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SENATE

WEDNESDAY, December 13, 2023

The Senate met at 11:30 a.m., Eastern Standard Time.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant Governor Austin A. Davis) in the Chair.

PRAYER

The following prayer was offered by Senator JOE PITTMAN:

Let us pray.

Dear Lord, as we come together in this Chamber, I thank You for the blessing of being here today serving as the voice of our constituents. The world is divided. We see this division throughout our nation, across our Commonwealth, and here in this very building. As we tackle many significant issues, I pray You will help us to have compassion for others and perseverance to stand up for our beliefs. May You guide our actions and offer us wisdom to work as a unified body, putting the needs of others above all else. The Book of Joshua tells us, "Be strong and courageous. ...for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go." I ask You be with us here today, and give each Member of the Senate strength, strength to do what we know is right and just. May Your love and light shine through all the darkness and bring us together for the good of all people. In Your Name, I pray. Amen.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

HOUSE MESSAGES

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILL

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate **SB 429**, with the information the House has passed the same without amendments.

SENATE BILLS RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate **SB 497** and **SB 815**, with the information the House has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

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

LEGISLATIVE LEAVES

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I request a temporary Capitol leave for Senator Dush, and a legislative leave for Senator DiSanto.

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

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

The PRESIDENT. Senator Pittman requests a temporary Capitol leave for Senator Dush, and a legislative leave for Senator DiSanto.

Senator Costa requests a legislative leave for Senator Haywood.

Without objection, the leaves will be granted.

JOURNAL APPROVED

The PRESIDENT. The Journal of the Session of October 4, 2023, is now in print.

The Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the Session of October 4, 2023.

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

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-50

Argall	Culver	Langerholc	Santarsiero
Aument	Dillon	Laughlin	Saval
Baker	DiSanto	Martin	Schwank
Bartolotta	Dush	Mastriano	Stefano
Boscola	Farry	Miller	Street
Brewster	Flynn	Muth	Tartaglione
Brooks	Fontana	Pennycuik	Vogel
Brown	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Cappelletti	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Hughes	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kane	Rothman	Yaw
Costa	Kearney		

NAY-0

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

The PRESIDENT. The Journal is approved.

GUESTS OF SENATOR WAYNE LANGERHOLC PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

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

Senator LANGERHOLC. Mr. President, I rise today to introduce and recognize a very distinguished individual and constituent, Bellator MMA professional fighter Cody Law, seated on the floor here in front. Cody attended Forest Hills High School in Cambria County, was a State champion his senior year, finishing with 112 wins, earning the designation of top 15 in national high school rankings. From there he went on to win an NCAA Division II 157-pound national championship at the University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown. He was a repeat two-time All-American and was also named the 2017-2018 National Wrestling Coaches Association Super Region I Wrestler of the Year. On September 1, 2020, Cody signed a contract with Bellator MMA and made his professional debut later that fall. In a little over 3 years, he has quickly risen up the rankings of Bellator MMA as his professional record stands at 8 wins, 2 losses, with 4 coming by way of knockout, 1 submission, and 3 decisions. Most recently, he fought at Bellator 301 on November 17 in Chicago and defeated Jefferson Pontes by a unanimous decision--and I might add that it was not even close; he won 30-27 on all 3 cards. It is an honor, Mr. President, to recognize his accomplishments here before you today, and I look forward to watching him rise the ranks and ultimately fight for a world title. He is joined in the gallery by his girlfriend, Emily. Mr. President, I would ask for our traditional warm Senate welcome for Cody Law.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guests of Senator Langerholc please rise and be welcomed by the Senate.

[Applause.]

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS MEETING PURSUANT TO SENATE RULE 9

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, as a special order of business and pursuant to Senate Rule 9, the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations will meet immediately off the floor during the introduction of guests.

The PRESIDENT. Pursuant to Senate Rule 9, as a special order of business, the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations will meet off the floor in the Rules room immediately while the Senate continues with the introduction of guests. The Senate will be at ease momentarily while the Members of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations report to the Rules room.

[The Senate was at ease.]

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 welcome Abbey Carlson, a high school student from East Goshen in my Chester County district, who is shadowing our team today. I would also like to welcome, who is with Abbey today from our

district office, Kevin Burk, who is a constituent services specialist and assistant director of communications. A senior at Pennsylvania Leadership Charter School, Abbey has an interest in political communications. She serves as the communications director of the Gender and Sexuality Alliance, an organization that aims to provide a safe space for the education and bonding of queer and ally students. Abbey also serves on the board of students of the school's writing center and is a member of the Quill and Scroll Writing Honor Society, a national organization for high school scholars who have demonstrated exemplary work in journalism, media work, writing, editing, or production.

Previously, Abbey attended Villa Maria Academy High School for 3 years where she earned outstanding educational achievements, including the highest-grade awards in both English and theology. Next year, Abbey plans to attend college to receive a degree in political communications with hopes of becoming a speech writer. My staff and I are excited to have Abbey join our team for the day. Last week, she joined us for a Senate Democratic Policy Committee meeting that Senator Muth organized in Chester County. We look forward to hearing her perspectives on the issues facing our constituents and our communities. Please join me in extending a warm welcome to Abbey Carlson.

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

[Applause.]

GUESTS OF SENATOR FRANK FARRY PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

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

Senator FARRY. Mr. President, I would like to welcome and congratulate the 2023 Council Rock High School South Girls' Tennis Team, who are here with us today. They recently won the State championship at the AAA level. So, we congratulate them for that. They beat Conestoga High School 3 to 1 to win the championship. They are coached by Eric Scholl, and the team is comprised of--and ladies, hopefully I get these names right--Dasha Chichkina, Michelle Lerman, Anna Zubenko, Kim Chen, Emma Traktovenko--so sorry if I butchered that one--Ava Bogard, and Elizabeth Krachik. And I will tell you those names are certainly the names of some tennis players right there. Ladies, I want to congratulate you. Sorry, you are up here on a very hectic day for us, but I hope you are going to have a great experience in the Capitol, and I ask my colleagues to give a warm Senate welcome to the 2023 Council Rock South Girls' Tennis Team, which are their State champions. Thank you, ladies.

The PRESIDENT. Would the guests of Senator Farry please rise and 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, today is a bittersweet day for me and my staff because it is the last Session day that my legislative director, Kayla Burnham, who is joining us here on the floor, will be serving the constituents of the 12th Senatorial District. I like to brag that I have the best staff in the Senate. And

while I am sure many of you would beg to differ, I know in my heart it is true, and it is something I have heard repeatedly over the years from constituents, community members, and even some of my region's former legislators.

Kayla has been a part of my team since before I was even elected to office, contributing to the electoral effort that helped bring me to the Senate in her off hours from working for Representative Bradford and the House Committee on Appropriations. Even then, I was thrilled to have her wise counsel and advice so readily accessible. A testament to her work ethic and capacity to juggle, she began law school during the height of COVID-19 at Widener University Commonwealth Law School while working full time in the legislature, and she is now set to graduate in the spring.

With all that she had already accomplished and all that I knew she could bring to the table, I was overjoyed when I convinced her to abandon Leader Bradford and join us here in the upper Chamber back in 2021. But now, Chairman Harris seems to be returning the favor, luring her back to the other side of the building where I know that while we will feel her loss immensely, our hearts will be light knowing that our loss is the House Majority's gain. I would wish her luck for the bar exam, for her journey in the House, and for everything, really, but I know that Kayla does not need it. I am confident that she will continue to make Pennsylvania and the world a kinder, fairer, and more equitable place. So, before we turn back to the legislation of the day, in appreciation of her service to the people of Pennsylvania, and with the expectation that she never forget the policies we have worked so hard to advance here in the Senate when she rejoins the House, please join me in giving my legislative director, Kayla Burnham, our usual warm Senate welcome.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

[Applause.]

GUESTS OF SENATOR CAMERA C. BARTOLOTTA PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

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

Senator BARTOLOTTA. Mr. President, it is my honor and privilege today to introduce a very special guest, Aaliyah Anderson, who has dedicated the past couple of months interning in my Harrisburg office. She joins us today in the Senate gallery, along with her mom, Teresa Dunham. Aaliyah is a recent graduate of Commonwealth Charter Academy and lives locally in the Selinsgrove area. Her strong interest in government policy earned her a short internship in my Harrisburg office, where she learned about criminal justice reform issues, State government, and public policy. Aaliyah was recently accepted to Bloomsburg University for the fall 2024 semester, where she will pursue a degree in marine biology. She believes the skills she learned from her internship will help further her understanding of the legislative process, and constituent service, and how decisions made in this building affect Pennsylvanians of more than 13 million in number.

In Aaliyah's free time, she loves playing with her dogs, working on her art, and learning more about European history. In the

short amount of time that Aaliyah spent in my office, she earned the respect of her peers and very quickly became a member of the camera crew. There is a very bright, promising future ahead for Aaliyah, and it was a privilege to get to know her. Mr. President, please join me in extending a very warm Senate welcome to Aaliyah and her mom, Teresa.

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

[Applause.]

CALENDAR

THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

HB 1284 CALLED UP OUT OF ORDER

HB 1284 (Pr. No. 2431) -- Without objection, the bill was called up out of order, from page 3 of the Third Consideration Calendar, by Senator PITTMAN, as a Special Order of Business.

BILL REREFERRED

HB 1284 (Pr. No. 2431) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in rules of the road in general, further providing for automated enforcement of failure to stop for school bus with flashing red lights, for automated speed enforcement systems in active work zones and for pilot program for automated speed enforcement system on designated highway and providing for automated speed enforcement study and for pilot program for automated speed enforcement systems in designated school zones; and imposing a penalty.

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

The PRESIDENT. The Senate will briefly be at ease momentarily.

[The Senate was at ease.]

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

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

SB 843 (Pr. No. 1290) (Amended) (Rereported) (*Concurrence*)

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in preliminary provisions, further providing for Special Education Funding Commission, for Basic Education Funding Commission and for Commission on Education and Economic Competitiveness and providing for public job posting database, for instructional vacancy data and for data transparency; providing for Interstate Teacher Mobility Compact; in drug and alcohol recovery high school program, further providing for scope of program and selection of students, providing for enrollment of students and further providing for academic programs; in terms and courses of study, further providing for Economic Education and Personal Financial Literacy Programs; in early learning programs, providing for quarterly reporting; in high schools, further providing for attendance in other districts; in educational tax credits, further providing for definitions; in credit card marketing, further providing for regulation of on-campus credit card marketing; in reimbursements by Commonwealth and between school districts, further providing for assistance to school districts declared to be in financial

recovery status or identified for financial watch status; and abrogating regulations.

