blanchard, 4776 Glass Mountain Way, Haymarket, Virginia, 20169, for a Certificate of Eligibility to Brigadier General, LINE, with assignment as ARNG Special Assistant, Joint Force Headquarters, Pennsylvania Army National Guard, to serve until terminated, vice vacant position.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MAJOR GENERAL,
PENNSYLVANIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

March 1, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Brigadier General James G. McCormack, 661 Turkey Path Road, Watsontown 17777, Northumberland County, Twenty-seventh Senatorial District, for a Certificate of Eligibility to Major General, LINE, with assignment as Assistant Adjutant General, Joint Force Headquarters, Pennsylvania Army National Guard, to serve until terminated, vice vacant position.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MAJOR GENERAL,
PENNSYLVANIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

March 1, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Brigadier General Carl T. Reese, 1061 Mount Alem Drive, Hummelstown 17036, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for a Certificate of Eligibility to Major General, LINE, with assignment as ARNG Special Assistant, Joint Force Headquarters, Pennsylvania Army National Guard, to serve until terminated, vice vacant position.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MAJOR GENERAL,
PENNSYLVANIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

March 1, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Brigadier General Michael E. Wegscheider, 38 Mountain Mary Road, Boyertown 19512, Berks County, Twenty-fourth Senatorial District, for a Certificate of Eligibility to Major General, LINE, with assignment as Commander, 0028 AR HQ CO STB DIV, Pennsylvania Army National Guard, to serve until terminated, vice Major General Mark McCormack, retired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

March 3, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky, 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of California University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve until October 19, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Kirk Holman, California, deceased.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, 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 Thomas Stephenson, Milford, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Forty-eighth 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 STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Forty-eighth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Pharmacy, to serve until September 24, 2025, and until the successor is

appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Thomas Carey, Harrisburg, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, 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 PHARMACY

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first 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 Robert Frankil, Colledgeville, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Physical Therapy, to serve until October 2, 2025, 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

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Forty-eighth 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 STATE BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, 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 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 Jeffrey Elliott, Wernersville, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first 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 Tammy Frey, Bloomsburg, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Betsy Phillips, 3607 North Fourth Street, Harrisburg 17110, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of 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 BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
THE UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH OF THE
COMMONWEALTH SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, 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 University of Pittsburgh of the Commonwealth System of Higher Education, to serve until October 5, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Bradley Franc, Sewickley, whose term expired and whose last day was April 23, 2021.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PODIATRY

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky, 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, Dauphin County, Fifteenth 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

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr. (Public Member), 3115 Wayland Road, 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 Wiggan, Mechanicsburg, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF POLK CENTER

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky, 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, 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 James Culbertson, Franklin, deceased.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF POLK CENTER

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Forty-eighth 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

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, 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

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, 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

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky, 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, 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 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

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Forty-eighth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Registration Board for Profes-

sional 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

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, 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 PUBLIC EMPLOYEE
RETIREMENT COMMISSION

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, 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, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Christ Zervanos, Harrisburg, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, to serve until April 1, 2026, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice David Sweet, Philadelphia, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, to serve until April 1, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Andrew Place, Waynesburg, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF
CERTIFIED REAL ESTATE APPRAISERS

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, 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 Kurt Brink, Milford, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF
CERTIFIED REAL ESTATE APPRAISERS

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, 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

MEMBER OF THE STATE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, 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

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr. (Public Member), 3115 Wayland Road, 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 SOCIAL
WORKERS, MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS
AND PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, 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

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, 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

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Examiners in Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology, to serve for a term of three years, and until 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 BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
TEMPLE UNIVERSITY OF THE COMMONWEALTH
SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Temple University of the Commonwealth System of Higher Education, to serve until October 14, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Ronald Donatucci, Philadelphia, deceased.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky, 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, 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 Robert Pease, Pittsburgh, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Forty-eighth 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

March 8, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, 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

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky, 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, 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 Brian Bentley, Newtown, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Forty-eighth 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

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, 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

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Betsy Phillips (Public Member), 3607 North Fourth Street, Harrisburg 17110, 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 Donald Stoy, Lewisberry, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, 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

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr. (Public Member), 3115 Wayland Road, 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

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, 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

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky, 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, 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 William McCarthy, Erie, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF WARREN STATE HOSPITAL

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, 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

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky, 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, Dauphin County, Fifteenth 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

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, 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 State 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

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky, 6466 Heatherfield Way, Harrisburg 17112, 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 the Honorable Gerald LaValle, Harrisburg, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

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

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Forty-eighth 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

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, 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

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, 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

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Forty-eighth 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

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, 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

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Bucks, Magisterial District 07-2-01, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable William Benz, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

March 9, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Schuylkill, Magisterial District 21-3-03, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable James Ferrier, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

March 11, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Nicole Carnicella, 758 Nilson Road, Bellefonte 16823, Centre County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the State Board of Education, to serve until October 1, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

March 11, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Pedro Rivera, 1321 Quarry Lane, Lancaster 17603, Lancaster County, Thirteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Education, to serve until October 1, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Jay Badams, Erie, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA GAME COMMISSION

March 18, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Gary Cressman (District 9), 2301 South Aubrey Street, Allentown 18103, Lehigh County, Sixteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Game Commission, 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 new position created by Act 3 of 2022.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA GAME COMMISSION

March 18, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Todd Pride (District 8), 432 Sawmill Road, Cochranville 19330, Chester County, Nineteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Game Commission, 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 Hoover, Glenolden, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

March 21, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Karen Michael, 863 Rock Run Road, Rockton 15856, Clearfield County, Thirty-fifth 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 George Khoury, Lemont, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF Governor

MEMBER OF THE HEALTH POLICY BOARD

March 23, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Health Policy Board, to serve until June 18, 2022, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Lisa Frank, Pittsburgh, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

COMMUNICATION FROM THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

The PRESIDENT laid before the Senate the following communication in writing from the Attorney General, which was read by the Clerk as follows:

CONSUMER ADVOCATE

March 29, 2022

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

In conformity with law, and specifically my duties pursuant to Section 201(b) of the Commonwealth Attorneys Act, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Patrick Cicero, 108 Stoner Drive, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Consumer Advocate, to serve through my tenure as Attorney General at my discretion, or until her [sic] successor is appointed and qualified, vice Irwin A. Popowsky, Philadelphia, retired.

All the best,

JOSH SHAPIRO Attorney General

The PRESIDENT. This nomination will be referred to the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations.

GENERAL COMMUNICATIONS**APPOINTMENT OF MEMBER TO
STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE**

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

SENATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

March 30, 2022

TO: The Honorable Megan Martin
Secretary of the Senate

FROM: Senator JAKE CORMAN
President Pro Tempore

SUBJECT: Standing Committee Changes 2021-2022

Pursuant to Rule 5 of the Rules of the Senate and in consultation with the Minority Leader, I hereby appoint Senator Tartaglione to fill the vacancy on the Community, Economic and Recreational Development Committee.

**APPOINTMENTS TO COMMITTEE ON ETHICS
AND OFFICIAL CONDUCT**

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

SENATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

March 30, 2022

TO: The Honorable Megan Martin
Secretary of the Senate

FROM: Senator Jake Corman
President Pro Tempore

SUBJECT: Senate Committee on Ethics and Official Conduct

Pursuant to Senate Rule 35, and in the case of the Minority members upon the recommendation of the Minority Leader, as President Pro Tempore of the Senate, I hereby appoint the following Senators to the Committee on Ethics and Official Conduct:

Senator Gene Yaw, Chair
Senator Anthony Williams, Vice Chair
Senator Camera Bartolotta
Senator Wayne Fontana
Senator John Gordner
Senator Christine Tartaglione

BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

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

February 14, 2022

Senators SANTARSIERO, FLYNN, COSTA, HUGHES, COMITTA, FONTANA, KANE, KEARNEY, COLLETT, SCHWANK, BREWSTER and CAPPELLETTI presented to the Chair **SB 909**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of November 24, 1998 (P.L.882, No.111), known as the Crime Victims Act, in crime victims, providing for responsibilities of institutions of higher education.

Which was committed to the Committee on EDUCATION, February 14, 2022.

Senators ARGALL, LAUGHLIN and MENSCH presented to the Chair **SB 1055**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 3 (Agriculture) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in agricultural commodities marketing, further providing for definitions and for commodity marketing board; and making a related repeal.

Which was committed to the Committee on AGRICULTURE AND RURAL AFFAIRS, February 14, 2022.

Senators KANE, TARTAGLIONE, L. WILLIAMS, HUGHES, HAYWOOD, COMITTA, SANTARSIERO, COLLETT, KEARNEY, STREET, FLYNN, FONTANA, CAPPELLETTI and MUTH presented to the Chair **SB 1056**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of October 13, 2010 (P.L.506, No.72), known as the Construction Workplace Misclassification Act, further providing for definitions, for improper classification of employees and for criminal penalties, providing for private right of action, further providing for administrative penalties, for retaliation for action prohibited, for availability of information and for funding.

Which was committed to the Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, February 14, 2022.

Senators PITTMAN, HUTCHINSON, STEFANO, GORDNER and BROOKS presented to the Chair **SB 1058**, entitled:

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 auditor's compensation.

Which was committed to the Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, February 14, 2022.

Senators HUGHES, SAVAL, HAYWOOD, FONTANA, KANE, STREET, COMITTA, SCHWANK, CAPPELLETTI and COSTA presented to the Chair **SB 1059**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176), known as The Fiscal Code, in American Rescue Plan Rental and Utility Assistance Grant Program, providing for additional funding.

Which was committed to the Committee on URBAN AFFAIRS AND HOUSING, February 14, 2022.

Senators BAKER, KANE, LAUGHLIN, MARTIN, MENSCH, HUGHES, SCHWANK, MASTRIANO, ROBINSON, J. WARD and MUTH presented to the Chair **SB 1080**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in Department of Military Affairs, further providing for advisory councils for veterans' homes; and making an editorial change.

Which was committed to the Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, February 14, 2022.

February 17, 2022

Senators BAKER, PHILLIPS-HILL, BARTOLOTTA, FONTANA, GORDNER, COLLETT, SANTARSIERO, SCHWANK, COSTA, J. WARD, VOGEL, KANE, ROBINSON, BROOKS and MUTH presented to the Chair **SB 1083**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 5, 1936 (2nd Sp.Sess., 1937 P.L.2897, No.1), known as the Unemployment Compensation Law, in compensation, further providing for ineligibility for compensation.

Which was committed to the Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, February 17, 2022.

February 18, 2022

Senator HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1060**, entitled:

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, 2022, to June 30, 2023, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022; to provide appropriations from special funds and accounts to the Executive and Judicial Departments for the fiscal year July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, and for the payment of bills remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022; to provide for the appropriation of Federal funds to the Executive and Judicial Departments for the fiscal year July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, and for the payment of bills remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022; and to provide for the additional appropriation of Federal and State funds to the Executive and Judicial Departments 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.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 18, 2022.

Senator HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1061**, entitled:

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

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 18, 2022.

Senator HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1062**, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from the Workmen's Compensation Administration Fund to the Department of Labor and Industry and the Department of Community and Economic Development to provide for the expenses of administering the Workers' Compensation Act, The Pennsylvania Occupational Disease Act and the Office of Small Business Advocate for the fiscal year July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 18, 2022.

Senator HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1063**, entitled:

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

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 18, 2022.

Senator HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1064**, entitled:

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

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 18, 2022.

Senator HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1065**, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from the restricted revenue accounts within the State Gaming Fund and from the restricted revenue accounts within the Fantasy Contest Fund and Video Gaming Fund to the Attorney General, the Department of Revenue, the Pennsylvania State Police and the Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 18, 2022.

Senator HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1066**, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from a restricted revenue account within the General Fund and from Federal augmentation funds to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission for the fiscal year July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 18, 2022.

Senator HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1067**, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from the Philadelphia Taxicab and Limousine Regulatory Fund and the Philadelphia Taxicab Medallion Fund to the Philadelphia Parking Authority for the fiscal year July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 18, 2022.

Senator HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1068**, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from the State Employees' Retirement Fund and from the SERS Defined Contribution Fund to provide for expenses of the State Employees' Retirement Board for the fiscal year July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 18, 2022.

Senator HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1069**, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from the Public School Employees' Retirement Fund and from the PSERS Defined Contribution Fund to provide for expenses of the Public School Employees' Retirement Board for the fiscal year July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 18, 2022.

Senator HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1070**, entitled:

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

and making an appropriation from a restricted account within the Agricultural College Land Scrip Fund.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 18, 2022.

Senator HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1071**, entitled:
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.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 18, 2022.

Senator HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1072**, entitled:
A Supplement to the act of November 30, 1965 (P.L.843, No.355), entitled "An act providing for the establishment and operation of Temple University as an instrumentality of the Commonwealth to serve as a State-related university in the higher education system of the Commonwealth; providing for change of name; providing for the composition of the board of trustees; terms of trustees, and the power and duties of such trustees; providing for preference to Pennsylvania residents in tuition; providing for public support and capital improvements; authorizing appropriations in amounts to be fixed annually by the General Assembly; providing for the auditing of accounts of expenditures from said appropriations; authorizing the issuance of bonds exempt from taxation within the Commonwealth; requiring the President to make an annual report of the operations of Temple University," making an appropriation for carrying the same into effect; providing for a basis for payments of such appropriation; and providing a method of accounting for the funds appropriated and for certain fiscal information disclosure.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 18, 2022.

Senator HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1073**, entitled:
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.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 18, 2022.

Senator HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1074**, entitled:

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

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 18, 2022.

Senator HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1075**, entitled:
An Act providing for the capital budget for the fiscal year 2022-2023.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 18, 2022.

Senator HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1076**, entitled:
An Act providing for the capital budget for fiscal year 2022-2023; itemizing public improvement projects, furniture and equipment projects, transportation assistance, redevelopment assistance projects, flood control projects and Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission projects leased or assisted by the Department of General Services and other State agencies, together with their estimated financial costs; authorizing the incurring of debt without the approval of the electors for the purpose of financing the projects to be constructed, acquired or assisted by the Department of General Services and other State agencies; authorizing the use of current revenue for the purpose of financing the projects to be constructed, acquired or assisted by the Department of General Services and other State agencies stating the estimated useful life of the projects; and making appropriations.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 18, 2022.

Senators BAKER, PHILLIPS-HILL, MARTIN, DiSANTO, J. WARD and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB 1087**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of September 30, 1983 (P.L.160, No.39), known as the Public Official Compensation Law, further providing for members of the General Assembly.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, February 18, 2022.

February 23, 2022

Senators FLYNN, PHILLIPS-HILL, FONTANA, MARTIN, SCAVELLO, COMITTA and BROOKS presented to the Chair **SB 1088**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in authorized disposition of offenders, providing for restitution involving child support.

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, February 23, 2022.

Senators MASTRIANO, PITTMAN and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB 1089**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 71 (State Government) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in boards and offices, providing for Commonwealth Office of Management and Budget.

Which was committed to the Committee on INTERGOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS, February 23, 2022.

Senators MASTRIANO, PHILLIPS-HILL, J. WARD, STEFANO and SCAVELLO presented to the Chair **SB 1091**, entitled:

An Act providing for prescribing and dispensing drugs approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration for off-label use to treat coronavirus infections causing respiratory-syndrome-related illnesses.

Which was committed to the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, February 23, 2022.

Senators KEARNEY, SANTARSIERO, STREET, MUTH, CAPPELLETTI, TARTAGLIONE and HAYWOOD presented to the Chair **SB 1092**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in terms and courses of study, providing for consent education.

Which was committed to the Committee on EDUCATION, February 23, 2022.

Senators GEBHARD, MENSCH, SCHWANK, BOSCOLA, STEFANO and FLYNN presented to the Chair **SB 1093**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 15, 1971 (P.L.596, No.160), known as the Outdoor Advertising Control Act of 1971, further providing for definitions.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, February 23, 2022.

Senators GEBHARD, ARGALL, MARTIN, BARTOLOTTA, GORDNER, MENSCH, PITTMAN, STEFANO and DiSANTO presented to the Chair **SB 1094**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in motor carrier safety, repealing provisions relating to findings and declaration of policy and further providing for definitions and for Motor Carrier Safety Advisory Committee.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, February 23, 2022.

Senators BOSCOLA, AUMENT, COSTA, SCHWANK, FONTANA, GORDNER, BREWSTER, FLYNN, ARGALL, MASTRIANO, STEFANO, SCAVELLO and J. WARD presented to the Chair **SB 1095**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in terms and courses of study, providing for supplemental mathematics program for grades kindergarten through five.

Which was committed to the Committee on EDUCATION, February 23, 2022.

Senators CAPPELLETTI, FONTANA, SANTARSIERO, BREWSTER, COSTA and SCHWANK presented to the Chair **SB 1096**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of May 17, 1921 (P.L.682, No.284), known as The Insurance Company Law of 1921, in casualty insurance, providing for coverage for anti-obesity treatments; and abrogating a regulation.

Which was committed to the Committee on BANKING AND INSURANCE, February 23, 2022.

Senators MASTRIANO, AUMENT, SCAVELLO, ARGALL, HUTCHINSON, MENSCH, PITTMAN, STEFANO,

GEBHARD, BROOKS, PHILLIPS-HILL and J. WARD presented to the Chair **SB 1097**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 25 (Elections) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in changes in records, further providing for death of registrant.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, February 23, 2022.

Senators KEARNEY, SANTARSIERO, FONTANA, STREET, MUTH, CAPPELLETTI, TARTAGLIONE, COSTA, KANE, COMITTA and HAYWOOD presented to the Chair **SB 1098**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of May 17, 1921 (P.L.682, No.284), known as The Insurance Company Law of 1921, in casualty insurance, providing for coverage for eating disorder treatment.

Which was committed to the Committee on BANKING AND INSURANCE, February 23, 2022.

February 24, 2022

Senators MASTRIANO, BARTOLOTTA and J. WARD presented to the Chair **SB 1081**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 71 (State Government) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for regulatory review and for regulatory reduction pilot program; and making an editorial change.

Which was committed to the Committee on INTERGOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS, February 24, 2022.

Senators KEARNEY, BROOKS, FONTANA, SANTARSIERO, KANE, BOSCOLA, COLLETT, COMITTA, HUTCHINSON, CAPPELLETTI and COSTA presented to the Chair **SB 1084**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in grants to fire companies and emergency medical services companies, further providing for award of grants and providing for COVID-19 Fire Company Grant Program.

Which was committed to the Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, February 24, 2022.

Senators HUGHES, HAYWOOD, STREET, A. WILLIAMS, SAVAL, FONTANA, SANTARSIERO, KANE, KEARNEY, CAPPELLETTI, SCHWANK, COMITTA, COSTA, BREWSTER and MUTH presented to the Chair **SB 1085**, entitled:

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 historically disadvantaged business revitalization.

Which was committed to the Committee on COMMUNITY, ECONOMIC AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, February 24, 2022.

Senators BOSCOLA, FLYNN, HUGHES, COSTA, FONTANA, COLLETT, SCHWANK, CAPPELLETTI, COMITTA, KANE, KEARNEY, SANTARSIERO, STREET and MUTH presented to the Chair **SB 1086**, entitled:

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 main street business revitalization.

Which was committed to the Committee on COMMUNITY, ECONOMIC AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, February 24, 2022.

Senator LANGERHOLC presented to the Chair **SB 1099**, entitled:

An Act designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 8672, on that portion of State Route 3045 over the South Branch Blacklick Creek, Vintondale Borough, Cambria County, as the John "Sonny" Kuhar, Jr., Memorial Bridge; designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 45635, on that portion of State Route 1036 over Howells Run at Lake Rowena, Ebensburg Borough, Cambria County, as the Ross W. Dixon Memorial Bridge; and designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 8604, on that portion of State Route 2014 over U.S. 22, Cambria County, as the Sheriff Bob Kolar, Sr., Memorial Bridge.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, February 24, 2022.

February 28, 2022

Senators SCAVELLO, PITTMAN, KEARNEY, SCHWANK, MASTRIANO and YUDICHAK presented to the Chair **SB 1082**, entitled:

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 alternative special tax provisions for poverty.

Which was committed to the Committee on FINANCE, February 28, 2022.

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1100**, entitled:

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, 2022, to June 30, 2023, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022; to provide appropriations from special funds and accounts to the Executive and Judicial Departments for the fiscal year July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, and for the payment of bills remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022; to provide for the appropriation of Federal funds to the Executive and Judicial Departments for the fiscal year July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, and for the payment of bills remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 28, 2022.

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1101**, entitled:

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

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 28, 2022.

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1102**, entitled:

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.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 28, 2022.

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1103**, entitled:

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

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 28, 2022.

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1104**, entitled:

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.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 28, 2022.

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1105**, entitled:

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

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 28, 2022.

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1106**, entitled:

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

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 28, 2022.

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1107**, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from the Workmen's Compensation Administration Fund to the Department of Labor and Industry and the Department of Community and Economic Development to provide for the expenses of administering the Workers' Compensation Act, The Pennsylvania Occupational Disease Act and the Office of Small Business Advocate for the fiscal year July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 28, 2022.

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1108**, entitled:

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

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 28, 2022.

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1109**, entitled:

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

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 28, 2022.

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1110**, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from the Public School Employees' Retirement Fund and from the PSERS Defined Contribution Fund to provide for expenses of the Public School Employees' Retirement Board for the fiscal year July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 28, 2022.

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1111**, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from the State Employees' Retirement Fund and from the SERS Defined Contribution Fund to provide for expenses of the State Employees' Retirement Board for the fiscal year July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 28, 2022.

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1112**, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from the Philadelphia Taxicab and Limousine Regulatory Fund and the Philadelphia Taxicab Medallion Fund to the Philadelphia Parking Authority for the fiscal year July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 28, 2022.

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1113**, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from a restricted revenue account within the General Fund and from Federal augmentation funds to the

Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission for the fiscal year July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 28, 2022.

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SB 1114**, entitled:

An Act making appropriations from the restricted revenue accounts within the State Gaming Fund and from the restricted revenue accounts within the Fantasy Contest Fund and Video Gaming Fund to the Attorney General, the Department of Revenue, the Pennsylvania State Police and the Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022.

Which was committed to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS, February 28, 2022.

Senators CAPPELLETTI, FONTANA, SCHWANK, MENSCH, L. WILLIAMS, COLLETT, SAVAL, COSTA, BARTOLOTTA and MUTH presented to the Chair **SB 1117**, entitled:

An Act designating a portion of State Route 3001 from the intersection with Walton Road to the intersection with South Valley Forge Road in Montgomery County as the Dr. Jean Griswold Memorial Highway.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, February 28, 2022.

March 3, 2022

Senator MASTRIANO presented to the Chair **SB 1090**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 71 (State Government) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in boards and offices, establishing the Department of Business, Tourism and Workforce Development and transferring specific powers and duties from the Department of Labor and Industry, the Department of Community and Economic Development and the Department of State to the Department of Business, Tourism and Workforce Development.

Which was committed to the Committee on INTERGOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS, March 3, 2022.

Senators CAPPELLETTI, SCHWANK, FONTANA and COSTA presented to the Chair **SB 1116**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of May 17, 1921 (P.L.682, No.284), known as The Insurance Company Law of 1921, in casualty insurance, providing for enrolled dependents right to confidentiality for health care services received.

Which was committed to the Committee on BANKING AND INSURANCE, March 3, 2022.

Senators LANGERHOLC, ROBINSON, J. WARD, MARTIN, SCAVELLO, LAUGHLIN, STEFANO, MENSCH, FLYNN, KANE, SCHWANK, BREWSTER, MASTRIANO, COSTA, CAPPELLETTI and PHILLIPS-HILL presented to the Chair **SB 1119**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in assault, providing for the offense of unauthorized use of an electronic tracking device; and providing for penalties.

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, March 3, 2022.

Senators ARGALL, MARTIN, J. WARD, SCAVELLO, DUSH, PITTMAN, BAKER and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB 1121**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), known as the Human Services Code, in public assistance, further providing for uniformity in administration of assistance and regulations as to assistance.

Which was committed to the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, March 3, 2022.

Senators COLLETT, DiSANTO, SANTARSIERO, CAPPELLETTI, FLYNN, GEBHARD, FONTANA, KANE, L. WILLIAMS, BROWNE, TOMLINSON, COMITTA, COSTA, MENSCH and STREET presented to the Chair **SB 1122**, entitled:

An Act designating Hershey's Kisses as the official State candy of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 3, 2022.

Senators MASTRIANO, STEFANO, CAPPELLETTI, PITTMAN and J. WARD presented to the Chair **SB 1123**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in other required equipment, further providing for visual signals on authorized vehicles.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, March 3, 2022.

Senators ARGALL, MARTIN, BROOKS, PHILLIPS-HILL, J. WARD, GORDNER, DUSH, HUTCHINSON, AUMENT, PITTMAN, BAKER, MASTRIANO and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB 1124**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), known as the Human Services Code, in public assistance, further providing for uniformity in administration of assistance and regulations as to assistance.

Which was committed to the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, March 3, 2022.

Senators BARTOLOTTA, COLLETT, J. WARD, CAPPELLETTI, KEARNEY, SCHWANK, BAKER, COSTA, FLYNN, VOGEL, STEFANO, KANE and COMITTA presented to the Chair **SB 1128**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 19, 1979 (P.L.130, No.48), known as the Health Care Facilities Act, in general provisions, repeals and effective date, providing for acute care mental health bed registry and referrals.

Which was committed to the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, March 3, 2022.

Senators CAPPELLETTI, FONTANA, KANE, SCHWANK, KEARNEY and MUTH presented to the Chair **SB 1129**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), known as the Pennsylvania Election Code, in primary and election expenses, further providing for contributions by agents, anonymous contributions and cash contributions.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 3, 2022.

March 7, 2022

Senators KANE, KEARNEY, COLLETT, MUTH, SAVAL, COSTA, CAPPELLETTI, FLYNN and STREET presented to the Chair **SB 1115**, entitled:

An Act designating the Groundhog (Marmota monax), as the official State Rodent of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 7, 2022.

Senators KEARNEY, KANE, A. WILLIAMS, CAPPELLETTI, FONTANA and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB 1131**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 27, 1905 (P.L.312, No.218), entitled "An act creating a Department of Health, and defining its powers and duties," further providing for State health centers; and making editorial changes.

Which was committed to the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, March 7, 2022.

Senators PHILLIPS-HILL, STEFANO, PITTMAN and J. WARD presented to the Chair **SB 1132**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), known as the Human Services Code, in general powers and duties of the Department of Human Services, providing for child support requirements for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program.

Which was committed to the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, March 7, 2022.

Senators PHILLIPS-HILL, SCAVELLO, K. WARD and J. WARD presented to the Chair **SB 1133**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in child protective services, providing for study to determine drug abuse by parents within resource families; and establishing the Selection and Advisory Council.

Which was committed to the Committee on AGING AND YOUTH, March 7, 2022.

Senators SAVAL, FONTANA, KANE, KEARNEY, MUTH, CAPPELLETTI, COSTA, HUGHES, COMITTA, STREET, TARTAGLIONE, HAYWOOD, COLLETT, BREWSTER, SCHWANK, L. WILLIAMS, SANTARSIERO, FLYNN, A. WILLIAMS, BOSCOLA, BROWNE, ARGALL, LAUGHLIN and VOGEL presented to the Chair **SB 1135**, entitled:

An Act providing for funding to address habitability concerns in owner-occupied and rental units, measures to improve energy or water efficiency and make units accessible for individuals with disabilities; establishing the Whole-Home Repairs Program and the Whole-Home Repairs Fund; and imposing duties on the Department of Community and Economic Development.