HB 301 (Pr. No. 2311) (Amended with prior Printer's No.)
(Rereported) (*Concurrence*)

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in preliminary provisions, further providing for special provisions applicable to limited school years; in duties and powers of board of school directors, further providing for additional schools and departments; in grounds and buildings, further providing for limitation on new applications for Department of Education approval of public school building projects; in school directors' associations and county boards of school directors, further providing for powers and duties; in intermediate units, further providing for visual services and for school safety and security enhancements; in certification of teachers, further providing for substitute teaching permit for prospective teachers and for locally issued temporary certification for substitute teachers, repealing provisions relating to permit for classroom monitors and providing for permit for classroom monitors; providing for the Educator Pipeline Support Grant Program; in pupils and attendance, further providing for compulsory education of physical defectives, for school lunch and breakfast reimbursement, for dependent children, for actual cost of tuition and maintenance of certain exceptional children in the four chartered schools for education of the deaf and the blind, for payment of cost of tuition and maintenance of certain exceptional children, for transfer of funds for transferal programs and for children under six with defective hearing and parent or guardian advised of schools, etc.; in safe schools, further providing for definitions and for Office for Safe Schools, repealing provisions relating to regulations and to reporting, further providing for policy relating to bullying and for maintenance of records and repealing provisions relating to Safe Schools Advocate in School Districts of the First Class, to standing, to enforcement and to construction of article and other laws; in school safety and security, further providing for definitions and for school safety and security committee, providing for duties of committee, further providing for School Safety and Security Grant Program, providing for Targeted School Safety Grants for Nonpublic Schools and School Entities Program, for standardized protocols, for county safe schools' collaborative and for school mental health grants for 2023-2024 school year, further providing for school safety and security coordinator training and providing for reporting and memorandum of understanding, for safe schools advocate in school districts of the first class and for enforcement; in school security, further providing for definitions, for school police officers, for annual report and for school security guards; in character education program, further providing for character education program; in community colleges, further providing for financial program and reimbursement of payments; in educational tax credits, further providing for definitions, for qualification and application by organizations and for limitations; in school districts of the first class, further providing for qualifications of principals and teachers; in funding for public libraries, providing for State aid for fiscal year 2023-2024; in reimbursements by Commonwealth and between school districts, further providing for definitions and for payments on account of pupils enrolled in career and technical curriculums, for payments on account of courses for exceptional children, for payments to intermediate units, for assistance to school districts declared to be in financial recovery status or identified for financial watch status, for payments, for payments on account of pupil transportation, for Ready-to-Learn Block Grant and for payment of required contribution for public school employees' Social Security; in construction and renovation of buildings by school entities, further providing for applicability; providing for School Environmental Repairs Program; and making an editorial change.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS
SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 1

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS
TO SENATE AMENDMENTS AS AMENDED

HB 301 (Pr. No. 2311) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in preliminary provisions, further providing for special provisions applicable to limited school years; in duties and powers of board of school directors, further providing for additional schools and departments; in grounds and buildings, further providing for limitation on new applications for Department of Education approval of public school building projects; in school directors' associations and county boards of school directors, further providing for powers and duties; in intermediate units, further providing for visual services and for school safety and security enhancements; in certification of teachers, further providing for substitute teaching permit for prospective teachers and for locally issued temporary certification for substitute teachers, repealing provisions relating to permit for classroom monitors and providing for permit for classroom monitors; providing for the Educator Pipeline Support Grant Program; in pupils and attendance, further providing for compulsory education of physical defectives, for school lunch and breakfast reimbursement, for dependent children, for actual cost of tuition and maintenance of certain exceptional children in the four chartered schools for education of the deaf and the blind, for payment of cost of tuition and maintenance of certain exceptional children, for transfer of funds for transferal programs and for children under six with defective hearing and parent or guardian advised of schools, etc.; in safe schools, further providing for definitions and for Office for Safe Schools, repealing provisions relating to regulations and to reporting, further providing for policy relating to bullying and for maintenance of records and repealing provisions relating to Safe Schools Advocate in School Districts of the First Class, to standing, to enforcement and to construction of article and other laws; in school safety and security, further providing for definitions and for school safety and security committee, providing for duties of committee, further providing for School Safety and Security Grant Program, providing for Targeted School Safety Grants for Nonpublic Schools and School Entities Program, for standardized protocols, for county safe schools' collaborative and for school mental health grants for 2023-2024 school year, further providing for school safety and security coordinator training and providing for reporting and memorandum of understanding, for safe schools advocate in school districts of the first class and for enforcement; in school security, further providing for definitions, for school police officers, for annual report and for school security guards; in character education program, further providing for character education program; in community colleges, further providing for financial program and reimbursement of payments; in educational tax credits, further providing for definitions, for qualification and application by organizations and for limitations; in school districts of the first class, further providing for qualifications of principals and teachers; in funding for public libraries, providing for State aid for fiscal year 2023-2024; in reimbursements by Commonwealth and between school districts, further providing for definitions and for payments on account of pupils enrolled in career and technical curriculums, for payments on account of courses for exceptional children, for payments to intermediate units, for assistance to school districts declared to be in financial recovery status or identified for financial watch status, for payments, for payments on account of pupil transportation, for Ready-to-Learn Block Grant and for payment of required contribution for public school employees' Social Security; in construction and renovation of buildings by school entities, further providing for applicability; providing for School Environmental Repairs Program; and making an editorial change.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate amendments, as further amended by the Senate, to House Bill No. 301?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate amendments, to House Bill No. 301, as further amended by the Senate.

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

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Allegheny, Senator Lindsey Williams.

Senator L. WILLIAMS. Mr. President, since the inception of EITC and OSTC in 2001, Pennsylvania has funneled over \$2 billion--that is "B" billion--of what would otherwise be taxpayer dollars to private and religious schools. Virtually nothing is known about how students have benefited from these programs because we do not collect sufficient data to evaluate them. So, while we do not know if that \$2 billion of taxpayer dollars has made any meaningful difference in educational outcomes for students, we do know that this money is being used by private and religious schools to discriminate against parents and students. A recent report by Education Voters looked at 25 percent of the private schools that participate in the OSTC program. Every single school studied had a clear statement or policy declaring that the school can and will discriminate against students and parents. Here are some lowlights from that report: nearly 1 in 5 schools have explicit statements discriminating against LGBTQ+ students and their families. This includes refusing to enroll or expelling students who identify as a member of the LGBTQ community. Students can also be denied admission or expelled for living in the same household as someone who is LGBTQ, including their own parents. They can even be expelled for merely being supportive of the community. Nearly half of the schools engage in some type of discrimination based on religion. That includes needing a reference letter from clergy members, requiring a student's parents to attend a specific church or parish, or mandating parents and students sign a code of conduct specifying religious beliefs and practices both at home and school. Thirteen percent of schools have explicit, punitive abortion or pregnancy policies. This includes requiring Christian pregnancy counseling, proof of medical care to continue schooling, and expulsion from school if a student obtains or assists in another obtaining an abortion. More than 80 percent of schools have policies that allow them to refuse to admit students if they are not the, quote, right fit, unquote, with the school. "Right fit" is a vague term, and that is the point. These schools choose who to accept and who to refuse for any reason whatsoever, and they actively lobby legislators for the continued right to discriminate, all while accepting \$2 billion of taxpayer money and asking for more.

And finally, more than 50 percent of schools have policies that allow them to discriminate against students based on their disability or how they are currently doing in school. That includes admissions testing, reviewing test scores from previous schools, meeting grade point average requirements, and admitting students on probationary status. Unlike public schools that must educate every resident student who comes through their doors, these private and religious schools do not have to admit students with disabilities or follow their IEPs. Nor are they required to educate students who struggle academically for whatever reason. We know that the very students who proponents claim that the OSTC voucher program was created to assist--students that attend schools with low standardized test scores--can and are turned away because of their low test scores. It has been nearly a year since the Commonwealth Court declared our system of funding public education unconstitutional. Since then, I have stood at this

rostrum many times opposing legislation that upholds that unconstitutional system or even makes it worse. But long before that decision, I have stood up every year in opposition to the School Code because of EITC and OSTC. As in past years, this School Code contains bills I have sponsored, but I stand opposed to any program--EITC, OSTC, or any future voucher program, such as PASS or Lifeline--that discriminate against kids and siphon your tax dollars into billionaires' pockets who seek to defund, destabilize, and destroy public education. Thank you.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I encourage my colleagues to vote in favor of this legislation. This legislation is identical--down to the comma--identical to what we passed here on November 15 with 45 votes. It is a piece of legislation that both the PSEA and the Commonwealth Foundation have expressed support for. It is a piece of legislation that our Governor has indicated that he will support. It is a piece of legislation that supports our community colleges. It is a piece of legislation that supports our libraries. It is a piece of legislation that supports our public educational institutions, and yes, it is a piece of legislation that empowers parents. And I would encourage this Chamber to do what we did on November 13 [15] and demonstrate our bipartisan support for this important and significant legislation. It is time to bring these issues to ground, Mr. President. It is easy to vote "no." It is easy to vote "no" and to find reasons to oppose something. But in this particular piece of legislation, there is a lot to support, and I ask that this Chamber continue to demonstrate what we demonstrated just last month and support this meaningful legislation.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

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

YEA-43

Argall	Comitta	Kane	Santarsiero
Aument	Costa	Langerholec	Schwank
Baker	Culver	Laughlin	Stefano
Bartolotta	Dillon	Martin	Street
Boscola	Dush	Miller	Tartaglione
Brewster	Farry	Pennycuick	Vogel
Brooks	Flynn	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Brown	Fontana	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Cappelletti	Gebhard	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Coleman	Haywood	Robinson	Yaw
Collett	Hughes	Rothman	

NAY-7

DiSanto	Kearney	Muth	Williams, Lindsey
Hutchinson	Mastriano	Saval	

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

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

RECESS

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I request a recess of the Senate for purposes of a meeting of the Committee on Appropriations, to be followed by a meeting of the Committee on Finance, to be followed by a meeting of the Committee on Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure, all to be held immediately in the Rules room.

The PRESIDENT. For purposes of a series of committee meetings to be held off the floor in the Rules room immediately, beginning with the Committee on Appropriations, followed by the Committee on Finance, followed by the Committee on Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure, without objection, the Senate stands in recess.

AFTER RECESS

The PRESIDENT pro tempore (Senator Kim L. Ward) in the Chair.

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

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEES

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

SB 55 (Pr. No. 1169) (Rereported)

An Act amending Titles 23 (Domestic Relations) and 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in child custody, further providing for definitions, for award of custody, for factors to consider when awarding custody, for consideration of criminal conviction, for guardian ad litem for child, for counsel for child and for award of counsel fees, costs and expenses; and, in Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts, providing for child abuse and domestic abuse education and training program for judges and court personnel.

SB 907 (Pr. No. 1291) (Amended) (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in school safety and security, further providing for school safety and security coordinator; and, in school security, further providing for duties of commission and providing for school security personnel.

HB 666 (Pr. No. 609) (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of May 28, 1937 (P.L.955, No.265), referred to as the Housing Authorities Law, further providing for organization of an authority.