Which was committed to the Committee on URBAN AFFAIRS AND HOUSING, March 7, 2022.

March 9, 2022

Senators PITTMAN, FONTANA, KANE, HUGHES, CAPPELLETTI, COSTA, SCHWANK, AUMENT, MARTIN, YAW, BREWSTER and J. WARD presented to the Chair **SB 1125**, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 27 (Environmental Resources) and 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for Legionnaires' disease risk management in public water systems; establishing the Legionnaires' Disease Drinking Water Risk Management Restricted Account; and providing for Legionnaires' disease prevention.

Which was committed to the Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, March 9, 2022.

Senators DUSH, HUTCHINSON, J. WARD, SCHWANK and KEARNEY presented to the Chair **SB 1130**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 65 (Public Officers) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in open meetings, further providing for definitions, for minutes of meetings, public records and recording of meetings, for public participation and for use of equipment during meetings.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 9, 2022.

Senators ARGALL and GEBHARD presented to the Chair **SB 1137**, entitled:

An Act authorizing the Department of General Services, with the approval of the Governor, to grant and convey to the Berks County Redevelopment Authority certain lands, buildings and improvements situate in the Borough of Hamburg and Windsor Township, Berks County, being a portion of the former Hamburg Center; and authorizing the Department of General Services, with the approval of the Governor, to grant and convey to Berks County Intermediate Unit certain lands and improvements situate in Windsor Township, Berks County, being a portion of the former Hamburg Center.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 9, 2022.

Senator GEBHARD presented to the Chair **SB 1139**, entitled:

An Act designating a portion of Pennsylvania Route 322 from the intersection with County Line Lane to the intersection with Pennsylvania Route 117 through Campbelltown in South Londonderry Township, Lebanon County, as the Commissioner William E. Ames Memorial Highway.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, March 9, 2022.

Senators BARTOLOTTA and HUGHES presented to the Chair **SB 1140**, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 51 (Military Affairs) and 62 (Procurement) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in veteran-owned small businesses, further providing for definitions, for regulations, for participation goal, for duties of Department of General Services, for bonding and progress payments, providing for request for full or partial waiver and good-faith efforts, further providing for reports and providing for disparity study; in small and disadvantaged businesses, further providing for policy and for definitions, providing for Small and Diverse Business Program and for nonapplicability, further providing for regulations and for duties of department, providing for request for full or partial waiver and good-faith efforts, further providing for bonding and progress payments and report to General Assembly and providing for aspirational target, for disparity study and for program review and expiration; providing for Program for Construction and Design Professional Services; and making editorial changes.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 9, 2022.

March 11, 2022

Senators CAPPELLETTI, FONTANA, KANE, COSTA, SCHWANK and MUTH presented to the Chair **SB 1118**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 2, 1935 (P.L.589, No.210), referred to as the Milk Sanitation Law, prohibiting the sale of human milk over the Internet.

Which was committed to the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, March 11, 2022.

Senators MENSCH, PHILLIPS-HILL, GORDNER, BAKER, DUSH, HUTCHINSON, MARTIN, STEFANO and J. WARD presented to the Chair **SB 1136**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 29, 1953 (P.L.304, No.66), known as the Vital Statistics Law of 1953, in general provisions, further providing for definitions; and, in records, further providing for disclosure to governmental agencies.

Which was committed to the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, March 11, 2022.

Senators LAUGHLIN, YUDICHAK, BOSCOLA, MARTIN, MENSCH and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB 1138**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, in licenses and regulations and liquor, alcohol and malt and brewed beverages, further providing for sales by liquor licenses and restrictions and repealing provisions related to extension of licensed service area and issuance of off-premises catering permits.

Which was committed to the Committee on LAW AND JUSTICE, March 11, 2022.

Senators GEBHARD, ARGALL, MENSCH, J. WARD, PITTMAN and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB 1141**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, in powers and duties of the Department of General Services and its departmental administrative and advisory boards and commissions, further providing for transfer authority over Lieutenant Governor's Mansion.

Which was committed to the Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, March 11, 2022.

Senators TOMLINSON, TARTAGLIONE, HUGHES, FONTANA, KANE, MENSCH, COMITTA, SCHWANK and SAVAL presented to the Chair **SB 1142**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of August 15, 1961 (P.L.987, No.442), known as the Pennsylvania Prevailing Wage Act, further providing for prevailing wage.

Which was committed to the Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, March 11, 2022.

March 14, 2022

Senators AUMENT, MARTIN, REGAN, GEBHARD, MENSCH, J. WARD, VOGEL and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB 1144**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in transfers of credits between institutions of higher education, further providing for definitions and for duties of public institutions of higher education.

Which was committed to the Committee on EDUCATION, March 14, 2022.

March 17, 2022

Senators J. WARD, MASTRIANO, MENSCH, STEFANO, COLLETT, SCHWANK, KANE, BOSCOLA, COMITTA, MARTIN, ROBINSON, PITTMAN, ARGALL and FLYNN presented to the Chair **SB 1126**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), known as the Human Services Code, in preliminary provisions, further providing for definitions; in general powers and duties of the Department of Human Services, providing for employment opportunities, for pilot programs, for system innovation, for simplify the system reports, for strengthening in-home and community supports and companion services, for intellectual disability and autism transportation reform, for weighted licensure, for private accreditation and licensure, for reinvestment, for assessment accuracy and timeliness, for reports and for Information Sharing and Advisory Committee; and making editorial changes.

Which was committed to the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, March 17, 2022.

Senators YAW, ARGALL, J. WARD, STEFANO and MASTRIANO presented to the Chair **SB 1127**, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, further providing for judicial administration.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 17, 2022.

Senators KEARNEY, CAPPELLETTI, MUTH, L. WILLIAMS, SAVAL, STREET and KANE presented to the Chair **SB 1145**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 29, 1953 (P.L.304, No.66), known as the Vital Statistics Law of 1953, in birth registration, providing for certain information prohibited.

Which was committed to the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, March 17, 2022.

Senators ROBINSON, GEBHARD, BAKER, PITTMAN, MENSCH, YUDICHAK, J. WARD, STEFANO and BARTOLOTTA presented to the Chair **SB 1147**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 5, 2012 (P.L.1086, No.127), known as the Public Works Employment Verification Act, further providing for verification form and for enforcement and sanctions; and establishing the Public Works Employment Verification Account.

Which was committed to the Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, March 17, 2022.

Senators LANGERHOLC, MENSCH, VOGEL and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB 1151**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 9, 1976 (P.L.817, No.143), known as the Mental Health Procedures Act, in general provisions, providing for duty to warn.

Which was committed to the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, March 17, 2022.

Senators BROOKS, HUTCHINSON, MUTH, PITTMAN, J. WARD and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB 1153**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 19, 1988 (P.L.1262, No.156), known as the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act, in, games of chance, providing for payment; and abrogating a regulation.

Which was committed to the Committee on COMMUNITY, ECONOMIC AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, March 17, 2022.

March 21, 2022

Senators CORMAN, AUMENT, BAKER, BARTOLOTTA, BOSCOLA, DiSANTO, FLYNN, HUTCHINSON, PHILLIPS-HILL, REGAN, ROBINSON, SANTARSIERO, SCAVELLO, STEFANO, J. WARD and YUDICHAK presented to the Chair **SB 10**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for consumer gas prices relief; making appropriations; and providing for Commonwealth indebtedness.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, March 21, 2022.

Senators ROBINSON, MENSCH, STEFANO and BREWSTER presented to the Chair **SB 1156**, entitled:

An Act providing for standards of highway, safety and battery-charged security fences; and making a related repeal.

Which was committed to the Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, March 21, 2022.

March 22, 2022

Senators BROOKS, J. WARD, COSTA, BAKER, LAUGHLIN, HUTCHINSON, STEFANO and ARGALL presented to the Chair **SB 1159**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 19, 1988 (P.L.1262, No.156), known as the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act, in club licensees, further providing for distribution of proceeds.

Which was committed to the Committee on COMMUNITY, ECONOMIC AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, March 22, 2022.

March 24, 2022

Senators CAPPELLETTI, SAVAL, FONTANA, KANE, KEARNEY, MUTH and COSTA presented to the Chair **SB 1148**, entitled:

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

Which was committed to the Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, March 24, 2022.

Senators MASTRIANO, ARGALL, PHILLIPS-HILL, STEFANO and PITTMAN presented to the Chair **SB 1152**, entitled:

An Act establishing the Overdose Mapping System; providing for implementation and for use; and conferring powers and imposing duties on the Pennsylvania State Police.

Which was committed to the Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, March 24, 2022.

Senators MASTRIANO, SCAVELLO, PHILLIPS-HILL and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB 1158**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of September 2, 1965 (P.L.490, No.249), referred to as the Money Transmission Business Licensing Law, further providing for licensee requirements and for agents.

Which was committed to the Committee on BANKING AND INSURANCE, March 24, 2022.

Senators YUDICHAK, ROBINSON, SCAVELLO, BAKER, COSTA, PITTMAN and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB 1163**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of August 26, 1971 (P.L.351, No.91), known as the State Lottery Law, in State lottery, further providing for definitions and providing for disclosure of certain prizewinner identities.

Which was committed to the Committee on COMMUNITY, ECONOMIC AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, March 24, 2022.

Senators L. WILLIAMS, FONTANA, BREWSTER, MASTRIANO, COSTA, MUTH, BARTOLOTTA and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB 1164**, entitled:

An Act designating the portion of U.S. Route 19 between Ivory Avenue and Cemetery Lane in Ross Township, Allegheny County, as the Chief Vernon Moses Memorial Highway.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, March 24, 2022.

Senators BROOKS, KANE, MENSCH, J. WARD and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB 1165**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in registration plates, further providing for display of registration plate.

Which was committed to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, March 24, 2022.

Senators ARGALL, HUTCHINSON and DUSH presented to the Chair **SB 1166**, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, providing for redistricting by court.

Which was committed to the Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 24, 2022.

March 25, 2022

Senators DiSANTO, STREET, LAUGHLIN, BREWSTER, GORDNER, CAPPELLETTI, REGAN, BOSCOLA, MENSCH, KEARNEY, ROBINSON, MUTH, KANE and HAYWOOD presented to the Chair **SB 1167**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 12 (Commerce and Trade) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for legitimate cannabis-related business.

Which was committed to the Committee on BANKING AND INSURANCE, March 25, 2022.

March 28, 2022

Senators BARTOLOTTA, TARTAGLIONE, SCHWANK, KANE, KEARNEY, ROBINSON, BAKER and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB 1162**, entitled:

An Act establishing the PennSERVE Office within the Department of Labor and Industry; creating the PennSERVE Advisory Board; providing for coordination of Commonwealth community service programs; and making a related repeal.

Which was committed to the Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, March 28, 2022.

Senators BAKER, BROOKS, ROBINSON, COSTA, MUTH and BREWSTER presented to the Chair **SB 1169**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in State Veterans' Commission and Deputy Adjutant General for Veterans' Affairs, further providing for Veterans' Trust Fund.

Which was committed to the Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, March 28, 2022.

March 29, 2022

Senators DUSH, PITTMAN, GORDNER, HUTCHINSON and BAKER presented to the Chair **SB 1143**, entitled:

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 Federal and Commonwealth use of forest land.

Which was committed to the Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, March 29, 2022.

Senators MUTH, CAPPELLETTI, KEARNEY, L. WILLIAMS, SAVAL, FONTANA, KANE, STREET, COMITTA and BREWSTER presented to the Chair **SB 1154**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 54 (Names) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in judicial change of name, further providing for court approval required for change of name.

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, March 29, 2022.

Senators MUTH, CAPPELLETTI, KEARNEY, L. WILLIAMS, SAVAL, FONTANA and COSTA presented to the Chair **SB 1155**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 54 (Names) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in judicial change of name, further providing for court approval required for change of name and for change by order of court.

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, March 29, 2022.

Senator PITTMAN presented to the Chair **SB 1157**, entitled:
An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, in licenses and regulations and liquor, alcohol and malt and brewed beverages, further providing for local option.

Which was committed to the Committee on LAW AND JUSTICE, March 29, 2022.

RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

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

February 11, 2022

Senators CORMAN, ARGALL, AUMENT, BARTOLOTTA, BOSCOLA, BROOKS, BROWNE, COSTA, DUSH, FONTANA, GORDNER, KANE, LANGERHOLC, MENSCH, PHILLIPS-HILL, PITTMAN, REGAN, ROBINSON, VOGEL, J. WARD and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SR 226**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the week of February 14 through 20, 2022, as "THON Week" in Pennsylvania and honoring the work of The Pennsylvania State University IFC/Panhellenic Dance Marathon student volunteers.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, February 11, 2022.

February 18, 2022

Senators DUSH and CORMAN presented to the Chair **SR 227**, entitled:

A Concurrent Resolution calling for an amendment to the Constitution of the United States via a Convention of the States, pursuant to Article V of the Constitution of the United States, establishing term limits for members of Congress.

Which was committed to the Committee on INTERGOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS, February 18, 2022.

February 23, 2022

Senators SCHWANK, BARTOLOTTA, KEARNEY, BREWSTER, BROWNE, HUGHES, MARTIN, COLLETT, COMITTA, MENSCH, STREET, STEFANO, SCAVELLO, J. WARD, MUTH and COSTA presented to the Chair **SR 228**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the month of March 2022 as "National Nutrition Month®" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, February 23, 2022.

February 24, 2022

Senator BROWNE presented to the Chair **SR 230**, entitled:
A Resolution adopting a temporary rule of the Senate relating solely to amendments to the General Appropriation Bill and other appropriation bills for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2022, including

any amendments offered to or for supplemental appropriations for prior fiscal years.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, February 24, 2022.

Senators SCHWANK, BARTOLOTTA, KEARNEY, BREWSTER, BROWNE, HUGHES, MARTIN, COLLETT, FONTANA, COMITTA, SANTARSIERO, STREET, STEFANO, SCAVELLO, J. WARD, MUTH and COSTA presented to the Chair **SR 231**, entitled:

A Resolution designating March 9, 2022, as "Registered Dietitian Nutritionist Day" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, February 24, 2022.

February 28, 2022

Senators DUSH, YUDICHAK, FLYNN, ARGALL, PHILLIPS-HILL, MARTIN, HUTCHINSON, GORDNER, PITTMAN, STEFANO and ROBINSON presented to the Chair **SR 229**, entitled:

A Resolution directing the Joint State Government Commission to conduct a study of the economic, environmental and health impacts relating to development of the critical mineral industry in this Commonwealth.

Which was committed to the Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, February 28, 2022.

March 3, 2022

Senators TARTAGLIONE, BROWNE, MARTIN, SANTARSIERO, HUGHES, BROOKS, ROBINSON, STREET, BARTOLOTTA, KEARNEY, BAKER, COMITTA, J. WARD, SCHWANK, PITTMAN, STEFANO and COSTA presented to the Chair **SR 232**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing February 4, 2022, as "National Wear Red Day" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 3, 2022.

Senators BOSCOLA, SCHWANK, FONTANA, HUGHES, BROWNE, MENSCH, CAPPELLETTI, COLLETT, COMITTA, BARTOLOTTA, LAUGHLIN, SCAVELLO, COSTA, PITTMAN, J. WARD and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SR 233**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing March 8, 2022, as "International Women's Day" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 3, 2022.

Senators ARGALL, MARTIN, BROWNE, KANE, BARTOLOTTA, STREET, PHILLIPS-HILL, MENSCH, COSTA, BAKER, J. WARD and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SR 234**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the week of March 13 through 19, 2022, as "Sunshine Week" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 3, 2022.

Senators TARTAGLIONE, BARTOLOTTA, HUGHES, BROWNE, MARTIN, KANE, GORDNER, BROOKS, FONTANA, PHILLIPS-HILL, COLLETT, SANTARSIERO, COMITTA, KEARNEY, SCHWANK, MENSCH, CAPPELLETTI, BAKER, COSTA, PITTMAN, J. WARD, HUTCHINSON and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SR 235**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of March 2022 as "Disabilities Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 3, 2022.

March 7, 2022

Senators BROOKS, BROWNE, BARTOLOTTA, MARTIN, FONTANA, KANE, HUGHES, SCHWANK, HUTCHINSON, MENSCH, J. WARD, MUTH, COSTA, PITTMAN, CAPPELLETTI and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SR 236**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the month of March 2022 as "National Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 7, 2022.

Senator SCHWANK presented to the Chair **SR 237**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the month of March 2022 as "National Social Work Month" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 7, 2022.

Senators BROOKS, BROWNE, MARTIN, KANE, HUGHES, MENSCH, J. WARD, MUTH, COSTA, PITTMAN and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SR 238**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the Blue Lights Campaign and its efforts to raise awareness of colorectal cancer in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 7, 2022.

March 11, 2022

Senators COMITTA, KEARNEY, HUGHES, FONTANA, BROWNE, KANE, CAPPELLETTI, SCHWANK, SANTARSIERO, MENSCH, STEFANO, COSTA, BARTOLOTTA and J. WARD presented to the Chair **SR 240**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of March 2022 as "Music in Our Schools Month," "Theatre in Our Schools Month," "Dance in Our Schools Month" and "Youth Art Month" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 11, 2022.

Senators DUSH, BROWNE, REGAN, MARTIN, SCAVELLO, PHILLIPS-HILL, MENSCH, GORDNER, J. WARD and HUTCHINSON presented to the Chair **SR 241**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing April 10, 2022, as "National Sprint Car Day" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 11, 2022.

March 14, 2022

Senators COLLETT, PHILLIPS-HILL, FONTANA, KANE, HUGHES, BARTOLOTTA, SANTARSIERO, KEARNEY, COSTA, MARTIN, PITTMAN, COMITTA, SCHWANK, J. WARD, MASTRIANO, STREET and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SR 242**, entitled:

A Resolution designating March 25, 2022, as "Greek Independence Day" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 14, 2022.

Senators PITTMAN, BROWNE, ARGALL, MARTIN, FONTANA, BARTOLOTTA, HUTCHINSON, MENSCH, BROOKS, COSTA, J. WARD and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SR 243**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing April 8, 2022, as "Drugs Kill Dreams Day" in Pennsylvania and encouraging Pennsylvanians to participate in drug prevention education activities throughout the year to demonstrate their strong commitment to stopping drug and alcohol addiction and abuse before it begins.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 14, 2022.

March 17, 2022

Senators ARGALL, ROBINSON, SANTARSIERO, YUDICHAK, MENSCH, KANE, GEBHARD, PHILLIPS-HILL, STREET, SCHWANK, COSTA and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SR 239**, entitled:

A Resolution urging the Congress of the United States to impose further retaliatory measures against President Vladimir Putin for his unprovoked and illegal invasion of Ukraine.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 17, 2022.

Senators MARTIN, PHILLIPS-HILL, BROWNE, MENSCH, GORDNER, ARGALL, SCAVELLO, LANGERHOLC, HUTCHINSON, PITTMAN, BARTOLOTTA, BROOKS, COSTA, FONTANA, SCHWANK, COMITTA, J. WARD and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SR 244**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing March 21, 2022, as "World Down Syndrome Day" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 17, 2022.

Senators MARTIN, PHILLIPS-HILL, J. WARD, BAKER, BARTOLOTTA, L. WILLIAMS, MUTH, BROWNE, MENSCH, PITTMAN, YUDICHAK, COSTA, FONTANA and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SR 245**, entitled:

A Resolution designating March 13, 2022, as "Pennsylvania Girls' Wrestling Day" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 17, 2022.

March 21, 2022

Senators BARTOLOTTA, TARTAGLIONE, HUGHES, MARTIN, BROWNE, FONTANA, STREET, COMITTA, KANE, J. WARD, SCHWANK, PITTMAN, HUTCHINSON, MENSCH, STEFANO and COSTA presented to the Chair **SR 246**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the week of March 13 through 19, 2022, as "AmeriCorps Week" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 21, 2022.

Senators SANTARSIERO, BROWNE, KEARNEY, PHILLIPS-HILL, FONTANA, HUGHES, MARTIN, CAPPELLETTI, BREWSTER, SCHWANK, BARTOLOTTA, COMITTA, MENSCH, PITTMAN, STEFANO, COSTA, J. WARD and MUTH presented to the Chair **SR 247**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of March 2022 as "Endometriosis Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 21, 2022.

Senators SANTARSIERO, FONTANA, HUGHES, BROWNE, KEARNEY, BARTOLOTTA, COSTA, MENSCH, MARTIN, COMITTA, SCHWANK, J. WARD, STREET and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SR 248**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the month of April 2022 as "Limb Loss Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 21, 2022.

Senators TOMLINSON and MUTH presented to the Chair **SR 249**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the month of March 2022 as "National Athletic Training Month" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 21, 2022.

Senators BROWNE, STREET, SANTARSIERO, PHILLIPS-HILL, MARTIN, KANE, MENSCH, BARTOLOTTA, COSTA, PITTMAN, J. WARD, HUTCHINSON and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SR 250**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of March 2022 as "International DeMolay Month" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 21, 2022.

Senators YUDICHAK, CAPPELLETTI, FONTANA, GORDNER, KANE, MENSCH, SCAVELLO, SCHWANK and J. WARD presented to the Chair **SR 251**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of March 2022 as "Problem Gambling Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania and recognizing the month of March 2022 as "National Problem Gambling Awareness Month."

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 21, 2022.

March 28, 2022

Senators ROBINSON, STEFANO, BROWNE, ARGALL, BROOKS, FONTANA, MARTIN, PHILLIPS-HILL, BARTOLOTTA, MENSCH, J. WARD, STREET, COSTA and PITTMAN presented to the Chair **SR 252**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing April 15, 2022, as "Purple Up! for Military Kids Day" in Pennsylvania and the month of April 2022 as the "Month of the Military Child."

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 28, 2022.

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:

February 14, 2022

HB 1328 and 1440 -- Committee on Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

HB 1614 -- Committee on State Government.

HB 2126 and 2216 -- Committee on Transportation.

GENERAL COMMUNICATIONS

STATE ETHICS COMMISSION RULINGS

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

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
State Ethics Commission
Finance Building
613 North Street, Room 309
Harrisburg, PA 17120-0400

TO: Director or Administrator
FROM: Robert Caruso, Executive Director
State Ethics Commission

DATE: January 7, 2022

RE: Distribution of State Ethics Commission Rulings

On June 26, 1989, the revised Public Official and Employee Ethics Law was enacted which re-authorized the State Ethics Commission. The State Ethics Commission is responsible for issuing various types of rulings on matters within its mandated jurisdiction. Pursuant to the law, the Commission is mandated to forward, quarterly, a copy of every Opinion, Advice of Counsel, and Order issued to one law library in each county, one public library in each county, the State Library, the State Senate Library, each authority appointing a Commission member, the Pennsylvania Association of County Commissioners, the Pennsylvania Association of Boroughs, the Pennsylvania State Association of Township Supervisors, the Pennsylvania State Association of Township Commissioners, the Pennsylvania State School Boards Association, and the Pennsylvania League of Cities. Your agency is either specifically identified in the above requirement or has been selected as a library to which this mailing will be made pursuant to the above authority. As such, enclosed please find decisions of the State Ethics Commission from October 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021. Due to budgetary restraints, a

CD containing said rulings will replace paper copies that were previously sent.

For your information, the Commission generally issues these types of decisions as follows:

Commission Opinions - Opinions are advisory rulings issued by the State Ethics Commission regarding the duties and responsibilities of public officials and employees under the Public Official and Employee Ethics Law. Opinions are catalogued by year of issuance followed by the sequential number of the opinion during that year. As such, opinions relating to 2021 will begin with the number 21-001 and proceed there from as decisions are rendered.

Advice of Counsel - The Commission's Chief Counsel is authorized to issue similar advisory letters. Such letters are issued generally when there is prior precedent for counsel to rely upon in issuing a decision or when the provisions of the State Ethics Act directly provide the answer to the question posed. Advice of Counsel letters are numbered with the year and a 500 series number that progresses in order therefrom as rulings are issued. If more than 100 such letters are issued, a 600 series number will then be used.

Orders - Commission orders are issued at the end of an investigation and are determinations as to whether or not there has been a violation of the State Ethics Act. Commission orders are categorized numerically from the date of the first order in 1979. That is, the first Order issued was Order No. 1. All orders proceed there from.

It is recommended that Opinions, Advices of Counsel and Orders be maintained separately (in numerical order) so as to afford better retrievability.

The enclosed items are being forwarded for retention, cataloging and for the purpose of being publicly available for review by citizens of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania who may have an interest therein. Additional mailings will be made on a quarterly basis henceforth. If you have any questions in relation to your receipt of these documents and future distribution, please contact me at 717-783-1610 or 800-932-0936. For your information, all Commission rulings are available on-line at www.ethics.pa.gov.

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

**2021 INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT
PENNSYLVANIA RURAL HEALTH
REDESIGN CENTER AUTHORITY**

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

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
Rural Health Redesign Center Authority
625 Forster Street, 8th Floor
Harrisburg, PA 17120

February 10, 2022

Secretary Martin,

As outlined in Senate Bill 314, the Pennsylvania Rural Health Redesign Center Authority (established by Act 108 in May 2020) is required to file a copy of the audit of the preceding Commonwealth fiscal year with your office. A copy of our first completed audit report is attached. Please contact me if you have any questions or need any additional information. Thank you.

Best regards,

Gary Segiestowsky, MBA
Executive Director

AUDITOR GENERAL'S CERTIFICATE

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

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
Department of the Auditor General
Harrisburg, PA 17120-0018

February 28, 2022

The Honorable Kim Ward
Majority Leader
Senate of Pennsylvania
350 Main Capitol Building [sic]
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

Dear Senator Ward:

In accordance with the provisions of Article VIII of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Section 304 of the Capital Facilities Debt Enabling Act (Act 1 of 1999, as amended), the Auditor General is required on or before each March 1 and September 1 to make certifications to the Governor and the General Assembly of:

- The average annual tax revenues deposited in all funds in the five preceding fiscal years;
- The amount of outstanding net debt as of the end of the preceding fiscal year;
- The amount of net debt as of the certification date;
- The difference between the limitation upon all net debt outstanding as provided in Section 7(a)(4) of Article VIII of the Constitution of Pennsylvania and the amount of net debt as of the certification date;
- The amount of such debt scheduled to be repaid during the remainder of the fiscal year in which the certificates are being issued;
- The amount of debt authorized by law to be issued, but not yet incurred; and
- The amount of outstanding obligations excluded from outstanding debt as self-sustaining pursuant to Section 7(c)(1), (2) and (3) of Article VIII of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

A duplicate original of my certificate is enclosed.