HB 689 (Pr. No. 2310) (Rereported)

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

HB 1284 (Pr. No. 2431) (Rereported)

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in rules of the road in general, further providing for automated enforcement of failure to stop for school bus with flashing red lights, for automated speed enforcement systems in active work zones and for pilot program for automated speed enforcement system on designated highway and providing for automated speed enforcement study and for pilot program for automated speed enforcement systems in designated school zones; and imposing a penalty.

HB 1478 (Pr. No. 2175) (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in school health services, further providing for dental examinations and dental hygiene services.

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

SB 559 (Pr. No. 1292) (Amended)

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

SB 560 (Pr. No. 1293) (Amended)

An Act amending the act of October 5, 1978 (P.L.1109, No.261), known as the Osteopathic Medical Practice Act, further providing for definitions; and abrogating regulations.

SB 1017 (Pr. No. 1268)

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in responsible utility customer protection, further providing for declaration of policy, for definitions, for cash deposits and household information requirements, for payment arrangements, for termination of utility service, for reconnection of service, for public utility duties, for reporting of recipients of public assistance, for liens by city natural gas distribution operations, for reporting to General Assembly and Governor and for nonapplicability and repealing provisions relating to expiration.

SB 1019 (Pr. No. 1269)

An Act amending the act of July 9, 1987 (P.L.220, No.39), known as the Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors Act, further providing for definitions, for license required, for State Board of Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors, for powers and functions of board, for qualifications for license, for procedures for licensing, for reciprocity, for endorsement of out-of-State licenses and for reinstatement of license; providing for restrictions on use of title "Licensed Associate Marriage and Family Therapist" and for restrictions on the use of title "Licensed Associate Professional Counselor"; further providing for license renewal and records and fees and for unlawful practice; and providing for effect of associate licensure.

HB 1295 (Pr. No. 1597)

An Act amending Title 63 (Professions and Occupations (State Licensured)) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in powers and duties, further providing for hearing examiners.

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

SB 219 (Pr. No. 188)

An Act amending the act of December 13, 1988 (P.L.1190, No.146), known as the First and Second Class County Property Tax Relief Act, further providing for short title, for definitions, for deferral or exemption authority and for retroactive application.

RESOLUTION REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

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

SR 110 (Pr. No. 704)

A Resolution directing the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee to conduct a performance audit of the Neighborhood Improvement Zone and Allentown Neighborhood Improvement Zone Development Authority programs administered by the Department of Revenue.

The resolution will be placed on the Calendar.

RECESS

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

Senator COSTA. Madam President, I request a recess of the Senate for the purpose of a Democratic caucus to be held in the rear of the Chamber to begin immediately.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Madam President, I certainly ask that Senator Costa's recess be honored. I do believe for the information of the Members that we should be returning to the floor in just about 20 minutes or so, is that--

Senator COSTA. That is sufficient.

Senator PITTMAN. Okay, so, we will see everybody back here in about 20 minutes, Madam President.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. For the purpose of a Democratic caucus to be held in the rear of the Chamber. Without objection, the Senate stands in recess.

AFTER RECESS

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant Governor Austin A. Davis) in the Chair.

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

RECESS

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

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

The PRESIDENT. For the purpose of a meeting of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations to be held off the floor in the Rules room immediately, 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 PITTMAN, from the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations, reported the following bill:

HB 1300 (Pr. No. 2441) (Amended) (Rereported) (*Concurrence*)

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 declined and unclaimed allocations; providing for 911 emergency communication services and for institutions of purely public charity; in Department of Revenue, providing for exclusion from classes of income; providing for indigent defense; in oil and gas wells, further providing for Oil and Gas Lease Fund; in transportation network companies, motor carrier companies and parking authority of a city of the first class, providing for designated municipal agent and authorized salvor for city of the first class; in human services, providing for medical assistance dental services and packages; providing for Attorney General, for Pennsylvania Long-Term Care Council, for Pennsylvania child and dependent care enhancement tax credit program and for additional keystone opportunity expansion zones; in special funds, further providing for funding; in additional special funds and restricted accounts, further providing for establishment of special fund and account, for use of fund and for distributions from Pennsylvania Race Horse Development Fund and repealing provisions relating to Enhanced Revenue Collection Account; in additional special funds and restricted accounts, further providing for definitions, for Sports Tourism and Marketing Account and for transfer of funds and providing for Service and Infrastructure Improvement Fund; in general budget implementation, further providing for executive offices, for Department of Agriculture, for Department of Community and Economic Development, for Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, for Department of Health, for Department of Human Services and for Pennsylvania State Police, providing for Commonwealth Financing Authority, further providing for Federal and Commonwealth use of forest land and for Multimodal Transportation Fund and repealing provisions relating to sales by distilleries; providing for 2023-2024 budget implementation, for 2023-2024 restrictions on appropriations for funds and accounts, for 2023-2024 fund transfers and for prior year appropriations; making repeals; and making an editorial change.

**SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS
SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 2****MOTION NOTWITHSTANDING SENATE RULE 12**

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, as a special order of business, I call up Senate Supplemental Calendar No. 2 and move that the Senate proceed to consider Senate Bill No. 843, notwithstanding the provisions of Senate Rule 12(m)(2).

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE

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

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

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

LEGISLATIVE LEAVES CANCELLED

The PRESIDENT. Senator Dush and Senator DiSanto have returned, and their respective leaves are cancelled.

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

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

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS AS AMENDED

SB 843 (Pr. No. 1290) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in preliminary provisions, further providing for Special Education Funding Commission, for Basic Education Funding Commission and for Commission on Education and Economic Competitiveness and providing for public job posting database, for instructional vacancy data and for data transparency; providing for Interstate Teacher Mobility Compact; in drug and alcohol recovery high school program, further providing for scope of program and selection of students, providing for enrollment of students and further providing for academic programs; in terms and courses of study, further providing for Economic Education and Personal Financial Literacy Programs; in early learning programs, providing for quarterly reporting; in high schools, further providing for attendance in other districts; in educational tax credits, further providing for definitions; in credit card marketing, further providing for regulation of on-campus credit card marketing; in reimbursements by Commonwealth and between school districts, further providing for assistance to school districts declared to be in financial recovery status or identified for financial watch status; and abrogating regulations.

On the question,
Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House, as further amended by the Senate, to Senate Bill No. 843?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 843, as further amended by the Senate.

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

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

YEA-45

Argall	Costa	Kearney	Santarsiero
Aument	Culver	Langerholc	Saval
Baker	Dillon	Laughlin	Schwank
Bartolotta	Dush	Martin	Stefano
Boscola	Farry	Miller	Street
Brewster	Flynn	Pennycuick	Tartaglione
Brooks	Fontana	Phillips-Hill	Vogel

Brown	Gebhard	Pittman	Ward, Judy
Cappelletti	Haywood	Regan	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Hughes	Robinson	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Kane	Rothman	Yaw
Comitta			

NAY-5

DiSanto	Mastriano	Muth	Williams, Lindsey
Hutchinson			

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

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

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, may we be at ease?

The PRESIDENT. The Senate will briefly be at ease.

[The Senate was at ease.]

RECESS

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

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

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

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

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

AFTER RECESS

The PRESIDENT pro tempore (Senator Kim L. Ward) in the Chair.

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

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED

THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR RESUMED

NONPREFERRED APPROPRIATION BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 613 (Pr. No. 2430) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

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

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

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-47

Argall	Costa	Langerhole	Saval
Aument	Culver	Laughlin	Schwank
Baker	Dillon	Martin	Stefano
Bartolotta	Dush	Miller	Street
Boscola	Farry	Muth	Tartaglione
Brewster	Flynn	Pennycuick	Vogel
Brooks	Fontana	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Brown	Gebhard	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Cappelletti	Haywood	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Coleman	Hughes	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Collett	Kane	Rothman	Yaw
Comitta	Kearney	Santarsiero	

NAY-3

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

Ordered, That the Secretary of the Senate return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVES CANCELLED

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Senator Haywood and Senator Lindsey Williams have returned, and their legislative leaves are cancelled.

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED

THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR RESUMED

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

SB 149 (Pr. No. 734) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

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

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

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-41

Argall	Culver	Langerhole	Schwank
Aument	Dillon	Laughlin	Stefano
Baker	Farry	Martin	Street
Bartolotta	Flynn	Miller	Tartaglione
Boscola	Fontana	Muth	Vogel
Brewster	Gebhard	Pittman	Ward, Judy
Brown	Haywood	Regan	Ward, Kim
Cappelletti	Hughes	Robinson	Williams, Anthony H.

Collett	Kane	Santarsiero	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kearney	Saval	Yaw
Costa			

NAY-9

Brooks	Dush	Mastriano	Phillips-Hill
Coleman	Hutchinson	Pennycuick	Rothman
DiSanto			

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.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVES

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

Senator COSTA. Madam President, I request legislative leaves for Senator Boscola and Senator Anthony Williams.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Senator Costa requests legislative leaves for Senator Boscola and Senator Anthony Williams. Without objection, the leaves will be granted.

CONSIDERATION OF CALENDAR RESUMED

THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR RESUMED

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 269 and SB 346 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator PITTMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

SB 634 (Pr. No. 673) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of February 14, 2008 (P.L.6, No.3), known as the Right-to-Know Law, in procedure, further providing for exceptions for public records.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Montgomery, Senator Pennycuick.

Senator PENNYCUICK. Madam Chair, there is currently a loophole in the Commonwealth's Right-to-Know Law. If an individual is utilizing a device designed to accommodate a disability in their privileged environment, these materials are not subject to the same exemptions from the Right-to-Know as other materials. For example, the mayor in a community of my district is deaf and uses a device when in executive sessions to generate a visual transcript of the conversation, similar to what our own Senator Fetterman uses. This is an essential accommodation for him to be able to participate in these sessions. The paper readouts generated by this device are not explicitly exempt from the Right-to-Know Law as other materials already in executive session, and they

should be placed under the same protection. And I want to be clear, we are not creating a new rule surrounding the type of information that is exempt, only ensuring that the law is applied equally and covers certain disability accommodations. This is a commonsense measure that will help to further ensure that those with disabilities enjoy the same rights and privileges and protections in our Commonwealth, and I ask for an affirmative vote.

Thank you, Madam President.

And the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-50

Argall	Culver	Langerholc	Santarsiero
Aument	Dillon	Laughlin	Saval
Baker	DiSanto	Martin	Schwank
Bartolotta	Dush	Mastriano	Stefano
Boscola	Farry	Miller	Street
Brewster	Flynn	Muth	Tartaglione
Brooks	Fontana	Pennycuick	Vogel
Brown	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Cappelletti	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Hughes	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kane	Rothman	Yaw
Costa	Kearney		

NAY-0

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

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

BILL OVER IN ORDER

SB 831 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator PITTMAN.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION
AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 863 (Pr. No. 2410) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in employees, further providing for powers and duties of commission.

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

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Philadelphia, Senator Dillon.

Senator DILLON. Madam President, I rise today to ask my colleagues to join me on voting "yes" on House Bill No. 863. This

is a crucial issue for me and a crucial issue for the people who I represent in northeast Philadelphia. While the police officer shortage is a statewide concern, Philadelphia is the city that feels the most pain in terms of this. In September, the Philadelphia Police Department enrolled its largest city of new officers in more than 5 years. But experts agree, one class cannot make up or instantly fix our shortage or our officers' severe manpower problem. Let me share some eye-opening numbers with you. Over 2,800 candidates expressed the desire to serve in the recent Philadelphia Police Academy orientations. Shockingly, 33 percent of them were turned away due to reading scores, and 25 percent were disqualified because of agility scores. These are not just numbers. They are missed opportunities. They represent committed individuals who could be protecting and serving our neighborhoods. Our communities deserve the best, and that means embracing flexibility without compromising quality.

By adopting this measure, we can show our constituents that we care about investing in public safety and committing to supporting our men and women in blue. It shows that we do not want cops suffering from burnout. It shows that we take into consideration their workload. It shows that we care about safety and the people who we represent. Making fitness requirements more flexible will not lower the quality of our officers who graduate from our police academies. Instead, it opens a door to a pool of untapped talent, increasing the number of dedicated public servants who are eager to safeguard our streets. A vote for House Bill No. 863 recognizes that qualities needed to be a great officer go beyond standardized testing. By embracing flexibility, we are ensuring that those with the commitment character to serve are given a fair chance. With that in mind, again, I ask my colleagues for an affirmative vote on this bill.

Thank you, Madam President.

And the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-50

Argall	Culver	Langerholc	Santarsiero
Aument	Dillon	Laughlin	Saval
Baker	DiSanto	Martin	Schwank
Bartolotta	Dush	Mastriano	Stefano
Boscola	Farry	Miller	Street
Brewster	Flynn	Muth	Tartaglione
Brooks	Fontana	Pennycuick	Vogel
Brown	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Cappelletti	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Hughes	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kane	Rothman	Yaw
Costa	Kearney		

NAY-0

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

Ordered, That the Secretary of the Senate return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant Governor Austin A. Davis) in the Chair.

BILL OVER IN ORDER AND LAID ON THE TABLE

SB 882 (Pr. No. 1031) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, in Pennsylvania Liquor Stores, further providing for sales by Pennsylvania Liquor Stores.

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

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

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

HB 900 (Pr. No. 2406) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 61 (Prisons and Parole) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in general administration, further providing for State recording system for application of restraints to pregnant prisoners or detainees; in county correctional institutions, further providing for county recording system for application of restraints to pregnant prisoners or detainees; providing for Department of Human Services facilities; and, in miscellaneous provisions, further providing for healthy birth for incarcerated women and providing for restrictive housing prohibited for pregnant or postpartum incarcerated individuals and detainees, for cavity search and inspection restrictions, for training and education requirement, for feminine hygiene and incontinence products and for postpartum recovery.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

Senator BARTOLOTTA. Mr. President, I rise to speak to House Bill No. 900, and I am very, very pleased that it is finally seeing the light of day. I am very happy to have been a part of this process for some time. Protecting the basic dignity and safety of women in prison is an issue that I care deeply about, and I have prime sponsored legislation in the Senate the past two Sessions that have been very similar to House Bill No. 900. Archaic practices, such as unnecessary cavity searches and shackles on pregnant women, adds potential complications for pregnancy, as soon-to-be moms experience heightened stress, anxiety, and lack of sleep. These are all factors that we know have a direct impact on developing babies. This bill is an important step in addressing these issues by providing training for staff who have contact with pregnant, laboring, or postpartum women and adds a new layer of protection by ensuring proper reporting requirements are in place for when cavity searches and restraints are deemed necessary. Another aspect that our bills had in common is ensuring that female inmates have access to feminine hygiene products at no cost. I want to thank Representative Cephas and her staff, and

Senator Lisa Baker and her staff, for the very important work on this legislation, and I ask my colleagues for an affirmative vote.

Thank you, Mr. President.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, I request a temporary Capitol leave for Senator Miller.

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

And the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

Senator STREET. Mr. President, I also rise to urge a "yes" vote on this bill. The protection of women who are pregnant and are able to get the basic dignity--even when incarcerated--is incredibly important. It is the kind of fundamental thing we should have done. I applaud the House for advancing this bill--and the maker--and would urge a "yes" vote on this bill. This is the kind of thing that we do that respects the dignity of all people, even women who have found themselves in the custody of the Commonwealth. As custodians, we need to be good stewards, and we need to do what is right. So, I urge a "yes" vote. Thank you.

And the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-50

Argall	Culver	Langerholz	Santarsiero
Aument	Dillon	Laughlin	Saval
Baker	DiSanto	Martin	Schwank
Bartolotta	Dush	Mastriano	Stefano
Boscola	Farry	Miller	Street
Brewster	Flynn	Muth	Tartaglione
Brooks	Fontana	Pennycuik	Vogel
Brown	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Cappelletti	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Hughes	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kane	Rothman	Yaw
Costa	Kearney		

NAY-0

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

Ordered, That the Secretary of the Senate return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

HB 1096 (Pr. No. 2433) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, in preliminary provisions, further providing for definitions; in Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board, establishing the Stop-and-Go Legislative Task Force; and, in licenses and regulations and liquor, alcohol and malt and brewed beverages, further providing for public venue license and for limiting number of retail licenses to be issued in each county.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-49

Table with 4 columns: Argall, Culver, Kearney, Santarsiero, Aument, Dillon, Langerholc, Saval, Baker, DiSanto, Laughlin, Schwank, Bartolotta, Dush, Martin, Stefano, Boscola, Farry, Miller, Street, Brewster, Flynn, Muth, Tartaglione, Brooks, Fontana, Pennycuick, Vogel, Brown, Gebhard, Phillips-Hill, Ward, Judy, Cappelletti, Haywood, Pittman, Ward, Kim, Coleman, Hughes, Regan, Williams, Anthony H., Collett, Hutchinson, Robinson, Williams, Lindsey, Comitta, Kane, Rothman, Yaw, Costa

NAY-1

Mastriano

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

Ordered, That the Secretary of the Senate return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

HB 1131 (Pr. No. 1186) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, 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.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-50

Table with 4 columns: Argall, Culver, Langerholc, Santarsiero, Aument, Dillon, Laughlin, Saval, Baker, DiSanto, Martin, Schwank

Table with 4 columns: Bartolotta, Dush, Mastriano, Stefano, Boscola, Farry, Miller, Street, Brewster, Flynn, Muth, Tartaglione, Brooks, Fontana, Pennycuick, Vogel, Brown, Gebhard, Phillips-Hill, Ward, Judy, Cappelletti, Haywood, Pittman, Ward, Kim, Coleman, Hughes, Regan, Williams, Anthony H., Collett, Hutchinson, Robinson, Williams, Lindsey, Comitta, Kane, Rothman, Yaw, Costa, Kearney

NAY-0

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

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

HB 1258 (Pr. No. 2434) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in terms and courses of study, providing for calculation of average daily membership for a dual credit course.

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

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-50

Table with 4 columns: Argall, Culver, Langerholc, Santarsiero, Aument, Dillon, Laughlin, Saval, Baker, DiSanto, Martin, Schwank, Bartolotta, Dush, Mastriano, Stefano, Boscola, Farry, Miller, Street, Brewster, Flynn, Muth, Tartaglione, Brooks, Fontana, Pennycuick, Vogel, Brown, Gebhard, Phillips-Hill, Ward, Judy, Cappelletti, Haywood, Pittman, Ward, Kim, Coleman, Hughes, Regan, Williams, Anthony H., Collett, Hutchinson, Robinson, Williams, Lindsey, Comitta, Kane, Rothman, Yaw, Costa, Kearney

NAY-0

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

Ordered, That the Secretary of the Senate return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

HB 1289 (Pr. No. 1757) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 68 (Real and Personal Property) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in residential real property, providing for repudiation of discriminatory real estate covenants.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-50

Argall	Culver	Langerholec	Santarsiero
Aument	Dillon	Laughlin	Saval
Baker	DiSanto	Martin	Schwank
Bartolotta	Dush	Mastriano	Stefano
Boscola	Farry	Miller	Street
Brewster	Flynn	Muth	Tartaglione
Brooks	Fontana	Pennycuick	Vogel
Brown	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Cappelletti	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Hughes	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kane	Rothman	Yaw
Costa	Kearney		

NAY-0

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

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

BILL OVER IN ORDER

HB 1304 -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator PITTMAN.

SECOND CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

HB 95, HB 250, SB 259, SB 265, SB 363 and SB 365 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator PITTMAN.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

SB 375 (Pr. No. 905) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in certification of teachers, repealing provisions relating to CPR instruction; and, in school health services, repealing provisions relating to automatic external defibrillators and providing for AED and CPR instruction and procedure, establishing the Automated External Defibrillator (AED) Program and providing for availability and specifications of automated external defibrillators.

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

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 501, SB 577 and SB 667 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator PITTMAN.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION AND REREFERRED

SB 832 (Pr. No. 1277) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 71 (State Government) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in boards and offices, establishing the Independent Energy Office.

Considered the second time and agreed to,
Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.
Upon motion of Senator PITTMAN, and agreed to by voice vote, the bill just considered was rereferred to the Committee on Appropriations.

BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 845 and SB 975 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator PITTMAN.

BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION AND REREFERRED

SB 978 (Pr. No. 1234) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, 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 appointment of accountant.

Considered the second time and agreed to,
Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.
Upon motion of Senator PITTMAN, and agreed to by voice vote, the bill just considered was rereferred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SB 982 (Pr. No. 1235) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of May 1, 1933 (P.L.103, No.69), known as The Second Class Township Code, in contracts, further providing for letting contracts.

Considered the second time and agreed to,
Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.
Upon motion of Senator PITTMAN, and agreed to by voice vote, the bill just considered was rereferred to the Committee on Appropriations.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

SB 1020 (Pr. No. 1267) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 5796, carrying State Route 4001 over U.S. Route 22 in Allegheny Township, Blair County, as the LCPL Ralph J. Fabbri USMC Memorial Bridge.

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

BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION
AND REREFERRED

HB 1231 (Pr. No. 1322) -- 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 organization of departmental administrative boards and commissions and of advisory boards and commissions, further providing for State Planning Board.

Considered the second time and agreed to,
Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.
Upon motion of Senator PITTMAN, and agreed to by voice vote, the bill just considered was rereferred to the Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1232 (Pr. No. 1323) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 8 (Boroughs and Incorporated Towns) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in powers and duties of elected officials, further providing for surcharge by auditors; in powers, duties and rights of appointed officers and employees, further providing for borough manager created by ordinance and election, for powers and duties, for other offices not incompatible and for organization of commission; and, in taxation and finance, further providing for preparation of budget.