Sincerely,

TIMOTHY L. DeFOOR
Auditor General

AUDITOR GENERAL'S CERTIFICATE
Pursuant to
ARTICLE VIII, Section 7(a)(4)
of the
CONSTITUTION OF PENNSYLVANIA
and

Section 304 of the Capital Facilities Debt Enabling Act

To the Governor and The General Assembly:

I, Timothy L. DeFoor, Auditor General of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, pursuant to Article VIII, Section 7(a)(4) of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Section 304 of the Capital Facilities Debt Enabling Act (Act 1 of 1999, as amended) certify as follows:

- The average annual tax revenues deposited in all funds in the five fiscal years ended preceding the date of February 28, 2022 \$43,007,553,352
- (i) The amount of outstanding net debt as of the end of the preceding fiscal year \$10,062,514,196
 - (ii) The amount of such net debt as of February 28, 2022 \$9,467,409,164

- (iii) The difference between the limitation upon all net debt outstanding as provided in Article VIII, Section 7(a)(4) of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the amount of such net debt as of the date of February 28, 2022 \$65,795,809,201
- (iv) The amount of such debt scheduled to be repaid during the remainder of the current fiscal year. \$169,535,000
- (v) The amount of debt authorized by law to be issued, but not yet incurred \$153,949,018,968
- (vi) The amount of outstanding obligations excluded from outstanding debt as self sustaining pursuant to Article VIII, Section 7(c)(1), (2) and (3) of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania \$7,880,211,639

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Auditor General, this 28th day of February 2022.

TIMOTHY L. DeFOOR
Auditor General

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

**2021 ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD**

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

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
Department of Labor and Industry
651 Boas Street, Room 1700
Harrisburg, PA 17121-0750

March 1, 2022

The Honorable Megan Martin
Secretary of the Senate, Pennsylvania State Senate
462 Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

The Honorable Brooke Wheeler
Chief Clerk, Pennsylvania House of Representatives
129 Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

Dear Secretary Martin and Chief Clerk Wheeler:

On behalf of the Pennsylvania Workforce Development Board (PA WDB), it is my pleasure to present the Board's 2021 Annual Report to the General Assembly.

This report satisfies the board's responsibility under the Pennsylvania Workforce Development Act to provide annual updates by March 1st on the performance of the workforce development system and share the annual reports submitted by local workforce development boards.

An electronic version of the report, and a direct link to the document on the Department's website, will be provided via email to each member of the General Assembly as well.

Sincerely,
JENNIFER L. BERRIER
Secretary

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

**ANALYSIS OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
MINIMUM WAGE 2021 ANNUAL REPORT**

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

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
Department of Labor and Industry
651 Boas Street, Room 1700
Harrisburg, PA 17121-0750

March 1, 2022

The Honorable Megan Martin
Secretary of the Senate, Pennsylvania State Senate
462 Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

The Honorable Brooke Wheeler
Chief Clerk, Pennsylvania House of Representatives
129 Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

Dear Secretary Martin and Chief Clerk Wheeler:

The Pennsylvania Minimum Wage Act directs the Department of Labor and Industry to produce an annual report detailing data on the previous calendar year's demographics and any other relevant characteristics of workers paid at or below the minimum wage. The required report is due to the General Assembly by March 1st of each year.

It is my pleasure to provide the 2021 Analysis of the Pennsylvania Minimum Wage report as approved by the Minimum Wage Advisory Board and required by the Act.

An electronic version of the report, and a direct link to the document on the Department's website, will be provided via email to each member of the General Assembly as well.

Sincerely,
JENNIFER L. BERRIER
Secretary

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

**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE
JOINT AGENCY TASK FORCE ON
MISCLASSIFICATION OF EMPLOYEES**

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

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
Department of Labor and Industry
651 Boas Street, Room 1700
Harrisburg, PA 17121-0750

March 1, 2022

The Honorable Megan Martin
Secretary of the Senate, Pennsylvania State Senate
462 Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

The Honorable Brooke Wheeler
Chief Clerk, Pennsylvania House of Representatives
129 Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

Dear Secretary Martin and Chief Clerk Wheeler:

Act 85 of 2020 established the Joint Agency Task Force on Misclassification of Employees within the Department of Labor and Industry. The Act requires the department to submit an annual report on employee misclassification by March 1st to the Pennsylvania General Assembly.

It is my pleasure to provide the Joint Task Force's first annual report as required by statute.

An electronic version of the report, and a direct link to the document on the Department's website, will be provided via email to each member of the General Assembly as well.

Sincerely,

JENNIFER L. BERRIER
Secretary

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

**ADMINISTRATION AND ENFORCEMENT OF
THE CONSTRUCTION WORKPLACE
MISCLASSIFICATION ACT**

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

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
Department of Labor and Industry
651 Boas Street, Room 1700
Harrisburg, PA 17121-0750

March 1, 2022

The Honorable Megan Martin
Secretary of the Senate, Pennsylvania State Senate
462 Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

The Honorable Brooke Wheeler
Chief Clerk, Pennsylvania House of Representatives
129 Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

Dear Secretary Martin and Chief Clerk Wheeler:

The Construction Workplace Misclassification Act (Act 72 of 2010) requires the Department of Labor and Industry to submit annually, by March 1, a report to the Pennsylvania General Assembly detailing data on the previous calendar year's administration and enforcement of the Act.

It is my pleasure to provide the report titled *Administration and Enforcement of the Construction Workplace Misclassification Act* as required by the statute.

An electronic version of the report, and a direct link to the document on the Department's website, will be provided via email to each member of the General Assembly as well.

Sincerely,

JENNIFER L. BERRIER
Secretary

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

**REVIEW AND ADVISORY COUNCIL
ADMINISTRATION ACCOUNT
2020-2021 ANNUAL REPORT**

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

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
Department of Labor and Industry
651 Boas Street, Room 1700
Harrisburg, PA 17121-0750

March 1, 2022

The Honorable Megan Martin
Secretary of the Senate, Pennsylvania State Senate
462 Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

The Honorable Brooke Wheeler
Chief Clerk, Pennsylvania House of Representatives
129 Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

Dear Secretary Martin and Chief Clerk Wheeler:

Act 36 of 2017 amended the Pennsylvania Construction Code Act to require that the Department of Labor and Industry submit an annual report of the Uniform Construction Code Review and Advisory Council (UCC RAC) expenditures to the Pennsylvania General Assembly.

It is my pleasure to provide the report titled *Review and Advisory Council Administration Account--Annual Report for State Fiscal Year 2020-2021* as required by the statute.

An electronic version of the report, and a direct link to the document on the Department's website, will be provided via email to each member of the General Assembly as well.

Sincerely,

JENNIFER L. BERRIER
Secretary

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

**RESOLUTION OF THE
STATE OF NEBRASKA**

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

NEBRASKA UNICAMERAL LEGISLATURE
Patrick J. O'Donnell
Clerk of the Legislature
Room 2018, State Capitol
Lincoln, Nebraska 68509-4604

February 11, 2022

Megan Martin
Secretary/Parliamentarian of the Pennsylvania Senate
462 Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

Dear Madam Secretary,

The One Hundred Seventh Legislature Second Regular Session of the State of Nebraska passed Legislative Resolution 14 on January 28, 2022. The language in this resolution requires that my office transmit a copy to the Presiding Officers of each of the legislative houses in the several states. Please find enclosed a copy of Legislative Resolution 14.

Sincerely,

PATRICK J. O'DONNELL
Clerk of the Legislature

STATE OF NEBRASKA
ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 14

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. The Legislature of the State of Nebraska hereby applies to Congress, under the provisions of Article V of the Constitution of the United States, for the calling of a convention of the states limited to proposing amendments to the constitution of the United States that impose fiscal restraints on the federal government, limit the power and jurisdiction of the federal government, and limit the terms of office for its officials and for members of Congress.

2. The Clerk of the Legislature shall transmit copies of this application to the President and Secretary of the United States Senate, to the Speaker and Clerk of the United States House of Representatives, to the members of the Senate and House of Representatives from this state, and to the presiding officers of each of the legislative houses in the several states, requesting their cooperation.

3. This application constitutes a continuing application in accordance with Article V of the Constitution of the United States until the legislatures of at least two-thirds of the several states have made applications on the same subject.

4. This application will be rescinded as of February 1, 2027.

MIKE FOLEY Lieutenant Governor President of the Legislature	PATRICK J. O'DONNELL Clerk of the Legislature
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Signed on this 28th Day of January, 2022.

The PRESIDENT. This resolution will be filed in the Office of the Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

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

Ms. Jamie Drake as a member of the Opioid Abuse Child Impact Task Force.

Dr. Angela Zawisza as a member of the Opioid Abuse Child Impact Task Force.

Mr. Jason Aucker as the elected local government official representing a rural community to the Geospatial Coordinating Board.

Ms. Bethany Blackburn as the elected local government official representing a suburban community to the Geospatial Coordinating Board.

Mr. William Campbell as the Municipal Authority member to the Geospatial Coordinating Board.

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEES

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

SB 1167 (Pr. No. 1525) (Amended)

An Act amending Title 12 (Commerce and Trade) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for legitimate cannabis-related business.

Senator PITTMAN, from the Committee on Urban Affairs and Housing, reported the following bills:

SB 297 (Pr. No. 306)

An Act amending Title 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in consolidated county assessment, further providing for appeals by taxing districts and providing for standards of redress in appeals.

SB 811 (Pr. No. 996)

An Act amending the act of May 16, 1923 (P.L.207, No.153), referred to as the Municipal Claim and Tax Lien Law, further providing for municipal claims first lien, cities of first class, docketing, judgment and execution, for cities of the first class, recovery of judgment and sale free from claims, for redemption and for rule to show cause, decree, service and notice and providing disposition of property in cities of the second class.

HB 581 (Pr. No. 2900) (Amended)

An Act authorizing local taxing authorities to provide for tax exemptions for improvements to deteriorated areas and dwellings to incentivize the creation and improvement of affordable housing units.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVES

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 Mastriano, and legislative leaves for Senator Argall and Senator Tomlinson.

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, I request legislative leaves for Senator Tartaglione and Senator Brewster.

The PRESIDENT. Senator Kim Ward requests a temporary Capitol leave for Senator Mastriano, and legislative leaves for Senator Argall and Senator Tomlinson.

Senator Costa requests legislative leaves for Senator Tartaglione and Senator Brewster.

Without objection, the leaves will be granted.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

WEEKLY RECESS

Senator K. WARD offered the following resolution, which was read as follows:

In the Senate, March 30, 2022

RESOLVED, (the House of Representatives concurring), Pursuant to Article II, Section 14 of the Pennsylvania Constitution, that when the Senate recesses this week, it reconvene the week of Monday, April 4, 2022, unless sooner recalled by the President pro tempore; and be it further

RESOLVED, Pursuant to Article II, Section 14 of the Pennsylvania Constitution, that when the Senate recesses the week of April 4, 2022, it reconvene the week of Monday, April 11, 2022, unless sooner recalled by the President pro tempore; and be it further

RESOLVED, Pursuant to Article II, Section 14 of the Pennsylvania Constitution, that when the House of Representatives recesses this

week, it reconvene the week of Monday, April 11, 2022, unless sooner recalled by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

On the question,
Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

YEA-48

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

NAY-0

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

Ordered, That the Secretary of the Senate present the same to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

**GUEST OF SENATOR MICHELE BROOKS
PRESENTED TO THE SENATE**

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

Senator BROOKS. Mr. President, I rise today in support of Senate Resolution No. 236, which recognizes March as National Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month in Pennsylvania, and Senate Resolution No. 238, which recognizes the Blue Lights Campaign to raise awareness of colorectal cancer. These resolutions remind us that colon cancer is the second-leading cause of cancer-related death among men and women combined. One in 20 people will be diagnosed with colorectal cancer in their lifetime. This disease takes the lives of more than 50,000 people every day; yet, Mr. President, with early screening and proper treatment, we can reduce this number dramatically. Dr. Marianne Ritchie-Gordon has witnessed the effects of colorectal cancer firsthand as one of the first female gastroenterologists in Philadelphia. She is the inspiration behind the national Blue Lights Campaign which, in conjunction with the National Lieutenant Governors Association--and I would like to thank you, Lieutenant Governor, for your advocacy--has succeeded in lighting every Capitol in the country in blue to heighten awareness of colon cancer. Dr. Ritchie-Gordon is here with us in the gallery today, and I respectfully request that we give her our warmest Senate welcome.

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

(Applause.)

Senator BROOKS. Mr. President, it is our hope that with the recently revised recommendations to expand screenings to younger patients, it will be a tool to reduce colorectal cancer and to diagnose this disease at its onset. As of May 2021, formal recom-

mendations are that all individuals should begin getting colorectal cancer screenings at 45 years of age, or even earlier for those with a family history of the disease. With proper screening, colon cancer is preventable. In an effort to continue raising awareness, Dr. Ritchie-Gordon, who practices at Thomas Jefferson University Hospital in Philadelphia, has focused on lighting well-known buildings throughout the Commonwealth in blue lights, the official color of colon cancer awareness month. This labor of love has entered its 9th year. To advance her efforts and continue to broaden the colorectal cancer awareness campaign, our very own Pennsylvania State Capitol building has been lit in blue lights since March 23. As we all know, awareness is only the first step to making a difference, and one of the most effective ways to save lives is to encourage early screening. Mr. President, I ask my colleagues to join me in supporting these efforts moving forward and continuing to raise awareness now, in the final days of March, and throughout the year.

Thank you, Mr. President.

**GUESTS OF SENATOR
STEVEN J. SANTARSIERO
PRESENTED TO THE SENATE**

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

Senator SANTARSIERO. Mr. President, I rise today to recognize two different groups of constituents--students, in fact--from two high schools in my district. I am going to begin with a really tremendous group of kids from the Council Rock School District, and I am here with my friend and colleague, Senator Collett, because she and I have jointly cosponsored Senate Bill No. 1122, which is the fruit of their hard labors. They are the Hershey Kiss Committee, which consists of students, as I said, from Council Rock North High School and teachers from Newtown Middle School. The reason they are from Council Rock North and Newtown Middle is because last year, when they were 8th graders at Newtown Middle School, they embarked on this project and they are continuing it now that they are 9th graders in high school.