Considered the second time and agreed to,
Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.
Upon motion of Senator PITTMAN, and agreed to by voice vote, the bill just considered was rereferred to the Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1234 (Pr. No. 1325) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 11 (Cities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in city administrator, further providing for appointment of city administrator, for employment agreement, for residency and elective city office and for powers and duties; and, in accounts and finances, further providing for powers and duties of chief fiscal officer.

Considered the second time and agreed to,
Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.
Upon motion of Senator PITTMAN, and agreed to by voice vote, the bill just considered was rereferred to the Committee on Appropriations.

HB 1243 (Pr. No. 2127) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in licensing of drivers, providing for application for REAL ID.

Considered the second time and agreed to,
Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.
Upon motion of Senator PITTMAN, and agreed to by voice vote, the bill just considered was rereferred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

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

The PRESIDENT. For the purpose of a meeting of the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations to be held immediately 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.

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

Senator BARTOLOTTA, 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 ACCOUNTANCY

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks (Public Member), 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Accountancy, 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 Tina Miller, Pittsburgh, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Accountancy, to serve until February

9, 2026, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Philip Reck, York, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, 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 Accountancy, 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 Rollage, Canonsburg, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE ANIMAL HEALTH
AND DIAGNOSTIC COMMISSION

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth 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 Brian Reed, Manheim, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE APPALACHIAN STATES
LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE COMMISSION

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire (Alternate), 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Appalachian States Low-Level Radioactive Waste Commission, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, vice Martin Raniowski, Mechanicsburg, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE APPALACHIAN STATES
LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE COMMISSION

December 7, 2023

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 September 22, 2023, of Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17057, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Appalachian States Low-level Radioactive Waste Commission, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, vice Michael Wolf, Enola, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE ARCHITECTS LICENSURE BOARD

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr. (Public Member), 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg, 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Architects Licensure Board, 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 David Majernik, Pittsburgh, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF
PENNSYLVANIA COUNCIL ON THE ARTS

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Council on the Arts, to serve until July 1, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Gayle Isa, Philadelphia, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD
OF AUCTIONEER EXAMINERS

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks (Public Member), 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Auctioneer

Examiners, 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 Timothy Wiggin, Mechanicsburg, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD
OF AUCTIONEER EXAMINERS

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Auctioneer Examiners, 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 Matthew Rader, Skip-pack, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD
OF AUCTIONEER EXAMINERS

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Auctioneer Examiners, 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 Mary Louise Doyle, Pottstown, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-second [sic] Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Barber Examiners, 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 Ronald Gray, Hatboro, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks (Public Member), 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Barber Examiners, 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 Margaret Moore, Harrisburg, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Barber Examiners, 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 Sharon Dell, Hummelstown, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of 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 Barber Examiners, 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 Donald Yost, Gaines, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA CANCER CONTROL,
PREVENTION AND RESEARCH ADVISORY BOARD

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Cancer Control, Prevention and Research Advisory Board, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Joel Noumoff, Wynnewood, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Amanda Warren, 213 Locust Street, Unit 301, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Chiropractic, to serve until November 16, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Joseph Halloran, Philadelphia, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of 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 Chiropractic, 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 Miriam Woods, Maple Glen, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

CLERK OF COURTS, BUCKS COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, and then corrected on September 22, 2023, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Clerk of Courts, in and for the County of Bucks, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice Brian Munroe, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

CLERK OF COURTS, DAUPHIN COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, and then corrected on September 22, 2023, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Clerk of

Courts, in and for the County of Dauphin, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice Dale E. Klein, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

November 21, 2023

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 July 13, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Conservation Commission, to serve until May 30, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Heidi Secord, Stroudsburg, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE CONSTABLES' EDUCATION AND TRAINING BOARD

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Constables' Education and Training Board, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Rodney Ruddock, Indiana, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

CONTROLLER, ARMSTRONG COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Controller, in and for the County of Armstrong, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice Myra L. Miller, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks (Public Member), 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Cosmetology, 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 Elaine Gowaty, Murrysville, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY

November 21, 2023

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 July 13, 2023, and then corrected on July 17, 2023, of Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Cosmetology, to serve until May 12, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Deborah Craft, Erie, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Cosmetology, 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 James Farrell, Erie, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY

November 21, 2023

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 July 13, 2023, of 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 Cosmetology, to serve until February 9, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Terri Snoe, Wexford, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE DELAWARE VALLEY
REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Delaware Valley Regional Planning Commission, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, vice Gina Burritt, Havertown, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of 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 Dentistry, 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 Alice Hart Hughes, Newtown, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, 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 Jeffrey Pincus, Hummelstown, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Anne Gingrich Cornick, Esquire, 2311 Briarcliff Road, Harrisburg 17104, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for

appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, 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 George Pajovich, Royersford, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, 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 Weida, Litz, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, 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 Susan Williams, Clearfield, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Victoria S. Madden, Esquire, 1056 Brandt Avenue, Lemoyne 17043, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, 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 Janis Creason, Harrisburg, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Theron Perez, Esquire, 22 Tall Tree Drive, Camp Hill 17011, York County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, 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 Jeffrey Runge, Philadelphia, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, 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 John Keegan, Hazleton, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Mary K. Topper, Esquire, 232 Sylvania Avenue, Glenside 19038, Montgomery County, Fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, 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 Richard Grimaldi, Connellsville, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

November 21, 2023

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 July

26, 2023, of Amanda Warren, 213 Locust Street, Unit 301, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, 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 Pamela Higgins, Harrisburg, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, 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 Joan Tarloff, Collegeville, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

December 7, 2023

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 September 22, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Education, to serve until October 1, 2026, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Pamela Gunter-Smith, York, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
ENERGY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Energy Development Authority, to serve until April 8, 2026, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Robert Sanders, Philadelphia, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF
TRUSTEES OF HAMBURG CENTER

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of 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 Hamburg Center, to serve until January 19, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Nancy Houser, Bernville, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE HEALTH POLICY BOARD

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Health Policy Board, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice C. Michael Blackwood, Mars, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE HEALTH POLICY BOARD

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of 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 for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Lisa Frank, Pittsburgh, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE HEALTH POLICY BOARD

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Amanda Warren, 213 Locust Street, Unit 301, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Health Policy Board, to serve for a term of three

years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Robert Armstrong, Hershey, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

SECRETARY OF HEALTH

December 7, 2023

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 September 22, 2023, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Secretary of Health, to serve until January 19, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Rachel Levine, Middletown, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE HEALTH POLICY BOARD

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Health Policy Board, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice John Scullin, Adamsville, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Human Relations Commission, to serve for a term of five years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Kathleen Dormer-Carusone, Mechanicsburg, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Human Relations Commission, to serve for a term of five years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Gerald Robinson, Lancaster, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Human Relations Commission, to serve until October 1, 2023, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Adrian Shanker, Easton, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE INDUSTRIAL BOARD

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Industrial Board, to serve until January 19, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Bony Dawood, Mechanicsburg, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE INDUSTRIAL BOARD

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Industrial Board, to serve until January 19, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice David Abel, Scranton, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
BERKS COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 22, 2023, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Berks County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2026, vice Jeffrey K. Sprecher, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
BERKS COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Berks County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Paul Yatron, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
BLAIR COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Derek Riker, Esquire, 2111 Brandywine Street, Philadelphia 19130, Philadelphia County, Third Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Blair County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice Timothy M. Sullivan, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
BUCKS COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 July 13, 2023, and then corrected on August 10, 2023, and then corrected on August 22, 2023, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for

appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Bucks County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Diane E. Gibbons, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
CHESTER COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Addie Abelson, Esquire, 158 Erford Road, Apartment 404, Camp Hill 17011, Cumberland County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Chester County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice Edward Griffith, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
CHESTER COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Theron Perez, Esquire, 22 Tall Tree Drive, Camp Hill 17011, York County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Chester County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice David F. Bortner, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COMMONWEALTH COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Anne Gingrich Cornick, Esquire, 2311 Briarcliff Road, Harrisburg 17104, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Commonwealth Court of Pennsylvania, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Kevin Brobson, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
DAUPHIN COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Dauphin County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Richard A. Lewis, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
ERIE COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Erie County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Stephanie A. Domitrovich, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
LANCASTER COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Addie Abelson, Esquire, 158 Erford Road, Apartment 404, Camp Hill 17011, Cumberland County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Lancaster County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice Shawn M. Long, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
LEBANON COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 July 13, 2023, and then corrected on August 10, 2023, and then corrected on August 22, 2023, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Lebanon County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Samuel A. Kline, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
LYCOMING COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Anne Gingrich Cornick, Esquire, 2311 Briarcliff Road, Harrisburg 17104, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Lycoming County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Marc F. Lovecchio, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
MONTGOMERY COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Montgomery County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice Gary S. Silow, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, and then corrected on September 22, 2023, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Northampton County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice Stephen G. Baratta, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
PHILADELPHIA COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for

appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Philadelphia County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2026, vice Kai N. Scott, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
SCHUYLKILL COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Schuylkill County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable William Baldwin, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, SUPERIOR COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA

December 1, 2023

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 July 13, 2023, of Anne Gingrich Cornick, Esquire, 2311 Briarcliff Road, Harrisburg 17104, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Superior Court of Pennsylvania, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Jacqueline Shogan, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
VENANGO COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Venango County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Oliver J. Lobaugh, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
YORK COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of 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 E. Bortner, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA

December 1, 2023

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 July 13, 2023, of Anne Gingrich Cornick, Esquire, 2311 Briarcliff Road, Harrisburg 17104, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Justice, Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Max Baer, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD
OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks (Public Member), 1801 North Second Street #2, 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 Megan Carpenter, Beaver, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD
OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of 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 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 Edward Rak, Glenshaw, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks (Public Member), 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF MEDICINE

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks (Public Member), 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF MEDICINE

November 21, 2023

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 July 13, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Medicine, to serve until June 23, 2024,

and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Walter Eisenhower, Jersey Shore, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA MINORITY BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA MINORITY BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Minority Business Development Authority, to serve until June 2, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Jenine Diaz, Harrisburg, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

JUDGE, PHILADELPHIA MUNICIPAL COURT

December 1, 2023

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 July 13, 2023, and then corrected on August 10, 2023, and then corrected on August 22, 2023, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Philadelphia Municipal Court, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Thomas F. Gehret, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

JUDGE, PHILADELPHIA MUNICIPAL COURT

December 1, 2023

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 July 13, 2023, of Anne Gingrich Cornick, Esquire, 2311 Briarcliff Road, Harrisburg 17104, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Philadelphia Municipal Court, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Nazario Jimenez, Jr., resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF NORRISTOWN STATE HOSPITAL