The Hershey Kiss Committee was created in Mr. Loughran's class with the goal of making the Hershey Kiss Pennsylvania's State candy and to further educate each other in that committee on the legislative process. I can tell you from personal experience, as a former government teacher myself at the high school level, there is no better way for students to learn about the legislative process than to be part of that process, and they are doing exactly that. These students not only conceived this idea, they met with Hershey executives, lobbied legislators, drafted bill language, and generated media attention to share their love and ensure that the Hershey Kiss becomes our State candy. As I said, Senate Bill No. 1122 is the product of that hard work, and I know that they are fully committed to seeing it become law. I want to recognize our colleague, Senator DiSanto, as well, as the Senator who represents Hershey, because I know he is excited about this idea as well.

So now, if I may, I would like to introduce each of the students and their teachers and ask when I am done with that if the Senate would join us in providing our traditional warm welcome. When I call your name if you would stand to be recognized: Cameron Forsyth; Varsha Garimella; Lana Hakma; Emily Kennedy; Kaitlyn Landers; Elaine Liaw; Audrey Thomson; Kacie

Welch; and teachers, Rich Loughran and Matt McCarthy. Please stand to be recognized by the Senate and please join me in giving them a warm Senate welcome.

Great job guys, thank you.

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

(Applause.)

Senator SANTARSIERO. Mr. President, I would like to introduce the second group. This is a group of high school students from Pennsbury High School, also in the 10th Senatorial District. I join with my colleague from Chester County, Senator Comitta, to recognize March 2022 as Theatre in Our Schools Month in Pennsylvania. Mr. President, Theatre in Our Schools Month has grown into a nationwide celebration for the education of theater, technical theater, and musical theater in our schools. To join us in that celebration, I am honored to have guests from my district, as I said, from the Pennsbury School District, Pennsbury's Thespian Troupe 830.

If you could please stand to be recognized, each of the members, as I call your names as well. With us are: Alli Templeton; Lexi Harman; Macey Webber; Patrick Diamond; Meghan Crohe; Addie Blumberg; Vanessa Nolan; and with them are teachers, Matthew South and Damari Fallacaro.

Mr. President, the Thespian Club at Pennsbury has had many successes over their 67 years of existence. Troupe 830 is internationally known, and they have recently won the Theatre in Our Schools Outstanding Impact Award. It is truly an honor to welcome them to the State Senate here today, and, please, if you all would join me in giving them a warm Senate welcome. Congratulations guys, thank you.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

(Applause.)

GUESTS OF SENATOR CAROLYN T. COMITTA PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Chester, Senator Comitta.

Senator COMITTA. Mr. President, I rise today to celebrate Music in Our Schools Month by welcoming two extraordinary musical ensembles from B. Reed Henderson High School in the West Chester Area School District. Henderson High School's Chamber Choir, under the direction of Mr. Jonathan Kreamer, is a 34-member auditioned group of singers in 10th through 12th grades. The chamber choir is Henderson High School's premier vocal ensemble, with an extensive musical repertoire that challenges the students and broadens the horizons of their audiences.

I would also like to recognize choir members Ryan Hughes, Andrew Pruden, and pianist Sam Prochnau for advancing to the 2022 Pennsylvania Music Educators Association All-State Chorus. Additionally, Ryan Hughes represented Henderson High School at the 2022 American Choral Directors Association Eastern Conference High School Honor Choir in Boston, Massachusetts. Congratulations, Ryan.

Henderson High School's Chamber Orchestra is under the direction of Mrs. Katrina Kelly. The chamber orchestra features 11 elite string musicians in 10th through 12th grade. To be a member of this premier musical ensemble, students must be pro-

ficient musicians with a willingness to study all genres of orchestral music. Henderson High School's string program has a long list of performance accolades, including appearances at the PMEA All-State Festival. Also joining us today is the principal of Henderson High School, Dr. Jason Sherlock. Earlier today everyone in the Capitol enjoyed an incredible concert featuring the talents of both musical ensembles in the East Wing Rotunda. I invite my colleagues to join me in giving a warm welcome to the administration, faculty, and wonderfully talented students from Henderson High School. Welcome to the Pennsylvania State Senate.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

(Applause.)

GUESTS OF SENATOR CAMERA C. BARTOLOTTA ON BEHALF OF SENATOR DAVID G. ARGALL PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

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

Senator BARTOLOTTA. Mr. President, it is my honor to rise to introduce Pastor Sharon Stokes to the halls of the Senate. Pastor Stokes is the guest of Senator Argall who, unfortunately, cannot be with us today.

Pastor Stokes is the founder of Stokes Ministry in Tamaqua, Pennsylvania, where she works tirelessly to bring the community together. Pastor Stokes, along with her wife, Julie, and daughter, Emersyn, were here to start the Session but had to leave, and I think many of us know that having a 2 year old sit patiently and quietly for a very long time is a little bit challenging. So we want to be sure that we give Pastor Stokes and her family a very warm Senate thank you for her lovely blessing as we started Session today.

Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDENT. Would the Senate please welcome the guests of Senator Argall.

(Applause.)

GUESTS OF SENATOR JUDY SCHWANK PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

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

Senator SCHWANK. Mr. President, good afternoon. I am very pleased today to welcome the Junior League of Reading, PA, and their guests, students who have participated in the Young Women's Summit. This is a 4-day program that the Junior League sponsors to help these young women from the Reading School District, as well as Muhlenberg School District middle school students, learn how to be community leaders. I have been able to visit them during their session as well as being with them today, and I can tell they truly have grown as a result of this experience.

The Junior League is an organization of women committed to promoting volunteerism, developing the potential of women, and improving communities through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. Their goals, particularly on this pro-

ject, are to improve the self-esteem of youth and empower them to become community leaders. I am pleased to introduce these lovely young women, but also their chaperones and teachers who I will list. Please stand when I call your name: Victoria Lynn; Erin Mauro; Daphne McCullum, who is the president of the Junior League; Casey Trexler; Sara Frederick; Angela Cianchetta, I think I got that right. I would ask that my colleagues join me in welcoming these delightful young ladies and their leaders to our Senate today. Thank you.

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

(Applause.)

GUEST OF SENATOR MARIA COLLETT PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

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

Senator COLLETT. Mr. President, I rise today to welcome a guest to the Senate from my district, Ms. Ouli Sow. Ouli is here visiting the Capitol to see up close how our government works in action.

As a student at Penn State and through her career, Ouli became heavily involved in public health initiatives and has been a valued contributor to our community. She has worked with a NGO to bring the first-ever substance misuse rehabilitation and wellness center to Western Africa, runs a local home healthcare agency, and sits on the board of directors of the Dr. Frank E. Boston Legacy Foundation--an African American World War I veteran from Lansdale who founded the North Penn Hospital and an ambulance corps, both of which are still running today. Of particularly noteworthy mention is Ouli's work as the founder of Tanel Homecare and Staffing. Tanel is derived from the West African word for health and is based on the Senegalese value of Teranga, a philosophy that signifies solidarity, understanding, warmth, and respect toward elders.

Her organization serves all impacted communities in Montgomery and Bucks Counties, but especially those that are underserved, such as the African, Asian, and Hispanic communities which too often see a lack of access to culturally competent care that can lead to the underdiagnosis of disorders like dementia, Alzheimer's disease, heart disease, diabetes, and other serious medical conditions. Ouli is a recently naturalized citizen of the United States and expressed her interest in seeing how our State government works firsthand. I am proud to host her today and ask my colleagues to please join me in extending our warm Senate welcome.

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

(Applause.)

GUEST 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 introduce my guest shadow, Kaylee Gorseigner. Kaylee started her day bright and early, having joined me at the York County Economic Alliance Economics Club breakfast at 7 a.m. this morning. She is currently a junior at Central York High School, and after high

school she plans to attend college and major in political science. Her calendar is filled with college visits this summer. During her free time, Kaylee coaches gymnastics at Skyline Gymnastics located in York, and there she teaches safe and proper technique on the floor and on equipment. Kaylee is the daughter of Michael and Jamie Gorseigner and has two siblings: her sister, Avery, and her brother, Sebastian. Would my colleagues please join me in giving Kaylee a warm Senate welcome.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

(Applause.)

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS SENATE RESOLUTION ADOPTED

Senators MENSCH, TOMLINSON, CORMAN, K. WARD, GORDNER, BROWNE, HUGHES, ARGALL, AUMENT, BAKER, BARTOLOTTA, BROOKS, DISANTO, DUSH, GEBHARD, HUTCHINSON, LANGERHOLC, LAUGHLIN, MARTIN, MASTRIANO, PHILLIPS-HILL, REGAN, ROBINSON, SCAVELLO, STEFANO, VOGEL, J. WARD, YAW, YUDICHAK, COLLETT, COMITTA, FONTANA, KANE, KEARNEY, SCHWANK, SANTARSIERO, COSTA, BREWSTER, STREET and PITMAN, by unanimous consent, offered **Senate Resolution No. 254**, entitled:

A RESOLUTION

Honoring the lives and service of Pennsylvania State Police Trooper Martin F. Mack III of Bristol and Pennsylvania State Police Trooper Branden T. Sisca of Trappe.

WHEREAS, On March 21, 2022, Pennsylvania State Police Trooper Martin F. Mack III of Bristol and Pennsylvania State Police Trooper Branden T. Sisca of Trappe were tragically killed in the line of duty by a speeding motorist while assisting a pedestrian on I-95 just outside of Philadelphia; and

WHEREAS, Trooper Mack, who was 33 years of age, had been with the Pennsylvania State Police since 2014, and sadly leaves behind a wife and two daughters; and

WHEREAS, Trooper Sisca, who was 29 years of age, recently became a Trooper in February 2021, and sadly leaves behind a wife who is expecting their first child in July; and

WHEREAS, Troopers Mack and Sisca died while selflessly serving the residents of this Commonwealth; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate honor the lives and service of Pennsylvania State Police Trooper Martin F. Mack III of Bristol and Pennsylvania State Police Trooper Branden T. Sisca of Trappe, and offer condolences to their families.

On the question,

Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

Senator MENSCH. Mr. President, it is with a heavy heart that we are here today to honor the lives of two Pennsylvania heroes. Pennsylvania State Trooper Martin Francis Mack III and Pennsylvania State Trooper Branden T. Sisca. Both tragically lost their lives in the line of duty on March 21. Few professionals face the incredible dangers that our Pennsylvania State Troopers do every time they report to work. It is something that they and their families deal with every day and there are no words strong

enough to express our appreciation for their courage. Their dedication and selfless acts of bravery make our communities and neighborhoods much safer.

Trooper Mack lived in Bristol Township, in Senator Tomlinson's district. His life had always been guided by a commitment to community service and the protection of others. Affectionately known as Marty to his friends and family, he served this country with honor and distinction as a member of the United States Army National Guard and attained the rank of Sergeant. Trooper Mack joined the Pennsylvania State Police in 2014, graduating with the 141st Cadet Class, and he spent his entire career working in the patrol section of Troop K. Active in his community, he volunteered his time with Harry S. Truman High School as an assistant coach of the lacrosse team and was a member of Saint Mark Church, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, the Midnight Squad of Pennsylvania State Police, Troop Rugby, and the Ancient Order of Hibernians.

Trooper Sisca, Mr. President, lived in Trappe Borough, which is in my district. Over the past month or two, he had been working with my staff on grants for the Trappe Fire Company where he served as Chief. He clearly had a call to serve his community from an early age, first volunteering to join the fire company at age 16. He was known as a quick learner with an eagerness to help others, and he quickly rose to the rank of Chief of the fire company before the age of 30. Trooper Sisca made it a point to be a face in the community, and the ties that the borough has to its firefighters today are due in no small part to the work that he performed in the community.

If that level of service was not enough, he joined the State Police, graduating from the academy in August of 2021. Married just a month later, he and his wife learned that they will be expecting their first child in July. Sadly, while his soon-to-be-born daughter, Brynn, will never meet her father, she will grow up knowing him as a tremendous pillar in the community who will be remembered as always being available to serve others. I would like all of us to extend our collective sympathies to Trooper Mack's wife, Stephanie; daughters, Rowan Jane and Olivia Reese; parents, Florence and Martin Mack, Jr.; and brother, Thomas Mack. Also, we need to extend our sympathies to Trooper Sisca's wife, Brittany; their unborn daughter, Brynn; parents, Craig and Marcy Sisca; paternal grandparents, Girard and Wila Sisca; and the many other family members, friends, and colleagues of these two selfless public servants.

It is true that being a law enforcement officer is not an easy career, and it takes a special type of person to do the job well and with the best interest of the public in mind. Troopers Mack and Sisca exemplified the truest sense of what it means to be a Pennsylvania State Trooper. Their legacy and service to the State will forever endure, and may our condolences shared today in the Pennsylvania Senate serve as a small token of our appreciation for these two fallen heroes.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

Senator SANTARSIERO. Mr. President, there are few words that can assuage the sorrow that flows from the tragedy such as this. My friend and colleague, Senator Mensch, gave a fitting tribute of the lives of Troopers Mack and Sisca, but it is the outpouring of the communities in both Bucks and Montgomery Counties, where these men lived and where they were, as Senator

Mensch just noted, true fabrics of the community. That is perhaps the best reflection of who they were and what their dedication to their communities in our State was. At this hour, in fact, the public is attending the viewing for Trooper Mack, and the outpouring has been substantial as you would imagine. But it will be in the days and months to come where we all in the communities will need to come together for their families in the aftermath of this tragedy, that they may be on to another day. We all have an obligation, through this resolution and the days and years to come, to remember them and their sacrifice for our State, and to reflect on the service of their colleagues and their daily sacrifice for our State.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

Senator REGAN. Mr. President, Pennsylvania lost two brave, selfless young men who were simply doing their job when they were tragically killed in the line of duty. Trooper Martin Mack III and Trooper Branden Sisca epitomized the self-sacrificing commitment of law enforcement officers. They saw a citizen in a dangerous situation and, in keeping with their oath to serve, stepped in to assist. Every minute of every day, police officers put themselves in harm's way to protect others, not knowing if they themselves will be harmed or, much worse, killed.