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Norristown State Hospital, to serve until January 16, 2029, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Raymond Catton, Phoenixville, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF NURSING

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks (Public Member), 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF NURSING

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Nursing, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but

not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Jason Owen, Erie, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS
OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Addie Abelson, Esquire, 158 Erford Road, Apartment 404, Camp Hill 17011, Cumberland County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators, to serve until June 30, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Diane Baldi, Scranton, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS
OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators, 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 Shadduck, Warren Center, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS
OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice William McIlwaine, Millersville, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Amanda Warren, 213 Locust Street, Unit 301, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators, to serve until October 23, 2023, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Anne Holladay, Muncy, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of 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 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY EDUCATION AND LICENSURE

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks (Public Member), 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY EDUCATION AND LICENSURE

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Occupational Therapy Education and Licensure, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Richard Turner, Mercer, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, 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 Davis Haire, Meshoppen, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Optometry, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Lisa Hegedus, Jeannette, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Optometry, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Brian Fill, Tarentum, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Amanda Warren, 213 Locust Street, Unit 301, Harrisburg 17101, 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 Carl Urbanski, Mountain Top, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks (Public Member), 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Osteopathic Medicine, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is

appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Joanne Coolen, Hershey, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Industrial Development Authority, to serve until July 24, 2028, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Guy Ciarrocchi, Paoli, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Industrial Development Authority, to serve until July 24, 2030, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice B. Michael Schaul, Mechanicsburg, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Industrial Development Authority, to serve until July 24, 2026, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Janis Herschkowitz, Hummelstown, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Pharmacy, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Kishor Mehta, Gibsonia, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks (Public Member), 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, 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 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

PHYSICIAN GENERAL

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of David Galinsky, M.D., 267 Meeting House Lane, Merion Station 19066, Montgomery County, Seventeenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Physician General, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, vice Denise Johnson, M.D., Meadville, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PODIATRY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth 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 Edward Snell, Pittsburgh, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PODIATRY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of 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 Melissa Haluszczak, Coraopolis, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PODIATRY

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, of 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF POLK CENTER

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, and then corrected on September 22, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, 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 James Culbertson, Franklin, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF POLK CENTER

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, and then corrected on September 22, 2023, of Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Polk Center, to serve until January 21, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Jack Kyle, Franklin, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF POLK CENTER

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, and then corrected on September 22, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Polk Center, to serve until January 19, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Eleanora Miller, Grove City, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF POLK CENTER

November 29, 2023

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 August 11, 2023, and then corrected on September 22, 2023, of 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS
AND PRACTICES COMMISSION

November 21, 2023

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 July 13, 2023, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Professional Standards and Practices Commission, to serve until January 20, 2026, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Mark Anderson, Columbia, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

COMMISSIONER OF PROFESSIONAL
AND OCCUPATIONAL AFFAIRS

November 21, 2023

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 July 13, 2023, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Commissioner of Professional and Occupational Affairs, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, vice Kalonji Johnson, Harrisburg, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF COURTS,
ARMSTRONG COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Prothonotary and Clerk of Courts, in and for the County of Armstrong, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice Brenda C. George, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Real Estate Commission, to serve for a term of five years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Alexis Barbieri, Philadelphia, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF
CERTIFIED REAL ESTATE APPRAISERS

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks (Public Member), 1801 North Second Street #2, 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 Kurt Brink, Milford, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF
CERTIFIED REAL ESTATE APPRAISERS

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial

District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Certified Real Estate Appraisers, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Donna Rovito, Allentown, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF
CERTIFIED REAL ESTATE APPRAISERS

November 21, 2023

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 July 13, 2023, 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 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 Jeffrey Walters, Wormleysburg, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

RECORDER OF DEEDS, CHESTER COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, and then corrected on September 22, [sic], of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Recorder of Deeds, in and for the County of Chester, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice Christopher Pielli, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

REGISTER OF WILLS AND RECORDER
OF DEEDS, FRANKLIN COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 July 13, 2023, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Register of Wills and Recorder of Deeds, in and for the County of Franklin, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice Linda L. Miller, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

REGISTER OF WILLS AND CLERK OF ORPHANS' COURT,
BERKS COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Register of Wills and Clerk of Orphans' Court, in and for the County of Berks, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice Larry Medaglia, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEE
RETIREMENT COMMISSION

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Public Employee Retirement Commission, to serve until October 27, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Christ Zervanos, Harrisburg, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF SELINGROVE CENTER

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17057, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Selingsrove Center, to serve until January 16, 2029, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Margaret Keller, Port Trevorton, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

SHERIFF, CARBON COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, and then corrected on September 22, 2023, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Sheriff, in and

for the County of Carbon, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice Anthony Harvilla, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, 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 Amy Keisling, Harrisburg, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists and Professional Counselors, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Jennifer Easter, Lebanon, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
SOUTH MOUNTAIN RESTORATION CENTER

November 28, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks (Public Member), 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 21, 2023

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 July 13, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Examiners 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 Nancy Stimson, Douglassville, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF TORRANCE STATE HOSPITAL

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Torrance State Hospital, to serve until January 21, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Edward Picchiarini, Greensburg, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

November 29, 2023

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

September 5, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, and then corrected on September 22, 2023, of Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17057, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Transportation Commission, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Charles H. Martin, Doylestown, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Transportation Commission, to serve until October 23, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Chad Amond, Greensburg, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

TREASURER, SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, and then corrected on September 22, 2023, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 3115 Wayland Road, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Treasurer, in and for the County of Susquehanna, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice Jason D. Miller, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Addie Abelson, Esquire (Public Member), 158 Erford Road, Apartment 404, Camp Hill 17011, Cumberland County, Thirty-fourth 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, 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 Brian Bentley, Newtown, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street,

Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Lance Alexander, Blairsville, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Amanda Warren (Public Member), 213 Locust Street, Unit 301, Harrisburg 17101, 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Veterinary Medicine, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Meredith Odato Graham, McMurray, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF WARREN STATE HOSPITAL

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, 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 William McCarthy, Erie, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF WERNERSVILLE STATE HOSPITAL

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, 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 16, 2029, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Kenneth Harting, Wernersville, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF WERNERSVILLE STATE HOSPITAL

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Wernersville State Hospital, to serve until January 21, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Ivan Torres, Reading, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF WERNERSVILLE STATE HOSPITAL

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Amanda Warren, 213 Locust Street, Unit 301, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Wernersville State Hospital, to serve until January 19, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Redith Snoberger, Lebanon, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

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

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, 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 January 16, 2029, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Gerald LaValle, New Castle, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

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

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17057, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of [the] Western Youth Development Centers, to serve until January 16, 2029, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Thomas Fee, New Castle, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

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

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of [the] Western Youth Development Centers, to serve until January 19, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Joseph Fragle, Sharon, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

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

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of 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 January 19, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Loretta Hogans, New Castle, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF WHITE HAVEN CENTER

November 21, 2023

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 July 26, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of White Haven Center, to serve until January 21, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Tammy Martin, Freeland, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF WHITE HAVEN CENTER

November 29, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Moriah Hathaway, 112 Juniata Hall, Middletown 17057, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of White Haven Center, to serve until January 16, 2029, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Richard J. Cortese, Pocono Lake, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Amanda Warren, 213 Locust Street, Unit 301, Harrisburg 17101, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Allegheny, Magisterial District 05-2-32, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Linda Zucco, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

December 1, 2023

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 October 13, 2023, of 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 Allegheny, Magisterial District 05-2-31, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice Mikhail Pappas, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of 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 Beaver, Magisterial District 36-3-01, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Dale F. Nicholson, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of 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 Chester, Magisterial District 15-3-06, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Michael J. Cabry, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

December 1, 2023

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 July 13, 2023, of 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 Dauphin, Magisterial District 12-1-04, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable David F. O'Leary, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of 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 Delaware, Magisterial District 32-1-22, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Spencer B. Seaton, Jr., resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

December 1, 2023

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 September 22, 2023, of 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 Delaware, Magisterial District 32-1-31, to serve until the first Monday of January 2026, vice Philip S. Turner, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of 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 Delaware, Magisterial District 32-1-35, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Ann Berardocco, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the Counties of Juniata and Perry, Magisterial District 41-3-05, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Elizabeth R. Frownfelter, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of Lancaster, Magisterial District 02-3-01, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Scott E. Albert, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of Aaron H. Danks, 1801 North Second Street #2, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of York, Magisterial District 19-2-03, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Keith L. Albright, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

December 1, 2023

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 September 5, 2023, of 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 York, Magisterial District 19-1-03, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Dwayne A. Dubs, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

NOMINATIONS RETURNED TO THE GOVERNOR

Senator BARTOLOTTA. 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 BARTOLOTTA, 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 STATE CHARTER SCHOOL APPEAL BOARD

November 6, 2023

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, Carol Aichele, 2424 Dickson Lane, Malvern 19355, Chester County, Nineteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Charter School Appeal Board, to serve until June 14, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Jonathan Peri, Glen Mills, whose term expired and whose last day was April 23, 2021.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE CHARTER SCHOOL APPEAL BOARD

November 6, 2023

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, Donald Alexander, 107 Carriage Hill Road, Glenshaw 15116, Allegheny County, Thirty-eighth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Charter School Appeal Board, to serve until June 14, 2026, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Stacey Marten, Lancaster, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE CHARTER SCHOOL APPEAL BOARD

November 6, 2023

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, Helena Gaspar-Liddle, 405 Woodland Avenue, Oakmont 15139, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Charter School Appeal Board, to serve until June 14, 2026, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Jodi Schwartz, Warrington, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE CHARTER SCHOOL APPEAL BOARD

November 6, 2023

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, Lisa Kennedy, 739 Linden Avenue, York 17404, York County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Charter School Appeal Board, to serve until June 14, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Mitchell Yanyanin, New Brighton, whose term expired and whose last day was April 23, 2021.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE CHARTER SCHOOL APPEAL BOARD

November 6, 2023

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 Killion, 3 Laura Lynn Lane, Glen Mills 19342, Delaware County, Ninth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the State Charter School Appeal Board, to serve until June 14, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF CLARKS SUMMIT STATE HOSPITAL

October 17, 2023

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, Antoinette Hamidian, 13 Union Mill Road, Covington Township 18444, Lackawanna County, Fortieth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Clarks Summit State Hospital, to serve until January 16, 2029, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Warren Watkins, Clarks Summit, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF TRUSTEES OF EAST
STROUDSBURG UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

November 6, 2023

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, Elizabeth O'Brien, 207 School Side Drive, Throop 18512, Lackawanna County, Twenty-second Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Bruno Klaus, Stroudsburg, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF TRUSTEES OF EAST
STROUDSBURG UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

November 6, 2023

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 Pekarovsky III, 416 Elm Avenue, Apt. 102, Kingston 18704, Luzerne County, Twentieth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of East

Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Laurie Kuzneski, 126 Valley Road, Indiana 15701, Indiana County, Forty-first Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Indiana University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, David Osikowicz, 901 East Mahoning Street, Punxsutawney 15767, Jefferson County, Forty-first Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Indiana University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Nathan Spade, 1060 Elliott Lane, York 17403, York County, Twenty-eighth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Indiana University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Sandra Green, 230 South Baldy Street, Kutztown 19530, Berks County, Eleventh Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Kutztown University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Charles Blocksidge, McKees Rocks, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Robert Grim, 130 North Kemp Road, Kutztown 19530, Berks County, Eleventh Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Kutztown University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Kevin Harden, Jr., 6436 Emlen Street, Philadelphia 19119, Philadelphia County, Fourth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Kutztown University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Dianne Lutz, 6463 Penn Avenue, Wernersville 19565, Berks County, Forty-eighth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Kutztown University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Robert L. Archie, Jr., 400 West Hortter Street, Apt. 603, Philadelphia 19119, Philadelphia County, Fourth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Lincoln University of the Commonwealth System of Higher Education, to serve until August 31, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Kevin Vaughan, 1621 Pine Street, Philadelphia 19103, Philadelphia County, First Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Lincoln University of the Commonwealth System of Higher Education, to serve until August 31, 2026, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Jordan Harris, 1353 South 31st Street, Philadelphia 19146, Philadelphia County, Eighth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Millersville University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Michael Warfel, 19 Marina Drive, Camp Hill 17011, Cumberland County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Millersville University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Mohamed Yamba, 105 Urick Lane, Monroeville 15146, Allegheny County, Forty-fifth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Pennsylvania Western University of the State System of Higher Education, to serve until September 21, 2028, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Stephen DeFrank, Harrisburg, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY

November 6, 2023

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, David M. Davis, 1001 South 17th Street, Unit 302, Philadelphia 19146, Philadelphia County, First Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania State University, to serve until July 1, 2026, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Stanley Rapp, Camp Hill, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY

November 6, 2023

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, Daniel J. Delligatti, 618 Forest Drive, Grove City 16127, Mercer County, Fiftieth Senatorial District, for

reappointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania State University, to serve until July 1, 2026, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE
PENNSYLVANIA HIGHER EDUCATION ASSISTANCE AGENCY

November 6, 2023

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, Daniel Gilman, 1501 Beechwood Boulevard, Pittsburgh 15217, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Directors of the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency, to serve until June 30, 2029, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Timothy Thyreen, Waynesburg, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Curtis Aiken, 1418 Scarlett Ridge Drive, Pittsburgh 15237, Allegheny County, Thirty-seventh 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, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Jake Wheatley, Jr., Pittsburgh, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Andrew Alosi, 4 McCulloch Road, Shippensburg 17257, Cumberland County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, 2501 Hoffer Street, Harrisburg 17103, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Charles Black, Philadelphia, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Ashley Loper, 906 Maplewood Lane, Enola 17025, Cumberland County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice L. Michael Ross, Chambersburg, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF TRUSTEES OF
SLIPPERY ROCK UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

November 6, 2023

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, Angele Stoebener, 217 Chinkapin Drive, Natrona Heights 15065, Allegheny County, Thirty-eighth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Suzanne Vessella, Ellwood City, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF TRUSTEES OF
SLIPPERY ROCK UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

November 6, 2023

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, Joshua Young, 809 Barley Sheaf Road, Coatesville 19320, Chester County, Forty-fourth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
SOUTH MOUNTAIN RESTORATION CENTER

November 28, 2023

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, Constance Swan, P.O. Box 321, 10814 Coral Ridge Road, South Mountain 17261, Franklin County, Thirty-third 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Patrick J. Eiding, 382 Shady Brook Drive, Langhorne 19047, Bucks County, Sixth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Temple University of the Commonwealth System of Higher Education, to serve until October 14, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Kenneth Scott, 132 East Providence Road, Lansdowne 19050, Delaware County, Eighth 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, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice John Street, Philadelphia, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
THADDEUS STEVENS COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY

November 6, 2023

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, Barry Schlouch, 60 Laub Lane, Mohnton 19540, Berks County, Thirteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology, to serve until January 16, 2029, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Curt Topper, Lititz, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
THADDEUS STEVENS COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY

November 6, 2023

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 Shertzer, 300 Black Oak Drive, Lancaster 17602, Lancaster County, Thirteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology, to serve until January 16, 2029, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Maryann Marotta, Lancaster, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
THADDEUS STEVENS COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY

November 6, 2023

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, Marshall Snively, 1 West New Street, Lancaster 17603, Lancaster County, Thirteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology, to serve until January 16, 2029, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Donald Cargas, Lancaster, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF TRUSTEES OF
WEST CHESTER UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

November 6, 2023

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, Carolyn Comitta, 115 South Brandywine Street, West Chester 19382, Chester County, Nineteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Council of

Trustees of West Chester University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Stephen Kinsey, Philadelphia, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF TRUSTEES OF
WEST CHESTER UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

November 6, 2023

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, Barry Dozor, 45 Cassin Hill Road, Garnet Valley 19060, Delaware County, Ninth Senatorial District, for re-appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of West Chester University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL HEARING BOARD

November 2, 2023

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Paul J. Bruder, Jr., Esquire, 72 Westerly Road, Camp Hill 17011, Cumberland County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Environmental Hearing Board, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Thomas Renwand, Pittsburgh, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL HEARING BOARD

November 2, 2023

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 Anne Wesdock, Esquire, 111 Eastern Avenue, #3, Pittsburgh 15215, Allegheny County, Thirty-eighth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Environmental Hearing Board, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Michelle Coleman, Harrisburg, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF PARDONS

November 2, 2023

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, Harris Gubernick, 1064 Jefferson Court, Warrington 18976, Bucks County, Sixth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Board of Pardons, to serve until November 30, 2029.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

NOMINATIONS LAID ON THE TABLE

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

The Clerk read the nominations as follows:

MEMBER OF THE STATE CHARTER SCHOOL APPEAL BOARD

November 6, 2023

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, Carol Aichele, 2424 Dickson Lane, Malvern 19355, Chester County, Nineteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Charter School Appeal Board, to serve until June 14, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Jonathan Peri, Glen Mills, whose term expired and whose last day was April 23, 2021.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE CHARTER SCHOOL APPEAL BOARD

November 6, 2023

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, Donald Alexander, 107 Carriage Hill Road, Glenshaw 15116, Allegheny County, Thirty-eighth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Charter School Appeal Board, to serve until June 14, 2026, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Stacey Marten, Lancaster, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE CHARTER SCHOOL APPEAL BOARD

November 6, 2023

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, Helena Gaspar-Liddle, 405 Woodland Avenue, Oakmont 15139, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Charter School Appeal Board, to serve until June 14, 2026, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Jodi Schwartz, Warrington, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE CHARTER SCHOOL APPEAL BOARD

November 6, 2023

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, Lisa Kennedy, 739 Linden Avenue, York 17404, York County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Charter School Appeal Board, to serve until June 14, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Mitchell Yanyanin, New Brighton, whose term expired and whose last day was April 23, 2021.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE STATE CHARTER SCHOOL APPEAL BOARD

November 6, 2023

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 Killion, 3 Laura Lynn Lane, Glen Mills 19342, Delaware County, Ninth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the State Charter School Appeal Board, to serve until June 14, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF CLARKS SUMMIT STATE HOSPITAL

October 17, 2023

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, Antoinette Hamidian, 13 Union Mill Road, Covington Township 18444, Lackawanna County, Fortieth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Clarks Summit State Hospital, to serve until January 16, 2029, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Warren Watkins, Clarks Summit, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF TRUSTEES OF EAST
STROUDSBURG UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

November 6, 2023

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, Elizabeth O'Brien, 207 School Side Drive, Throop 18512, Lackawanna County, Twenty-second Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Bruno Klaus, Stroudsburg, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF TRUSTEES OF EAST
STROUDSBURG UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

November 6, 2023

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 Pekarovsky III, 416 Elm Avenue, Apt. 102, Kingston 18704, Luzerne County, Twentieth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Laurie Kuzneski, 126 Valley Road, Indiana 15701, Indiana County, Forty-first Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Indiana University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, David Osikowicz, 901 East Mahoning Street, Punxsutawney 15767, Jefferson County, Forty-first Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Indiana University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Nathan Spade, 1060 Elliott Lane, York 17403, York County, Twenty-eighth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Indiana University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Sandra Green, 230 South Baldy Street, Kutztown 19530, Berks County, Eleventh Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Kutztown University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Charles Blocksidge, McKees Rocks, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Robert Grim, 130 North Kemp Road, Kutztown 19530, Berks County, Eleventh Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Kutztown University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Kevin Harden, Jr., 6436 Emlen Street, Philadelphia 19119, Philadelphia County, Fourth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Kutztown University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Dianne Lutz, 6463 Penn Avenue, Wernersville 19565, Berks County, Forty-eighth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Kutztown University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Robert L. Archie, Jr., 400 West Hortter Street, Apt. 603, Philadelphia 19119, Philadelphia County, Fourth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Lincoln University of the Commonwealth System of Higher Education, to serve until August 31, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Kevin Vaughan, 1621 Pine Street, Philadelphia 19103, Philadelphia County, First Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Lincoln University of the Commonwealth System of Higher Education, to serve until August 31, 2026, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Jordan Harris, 1353 South 31st Street, Philadelphia 19146, Philadelphia County, Eighth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Millersville University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Michael Warfel, 19 Marina Drive, Camp Hill 17011, Cumberland County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Millersville University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Mohamed Yamba, 105 Urick Lane, Monroeville 15146, Allegheny County, Forty-fifth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Pennsylvania Western University of the State System of Higher Education, to serve until September 21, 2028, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Stephen DeFrank, Harrisburg, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY

November 6, 2023

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, David M. Davis, 1001 South 17th Street, Unit 302, Philadelphia 19146, Philadelphia County, First Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania State University, to serve until July 1, 2026, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Stanley Rapp, Camp Hill, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY

November 6, 2023

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, Daniel J. Delligatti, 618 Forest Drive, Grove City 16127, Mercer County, Fiftieth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania State University, to serve until July 1, 2026, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE
PENNSYLVANIA HIGHER EDUCATION ASSISTANCE AGENCY

November 6, 2023

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, Daniel Gilman, 1501 Beechwood Boulevard, Pittsburgh 15217, Allegheny County, Forty-third Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Directors of the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency, to serve until June 30, 2029, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Timothy Thyreen, Waynesburg, deceased.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Curtis Aiken, 1418 Scarlett Ridge Drive, Pittsburgh 15237, Allegheny County, Thirty-seventh 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, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Jake Wheatley, Jr., Pittsburgh, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Andrew Alosi, 4 McCulloch Road, Shippensburg 17257, Cumberland County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, 2501 Hoffer Street, Harrisburg 17103, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Charles Black, Philadelphia, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Ashley Loper, 906 Maplewood Lane, Enola 17025, Cumberland County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice L. Michael Ross, Chambersburg, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF TRUSTEES OF
SLIPPERY ROCK UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