In the late hours of March 21, Troopers Mack and Sisca likely did not think that their helping a pedestrian would result in that being their final act of service to this Commonwealth. The deaths of these Troopers are a reminder to all of us of not only how precious life is and how quickly it can be taken away, but also the dedication of the men and women of law enforcement who bravely serve and protect regardless of the potential consequences to themselves, and they deserve our unwavering admiration and respect. Mr. President, I know we all extend our deepest condolences to the grieving families of Trooper Mack and Trooper Sisca and to their brothers and sisters in the Pennsylvania State Police as we grieve their loss, but we also celebrate their bravery and dedication to us, the citizens of Pennsylvania.

Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDENT. All those in favor of the resolution will please rise for a moment of silence. Staff and guests will also please rise.

(Whereupon, the Senate en bloc stood in a moment of silence in solemn respect to the memory of State Troopers MARTIN F. MACK III and BRANDEN T. SISCA.)

The PRESIDENT. With the demonstration of a moment of silence, the Chair declares the resolution unanimously adopted.

RECESS

The PRESIDENT. 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 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, Senate Democrats will meet in the rear of the Chamber for a caucus as well.

The PRESIDENT. For purposes of Republican and Democratic caucuses to be held in their respective caucus rooms, 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 LEAVES

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

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, I request legislative leaves for Senator Corman, Senator Laughlin, and Senator Pittman.

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, I request legislative leaves for Senator Santarsiero and Senator Anthony Williams.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Senator Kim Ward requests legislative leaves for Senator Corman, Senator Laughlin, and Senator Pittman.

Senator Costa requests legislative leaves for Senator Santarsiero and Senator Anthony Williams.

Without objection, the leaves will be granted.

HOUSE MESSAGES

SENATE BILL RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate **SB 1019**, with the information the House has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION FOR CONCURRENCE

The Clerk of the House of Representatives presented to the Senate the following resolution for concurrence, which was referred to the committee indicated:

March 30, 2022

HR 188 -- Committee on Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

CALENDAR

THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 1, SB 113, SB 137, HB 221, HB 245, SB 322, SB 457, SB 573, SB 676, SB 703, SB 704, HB 723, SB 745, SB 775, SB 862, HB 889, SB 934, SB 935, SB 967, SB 992, HB 995 and HB

996 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE CANCELLED

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Senator Mastriano has returned, and his temporary Capitol leave is cancelled.

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED

THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR RESUMED

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

SB 1028 (Pr. No. 1374) -- 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 Purple Star School Program.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question,

Shall the bill pass finally?

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Fayette, Senator Stefano.

Senator STEFANO. Mr. President, along with Senator Robinson, I rise in support of Senate Bill No. 1028, which establishes the Purple Star School Program in support of our military-connected students and their families. Pennsylvania has over 32,000 children with a parent currently in the National Guard, Reserves, or active military. These students face unique challenges, including being uprooted from their communities and their schools mid-year. In 2018, the General Assembly passed legislation requiring all public schools to provide support services and information to a student when a parent or guardian is deployed for active duty. Under Senate Bill No. 1028, the Department of Education would give a Purple Star designation to public or nonpublic schools that go above and beyond these recommendations and requirements. A Purple Star school designation means better ease and consistency in transferring schools so military children experience fewer education gaps and obtain meaningful support when moving into new schools. By helping military children, we are also easing a serious concern of military parents, a concern that could impact their decision to reenlist. Thank you, Mr. President. I ask for my colleagues' support in Pennsylvania joining 28 other States with a Purple Star Program.

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

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

Senator ROBINSON. Mr. President, thank you, Senator Stefano, for working with me on this important legislation to establish a Purple Star School Program in Pennsylvania. It has

been an honor to collaborate with you and your team on behalf of all the children of our men and women in uniform. Many have experienced, or at least can sympathize with, the struggle of frequently transitioning schools as part of a military family. The Purple Star School Program is aimed to give these students better ease and consistency in their education, along with enhancing the support and resources to improve their social and emotional welfare. These families already sacrifice so much when they serve our country, and we are so grateful. I am thrilled this bill is moving forward to provide a way to help make things a little less burdensome for them. Prioritizing support for these students during times of change and uncertainty is one important way we can repay their families for their service to our country. I am eager to see this program come to fruition within our Commonwealth and for the children of our military personnel to succeed in all aspects of their lives.

Thank you, Mr. President, and thank you to our colleagues on both sides of the aisle for recognizing the importance of this bill and putting this on the right track to making the Purple Star School Program a reality for our Commonwealth. Thank you again, Senator Stefano, and your staff for your diligence and hard work to make this happen for our military families and children in Pennsylvania. Thank you.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVES

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

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, I request legislative leaves for Senator Baker and Senator Regan.

The PRESIDENT. Senator Kim Ward requests legislative leaves for Senator Baker and Senator Regan. Without objection, the leaves will be granted.

And the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-48

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

NAY-0

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

Ordered, That the Secretary of the Senate present said bill to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 1030 and HB 1660 -- 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

HB 1823 (Pr. No. 2370) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 37 (Historical and Museums) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in historic properties, further providing for powers over certain historic property and providing for Washington Crossing Historic Park.

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

HB 1849 and HB 2051 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

SECOND CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

BILL LAID ON THE TABLE

HB 118 (Pr. No. 2521) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act providing for the final disposition of fetal remains; and imposing penalties.

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

HB 118 TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, I move that House Bill No. 118, Printer's No. 2521, be taken from the table and placed on the Calendar.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

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

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 152, SB 225, SB 230, SB 284, SB 471, SB 527 and SB 569 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

BILL LAID ON THE TABLE

SB 597 (Pr. No. 801) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for water and wastewater asset management plans.

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

SB 597 TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 597, Printer's No. 801, be taken from the table and placed on the Calendar.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

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

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 622, SB 815, SB 845, SB 892, HB 951, SB 956, SB 965, SB 977, HB 987 and SB 993 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

**BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION
AND REREFERRED**

HB 1003 (Pr. No. 1036) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of August 11, 1967 (P.L.205, No.69), entitled "An act to validate conveyances and other instruments which have been defectively acknowledged," extending the date for validation of certain conveyances and other instruments.

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 1016, SB 1027, SB 1031, SB 1051, SB 1053, SB 1057, HB 1096, HB 1248, HB 1500 and HB 1665 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

**BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION
AND REREFERRED**

HB 1737 (Pr. No. 1968) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in child protective services, further providing for investigation of reports.

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

HB 1801 and HB 2058 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

RESOLUTION LAID ON THE TABLE

SR 67 (Pr. No. 716)

A Concurrent Resolution directing the Congress of the United States to call a convention limited to proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America to require that the Supreme Court of the United States be composed of nine justices.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 9, the requisite time for action having expired, the resolution was laid on the table.

**COMMUNICATION FROM THE
ATTORNEY GENERAL**

**CORRECTION TO NOMINATION
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE**

The PRESIDENT laid before the Senate the following communication in writing from the Attorney General, which was read by the Clerk as follows:

CONSUMER ADVOCATE

March 30, 2022

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

Please note that the letter dated March 29, 2022, for the nomination of Patrick Cicero, 108 Stoner Drive, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Consumer Advocate, to serve through my tenure as Attorney General at my discretion, or until her *[sic]* successor is appointed and qualified, vice Irwin A Popowsky, Philadelphia, retired, should be corrected to read:

Patrick Cicero, 108 Stoner Drive, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Consumer Advocate, to serve through my tenure as Attorney General at my discretion, or until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Irwin A. Popowsky, Philadelphia, retired.

All the best,

JOSH SHAPIRO
Attorney General

The PRESIDENT. This will be referred to the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations.

RESOLUTION INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

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

March 30, 2022

Senators HAYWOOD, FONTANA, SANTARSIERO, CAPPELLETTI, STREET, KANE, KEARNEY and COSTA presented to the Chair **SR 253**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing March 31, 2022, as "Cesar Chavez Day" in Pennsylvania to honor an American labor leader who advanced the rights of farm workers and advocated for labor reform in this Commonwealth and across this nation.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, March 30, 2022.

RECESS

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

Senator K. WARD. 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, followed by a meeting of the Committee on Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness to be held in the Rules room.

The PRESIDENT. For purposes of meetings of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations to be held here on the floor, followed by the Committee on Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness to be held in the Rules room, without objection, the Senate stands in recess.

AFTER RECESS

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

BILL REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

Senator K. WARD, from the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations, reported the following bill:

SB 1019 (Pr. No. 1524) (Rereported) (*Concurrence*)

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, in temporary regulatory flexibility authority, further providing for definitions and for COVID-19 regulatory flexibility authority; and making an editorial change.

RESOLUTION REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

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

HR 188 (Pr. No. 2878)

A Concurrent Resolution extending in whole the disaster emergency declared on January 28, 2022, and extended in whole by the General Assembly until March 31, 2022, in response to the Forbes Avenue/Fern Hollow Bridge Collapse.

The resolution will be placed on the Calendar.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 1

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 1019 (Pr. No. 1524) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, in temporary regulatory flexibility authority, further providing for definitions and for COVID-19 regulatory flexibility authority; and making an editorial change.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1019?

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

Senator GORDNER. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 1019.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

Senator BROOKS. Mr. President, we have come a long way since we first voted on legislation in June of last year to extend key waiver flexibilities across almost every State agency in this Commonwealth. Our goal then and, still, now is to ensure that we are being responsive to the ongoing COVID-19 public health pandemic, to support our healthcare industry and the changing needs of our healthcare providers, to allow for virtual options and remote transactions, to keep businesses open and operating smoothly to power our economy, and to be nimble in leading Pennsylvanians out of these last 2 years and into the future. Since Senate Bill No. 1019 is now the third extension of these waiver suspensions, over 300 rules and regulations for our hospitals, healthcare workers, home and community-based providers, drug and alcohol treatment providers, consumers, bankers and realtors, State licensure and oversight boards, emergency management services, and National Guard. This legislation extends the current waiver suspension beyond March 31, as was enacted in September as Act 73 of 2021, and allows for the continuation of these flexibilities through June 30, 2022. We will continue to monitor the ongoing effects of the pandemic and continue to listen to our constituents, businesses, and providers, continue to track and manage the oversight of these rules and regulations by our State agencies, and work collaboratively with the House of Representatives and the Governor's Office to do so. Reports on these extensions and any reinstatements prior to June 30 will be presented to the entire General Assembly as provided for in the previously tabled amendment sponsored by Senator Muth.

Additionally, this legislation includes reference to the many waiver flexibilities and government operations that are impacted by the ongoing Federal Public Health Emergency Declaration. The Federal PHE remains in effect until at least April 16, 2022, and will be extended by President Biden. Since we do not know for certain how much longer the PHE will remain in effect, we have worked to ensure that the language in this bill contemplates this issue and provides the appropriate updates and guidance from our State agencies accordingly. We will continue to represent those who sent us here to ensure that we can provide temporary flexibility that leads to long-term strength and stability of our Commonwealth. I thank my colleagues for their work on this legislation and for the support of Senate Bill No. 1019.

Thank you, Mr. President.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE CANCELLED

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

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

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

YEA-48

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

NAY-0

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

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
No. 188, ADOPTED**

MOTION NOTWITHSTANDING SENATE RULE 29

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

Senator GORDNER. Mr. President, I call up House Concurrent Resolution No. 188 on Senate Supplemental Calendar No. 1 and move that the Senate proceed to consider the resolution, notwithstanding the provisions of Senate Rule 29.

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

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ADOPTED

Senator GORDNER, without objection, called up from page 1 of Senate Supplemental Calendar No. 1, **House Concurrent Resolution No. 188**, entitled:

A Concurrent Resolution extending in whole the disaster emergency declared on January 28, 2022, and extended in whole by the General Assembly until March 31, 2022, in response to the Forbes Avenue/Fern Hollow Bridge Collapse.

On the question,
Will the Senate concur in the resolution?

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

Senator GORDNER. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now adopt House Concurrent Resolution No. 188.

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

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

YEA-48

Argall	Costa	Laughlin	Schwank
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Baker	Dush	Mastriano	Street
Bartolotta	Flynn	Mensch	Tartaglione
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Corman	Langerholc	Scavello	Yudichak

NAY-0

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

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

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

Senator 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 STATE BOARD OF CRANE OPERATORS

February 22, 2022

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 8, 2022, of Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Forty-eighth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Crane Operators, to serve until December 8, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Daniel Haulman, Lebanon, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

March 11, 2022

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 8, 2022, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-second Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Education, to serve until October 1, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Nicole Carnicella, Bellefonte, whose term expired and whose last day was April 23, 2021.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

March 11, 2022

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 8, 2022, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Education, to serve until October 1, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Jay Badams, Erie, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA GAME COMMISSION

March 18, 2022

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 8, 2022, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr. (District 8), 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Game Commission, 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 Hoover, Glenolden, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

NOMINATIONS RETURNED TO THE GOVERNOR

Senator AUMENT. Mr. President, I move 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.

**REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON RULES
AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS**

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

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA COUNCIL ON AGING

January 12, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, John Vogel, 219 Emerald Avenue, Reading 19606, Berks County, Eleventh Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Council on Aging, to serve until October 8, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE ANIMAL HEALTH
AND DIAGNOSTIC COMMISSION

January 27, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Amanda Butterfield, 1264 Maple Valley Road, Meyersdale 15552, Somerset County, Thirty-second Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Animal Health and Diagnostic Commission, 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 Michael Firestine, Womelsdorf, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF CLARKS SUMMIT STATE HOSPITAL

January 11, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Mary Jeanne Igoe, 102 Deacons Green, Clarks Green 18411, Lackawanna County, Twenty-second Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Clarks Summit State Hospital, to serve until January 19, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice James Corselius, Clarks Summit, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

January 11, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Jeffrey Becker, 124 Cove Point Circle, Lakeville 18438, Wayne County, Twentieth Senatorial District, for reappointment 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.

TOM WOLF
Governor

NOMINATIONS LAID ON THE TABLE

Senator AUMENT. Mr. President, I request that the nominations just read by the Clerk be laid on the table.
The PRESIDENT. The nominations will be laid on the table.

EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion was made by Senator AUMENT,
That the Senate do now resolve itself into Executive Session for the purpose of considering nominations made by the Governor.
Which was agreed to by voice vote.

NOMINATIONS TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator AUMENT. Mr. President, I call from the table certain nominations and ask for their consideration.
The Clerk read the nominations as follows:

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA COUNCIL ON AGING
January 12, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, John Vogel, 219 Emerald Avenue, Reading 19606, Berks County, Eleventh Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Council on Aging, to serve until October 8, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE ANIMAL HEALTH
AND DIAGNOSTIC COMMISSION
January 27, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Amanda Butterfield, 1264 Maple Valley Road, Meyersdale 15552, Somerset County, Thirty-second Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Animal Health and Diagnostic Commission, 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 Michael Firestine, Womelsdorf, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF CLARKS SUMMIT STATE HOSPITAL
January 11, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Mary Jeanne Igoe, 102 Deacons Green, Clarks Green 18411, Lackawanna County, Twenty-second Sena-

torial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Clarks Summit State Hospital, to serve until January 19, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice James Corselius, Clarks Summit, resigned.

TOM WOLF
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY
January 11, 2022

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Jeffrey Becker, 124 Cove Point Circle, Lakeville 18438, Wayne County, Twentieth Senatorial District, for reappointment 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.

TOM WOLF
Governor

On the question,
Will the Senate advise and consent to the nominations?

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

YEA-48

Argall	Costa	Laughlin	Schwank
Aument	DiSanto	Martin	Stefano
Baker	Dush	Mastriano	Street
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Brooks	Gordner	Pittman	Ward, Judy
Browne	Haywood	Regan	Ward, Kim
Cappelletti	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Kane	Santarsiero	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kearney	Saval	Yaw
Corman	Langerhole	Scavello	Yudichak

NAY-0

A constitutional majority of all the Senators having voted "aye," the question was determined in the affirmative.
Ordered, That the Governor be informed accordingly.

EXECUTIVE SESSION RISES

Senator AUMENT. Mr. President, I move that the Executive Session do now rise.
The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS
BILLS ON FIRST CONSIDERATION**

Senator STEFANO. 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 297, SB 811, SB 1167 and HB 581.

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 MEETING

THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 2022

10:00 A.M. INTERGOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS (public hearing on ballot drop boxes) Hrg. Rm. 1 North Off. (LIVE STREAMED)

MONDAY, APRIL 4, 2022

11:00 A.M. TRANSPORTATION (public hearing to collect testimony on House Bill No. 140) Room 8E-B East Wing (LIVE STREAMED)

12:00 P.M. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (to consider Senate Bill No. 1058; and House Bill No. 1184) Room 8E-A East Wing (LIVE STREAMED)

TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 2022

10:00 A.M. LABOR AND INDUSTRY (to consider Senate Bills No. 1083 and 1162) Room 461 Main Capitol

10:00 A.M. LAW AND JUSTICE (to consider Senate Bills No. 24, 750, 1037 and 1180; and House Bill No. 1615) Room 8E-B East Wing (LIVE STREAMED)

11:30 A.M. CONSUMER PROTECTION AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE (to consider the nomination for Small Business Advocate, NazAarah Sabree) Room 461 Main Capitol

11:30 A.M. STATE GOVERNMENT (public hearing on Senate Bill No. 982; and House Bill No. 2044) Room 8E-A East Wing (LIVE STREAMED)

12:00 P.M. JUDICIARY (to consider Senate Bills No. 110, 118, 1040, 1172 and 1179) Room 8E-B East Wing (LIVE STREAMED)

12:30 P.M. AGRICULTURE AND RURAL AFFAIRS (to consider Senate Bills No. 907, 960, 1032 and 1181) Room 461 Main Capitol

Off the Floor APPROPRIATIONS (to consider Senate Bills No. 358, 797, 881, 962, 991 and 1043; and House Bill No. 1184) Senate Chamber (LIVE STREAMED)

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 2022

9:30 A.M. ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY (to consider Senate Bill No. 1038; and Senate Resolution No. 229) Room 461 Main Capitol

10:00 A.M. STATE GOVERNMENT (to consider Senate Bills No. 959, 1018, 1122 and 1166; and House Bill No. 1614) Room 8E-B East Wing (LIVE STREAMED)

THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 2022

10:00 A.M. URBAN AFFAIRS AND HOUSING (public hearing on housing issues) Independence Visitor Center 599 Market St. 1 N. Independ. Mall West Philadelphia

PETITIONS AND REMONSTRANCES

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

Senator HAYWOOD. Mr. President, today I rise to give petitions and support for Cesar Chavez Day in Pennsylvania, 31 March 2022, to honor an influential labor and civil rights leader who successfully advocated for human dignity and the dignity of American farm workers. Cesar Chavez, a farm worker, laborer of Mexican American descent, was born on March 31, 1927, in Yuma, Arizona. After his parents lost their farm in the Great Depression, they moved the family to California and became migrant workers. Chavez grew up in several migrant camps as a child and attended school sporadically before serving 2 years in the Navy during World War II. He came home to become a migrant farm worker himself in Arizona and California.

At that time, California's agribusiness depended upon low-paid workers of Asian, Native American, or Mexican descent. Farm workers lived and worked under dire conditions, such as exposure to deadly chemicals, inadequate food and shelter, sexual harassment, and low pay. Chavez learned community organizing and mobilization from Saul Alinsky, a Roman Catholic bishop whose first organizing project was to unionize Chicago's infamous meat packing industry. Under Alinsky's wing, Chavez served 4 years as general director of the Community Service Organization, a California Latinx civil rights organization.

In 1962, Chavez founded the National Farm Workers Association to defend the rights of farm workers by employing nonviolent organizing tactics rooted in Catholic social teachings, Chicano identity, and exercising civil rights. In its preamble, the NFWA declares: "We the Farm Workers of America, have tilled the soil, sown the seeds and harvested the crops. We have provided food in abundance for the people in the cities, and the nation and world but have not had sufficient food to feed our own children." In 1965, he began a 5-year strike by California grape pickers and a nationwide boycott of California grapes. During the strike, Chavez led farm workers in a 300-mile march to Sacramento, passing by the vineyards where they picked grapes, culminating in a protest of over 10,000 on Easter Sunday, 1966. Chavez went on a 25-day hunger strike in 1968 to protest farm worker exploitation. He was supported by Martin Luther King, Jr., ending on March 10, 1968, with Robert F. Kennedy at his side.

Chavez mobilized strikes and boycotts across California, battling with lettuce growers, strawberry growers, and other agribusinesses. Strikes often led to law enforcement interventions where American farm workers were beaten, replaced for non-citizen laborers. In December 1970, a California court found Chavez guilty of contempt and sentenced him to imprisonment

until all strikes were terminated, only to be released 3 weeks later by the California Supreme Court, which allowed the strikes to continue. Chavez led strikes, marches, and boycotts that successfully resulted in thousands of collective bargaining agreements granting farm workers higher pay, healthcare, paid time off, and protections against pesticide exposure.

The NFWA merged with another farm workers' rights organization to become the familiar United Farm Workers Union in 1971. In 1972, the UFW's organizing defeated California's proposed Agricultural Labor Relations Initiative, which would have eliminated farm workers' rights to protest. By 1975, Chavez and the UFW helped to pass California's Agricultural Labor Relations Act, giving farm workers the right to unionize. Chavez led the UFW until his death on April 23, 1993, in San Luis, Arizona. In honor of his impact, President Barack Obama declared his birthday, March 31, a national holiday in 2014. Chavez rallied thousands of farm workers around the motto "viva la causa," or "long live the cause." While he is not here on what would have been his 95th birthday, his cause clearly lives on today in our fights for increasing the minimum wage, worker benefits, and citizens' rights. Please join me in celebrating Cesar Chavez Day.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

Senator BARTOLOTTA. Mr. President, I rise to speak about service and volunteerism. Community service and volunteerism are hallmarks of the American ethos. Pennsylvanians have consistently stepped up to help their neighbors, better their communities, and respond to natural disasters. The COVID-19 pandemic has presented many challenges during the last 2 years. Non-profit, faith-based, and community organizations, with the help of thousands of volunteers, have been integral in helping to meet the healthcare, economic, and educational needs of those impacted by the pandemic. This includes more than 11,500 Pennsylvanians who volunteer each year through AmeriCorps programs. In addition to COVID-19 response, AmeriCorps members worked in the last year to reduce crime, fight the opioid epidemic, revitalize cities, connect veterans to services, and help seniors live independently. That is why I rise today, in partnership with Senator Tartaglione, to sponsor a resolution designating the week of March 13 through 19, 2022, as AmeriCorps Week, to thank AmeriCorps and AmeriCorps Seniors and volunteers for their service to our communities.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

Senator BROWNE. Mr. President, I rise today in support of Senate Resolution No. 250, which I am sponsoring this year, again, designating the month of March 2022 as International DeMolay Month in Pennsylvania. The Order of DeMolay is a character-building organization of young men between the ages of 12 and 21 which prepares them to become better citizens and the leaders of tomorrow. The Order of DeMolay has carried out its goals through programs of athletic competition, social activity, civil service, and charitable projects throughout the years. In 2022, members of the Order of DeMolay are observing the 103rd anniversary of the Order of DeMolay. Therefore, I strongly support Senate Resolution No. 250, which designates the month of March 2022 as International DeMolay Month in Pennsylvania.

Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Chester, Senator Comitta.

Senator COMITTA. Mr. President, I rise today to speak on my resolution designating the month of March 2022 as Music in our Schools Month, Theatre in our Schools Month, Dance in our Schools Month, and Youth Art Month in Pennsylvania. Access to music, theater, dance, and art education is a vital part of the healthy growth, socialization, and development of our young people. It is an outlet for students to express themselves, interpret the world around them, relate to one another, and to learn from one another. Furthermore, numerous studies show that quality arts education programs including music, visual, and performing arts positively impact student success and academic achievement.

For example, schools with music programs have higher graduation rates. Students who receive more arts education tend to do better on standardized tests. Children who regularly participate in music classes show larger improvements in how the brain processes speech. Classes offering arts and music education programs record fewer disciplinary infractions. And perhaps most importantly, students who receive more arts education experiences tend to show and experience more compassion. They are more interested in how other people feel and more likely to want to help people who are treated badly. I think we could all use a little more of that in our world today.

This month also reminds us that music and art are universal languages that bring us together. They allow us to communicate more effectively across cultural barriers. They help us develop a stronger sense of what it means to be human and how to be well-rounded citizens who participate in society. I know that student mental wellness is also a primary concern right now. Music and art have also been shown to have a positive effect on emotional well-being, including improving mood, decreasing anxiety, and managing stress. In fact, doctors are learning that art therapies appear to ease a host of conditions impacting mental health and brain conditions.

So as March comes to a close, I stand with students and teachers across the Commonwealth to celebrate the many ways music, art, theatre, and dance enrich education and their lives. I was the student who benefitted from playing the sousaphone in the high school band, appearing in the annual musical, playing the violin in the school orchestra, and singing in the school choir. I know how hard our students and teachers work, and that is why I proudly offer this resolution and thank my colleagues on both sides of the aisle for your support. Thank you.

The PRESIDENT. Senator Tartaglione has submitted remarks for the record. Without objection, the remarks will be spread upon the record.

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

Mr. President, I rise because today marks 5,743 days since our Commonwealth's legislature last passed an increase in our minimum wage. But, Mr. President, not only does March mark more than 15 years and 8 months since our Commonwealth last raised our minimum wage, the month of March also is when we recognize Equal Pay Day.

For those of you who are not aware, Equal Pay Day is held each year on the day that a woman must work to earn what the average man earned in the previous year. Think about that, Mr. President. It takes 64

weeks, nearly 11 extra weeks, for a woman to make what a man does in 52 weeks. But, that is not the only pay disparity we see between men and women, Mr. President. In my community, we see not just the gender pay disparity, but also the racial wage disparity. Women who are Black, Native American, and Hispanic earn 63, 60, and 55 percent of white men's income, respectively. But, Mr. President, these are not just statistics. These are people's lives. In 2020, females outnumbered males by more than 2 to 1 in the number of workers earning at or below the minimum wage in the Commonwealth. We as Pennsylvanians should not only be embarrassed that we willingly let people work for as little as \$7.25, and \$2.83 for tipped workers, but we also should be embarrassed that 67.2 percent of minimum-wage workers are women.

But the fight is not over, Mr. President. I am fighting to raise our minimum wage, and in turn provide a raise to the nearly 650,000 Pennsylvanians who earn under \$12 an hour, which is what the minimum wage would be raised to under my proposed legislation. It would finally put us on a path to \$15, just as the Governor did for all Commonwealth employees, contractors, and grant recipients. We need to end the wage gap and raise our minimum wage. Let us pass Senate Bill No. 12. Thank you.

BILL SIGNED

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant Governor John K. Fetterman) in the presence of the Senate signed the following bill:

SB 1019.

RESOLUTION SIGNED

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant Governor John K. Fetterman) in the presence of the Senate signed the following resolution:

HR 188.

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:

March 30, 2022

Senators VOGEL, MARTIN, CAPPELLETTI, YUDICHAK, J. WARD, MUTH, LANGERHOLC and COLLETT presented to the Chair **SB 1172**, entitled:

An Act providing for access to treatment for sexual assault survivors and for duties of the Department of Health.

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, March 30, 2022.

RECESS

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

Senator HUTCHINSON. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now recess until Monday, April 4, 2022, at 1 p.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 4:12 p.m., Eastern Daylight Saving Time.