November 6, 2023

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, Angele Stoebener, 217 Chinkapin Drive, Natrona Heights 15065, Allegheny County, Thirty-eighth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Suzanne Vessella, Ellwood City, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF TRUSTEES OF
SLIPPERY ROCK UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

November 6, 2023

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, Joshua Young, 809 Barley Sheaf Road, Coatesville 19320, Chester County, Forty-fourth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
SOUTH MOUNTAIN RESTORATION CENTER

November 28, 2023

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, Constance Swan, P.O. Box 321, 10814 Coral Ridge Road, South Mountain 17261, Franklin County, Thirty-third 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.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Patrick J. Eiding, 382 Shady Brook Drive, Langhorne 19047, Bucks County, Sixth Senatorial District, for re-appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Temple University of the Commonwealth System of Higher Education, to serve until October 14, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

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

November 6, 2023

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, Kenneth Scott, 132 East Providence Road, Lansdowne 19050, Delaware County, Eighth 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, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice John Street, Philadelphia, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
THADDEUS STEVENS COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY

November 6, 2023

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, Barry Schlouch, 60 Laub Lane, Mohnton 19540, Berks County, Thirteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology, to serve until January 16, 2029, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Curt Topper, Lititz, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
THADDEUS STEVENS COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY

November 6, 2023

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 Shertzer, 300 Black Oak Drive, Lancaster 17602, Lancaster County, Thirteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology, to serve until January 16, 2029, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Maryann Marotta, Lancaster, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
THADDEUS STEVENS COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY

November 6, 2023

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, Marshall Snively, 1 West New Street, Lancaster 17603, Lancaster County, Thirteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology, to serve until January 16, 2029, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Donald Cargas, Lancaster, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF TRUSTEES OF
WEST CHESTER UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

November 6, 2023

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, Carolyn Comitta, 115 South Brandywine Street, West Chester 19382, Chester County, Nineteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of West Chester University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Stephen Kinsey, Philadelphia, whose term expired.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL OF TRUSTEES OF
WEST CHESTER UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

November 6, 2023

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, Barry Dozor, 45 Cassin Hill Road, Garnet Valley 19060, Delaware County, Ninth Senatorial District, for re-appointment as a member of the Council of Trustees of West Chester University of Pennsylvania of the State System of Higher Education, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

On the question,
Will the Senate advise and consent to the nominations?

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

Senator COMITTA. Mr. President, I am one of the nominees in the slate of nominations presently before the Senate. Specifically, I have been nominated to the Council of Trustees of West Chester University. I have consulted with the Secretary of the

Senate's office and believe that I should be excused from this vote.

The PRESIDENT. Senator Comitta, the Chair understands your concern and grants your request to be excused from voting on the slate of nominations.

And the question recurring,
Will the Senate advise and consent to the nominations?

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

YEA-48

Argall	Culver	Kearney	Santarsiero
Aument	Dillon	Langerholc	Saval
Baker	DiSanto	Laughlin	Schwank
Bartolotta	Dush	Martin	Stefano
Boscola	Farry	Mastriano	Street
Brewster	Flynn	Miller	Tartaglione
Brooks	Fontana	Pennycuick	Vogel
Brown	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Cappelletti	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Hughes	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Costa	Kane	Rothman	Yaw

NAY-1

Muth

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

Ordered, That the Governor be informed accordingly.

NOMINATION TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator BARTOLOTTA. Mr. President, I call from the table a certain nomination and ask for its consideration.

The Clerk read the nomination as follows:

MEMBER OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL HEARING BOARD

November 2, 2023

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Paul J. Bruder, Jr., Esquire, 72 Westerly Road, Camp Hill 17011, Cumberland County, Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Environmental Hearing Board, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Thomas Renwand, Pittsburgh, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

On the question,
Will the Senate advise and consent to the nomination?

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

Senator MUTH. Mr. President, prior to this vote, I would just like to rise to express my extreme opposition to the nomination

of Mr. Paul Bruder to become a judge on the Environmental Hearing Board. Since its establishment, the Environmental Hearing Board has played a critical role in environmental regulation and human rights and Pennsylvanians' ability to have an appeal process to decisions made by the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection. This forum allowed residents to challenge the actions of the PA DEP in the event that their decisions were not just or based on all of the evidence or impacts that residents would face, or even businesses and companies. This board is the last line of defense, specifically for residents who are living every day with the impacts of the limited environmental regulations here in our Commonwealth and the permitting process that often prioritizes corporate profits over public health.

Just this week, I held a press conference with Public Herald, where brave workers from the oil and gas wastewater treatment industry came forward to tell of their experience working at a facility here in our Commonwealth. Fortunately, the nominee for this current position on the EHB represented this company, Eureka Resources, who, also this company received taxpayer grant money. When you are a public defender, you are given clients you have to defend, and that is the job of a public defender. When you are a private practice attorney, you get to pick your clients and who you want to defend or represent, and, when doing so, if you choose to defend those who are trying to advance the fossil fuel energy industry in our Commonwealth, and then want to become a judge on the Pennsylvania Environmental Hearing Board, personally, I am not sure that that person can serve in this role without bias. And that means if they cannot serve in this role without bias, that Pennsylvanians' constitutional right to clean air and clean water is therefore compromised.

In January, there was a report that came out showing DEP's own data revealing some of the wastewater treatment results of this company--that Mr. Bruder represented until November 27 of 2023, mind you, when he removed himself from this case--where only 9 percent of radium was removed through the Eureka treatment process. Therefore, again, workers who are exposed to this radiation and also this radiation of over 7,000 picocuries per liter being discharged into the waterways of the Commonwealth via sewage treatment effluent that is discharged in the Susquehanna River. So, again, I am unable to vote with confidence for Mr. Bruder's nomination to serve in this role, knowing that his livelihood prior to this relied on representing, often, but not always, but certainly in this case, corporate polluters who certainly do not hold the best interest of Pennsylvanians here in our State. So, I urge a negative vote on this nomination and hope to have a different nominee who would actually do the job of serving on the Environmental Hearing Board.

Thank you, Mr. President.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVES

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I request a temporary Capitol leave for Senator Mastriano, and a legislative leave for Senator Yaw.

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

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

The PRESIDENT. Senator Pittman requests a temporary Capitol leave for Senator Mastriano, and a legislative leave for Senator Yaw.

Senator Costa requests a legislative leave for Senator Brewster.

Without objection, the leaves will be granted.

And the question recurring,
Will the Senate advise and consent to the nomination?

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

YEA-42

Argall	Culver	Kearney	Robinson
Aument	Dillon	Langerholc	Rothman
Baker	DiSanto	Laughlin	Stefano
Bartolotta	Dush	Martin	Street
Boscola	Farry	Mastriano	Tartaglione
Brewster	Flynn	Miller	Vogel
Brooks	Fontana	Pennycuick	Ward, Judy
Brown	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Hughes	Pittman	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hutchinson	Regan	Yaw
Costa	Kane		

NAY-8

Cappelletti	Haywood	Santarsiero	Schwank
Comitta	Muth	Saval	Williams, Lindsey

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

Ordered, That the Governor be informed accordingly.

NOMINATION TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator BARTOLOTTA. Mr. President, I call from the table a certain nomination and ask for its consideration.

The Clerk read the nomination as follows:

MEMBER OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL HEARING BOARD

November 2, 2023

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 Anne Wesdock, Esquire, 111 Eastern Avenue, #3, Pittsburgh 15215, Allegheny County, Thirty-eighth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Environmental Hearing Board, to serve for a term of six years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Michelle Coleman, Harrisburg, resigned.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

On the question,
Will the Senate advise and consent to the nomination?

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

YEA-43

Argall	Costa	Kearney	Saval
Aument	Culver	Langerholc	Schwank
Baker	Dillon	Laughlin	Stefano
Bartolotta	Dush	Martin	Street
Boscola	Farry	Mastriano	Tartaglione
Brewster	Flynn	Miller	Vogel
Brooks	Fontana	Muth	Ward, Kim
Brown	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Williams, Anthony H.
Cappelletti	Haywood	Pittman	Williams, Lindsey
Collett	Hughes	Robinson	Yaw
Comitta	Kane	Santarsiero	

NAY-7

Coleman	Hutchinson	Regan	Ward, Judy
DiSanto	Pennycuick	Rothman	

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

Ordered, That the Governor be informed accordingly.

NOMINATION TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator BARTOLOTTA. Mr. President, I call from the table a certain nomination and ask for its consideration.

The Clerk read the nomination as follows:

MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF PARDONS

November 2, 2023

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, Harris Gubernick, 1064 Jefferson Court, Warrington 18976, Bucks County, Sixth Senatorial District, for reappointment as a member of the Board of Pardons, to serve until November 30, 2029.

JOSH SHAPIRO
Governor

On the question,
Will the Senate advise and consent to the nomination?

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

Senator MUTH. Mr. President, I can submit my remarks for the record.

The PRESIDENT. 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 Montgomery, Senator MUTH:)

Mr. President, I rise in opposition to the nomination of Harris Gubernick to continue to serve as a member of the Pennsylvania Board of Pardons. In the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the Board of Pardons reviews criminal cases to determine whether clemency should be

recommended to the Governor for his approval or denial. The power to pardon has appeared, in some form or another, in every version of our State constitution since the first State constitution of 1776. The board has tremendous power, as well as a great responsibility. Unfortunately, in his time as a member of the Board of Pardons, Mr. Gubernick has not used this power and responsibility to give qualified applicants a second chance.

Mr. President, all of our offices received a letter from the Pennsylvania Commutation Working Group, which has 27 members who are prison advocates, victims of violence, family members of incarcerated individuals, and people who have been commuted from life sentences. According to their records, as a member of the Board of Pardons, Mr. Gubernick more often than not votes to deny qualified individuals a second chance. Of the 63 applicants who were denied clemency, Mr. Gubernick voted "no" in all of the cases for which he was present, and on those votes, he was in the minority 25 times, or 40 percent. From the perspective of this group, Mr. Gubernick's votes have often devalued the opinions of our true corrections experts--the staff at our State correctional institutions--who often know these applicants over a lifetime and can fairly assess whether the individual truly deserves a second chance.

Mr. President, commutations will never be sufficient to address all of the excessive sentences handed out in Pennsylvania in the era of mass incarceration, but increasing commutations is an important step toward addressing these problems, and as long as Mr. Gubernick continues to vote against qualified applicants, our prisons will continue to be filled with worthy individuals who have been rehabilitated and deserve a second chance and the ability to come home. I urge my colleagues to vote "no" on the nomination of Harris Gubernick.

Thank you, Mr. President.

And the question recurring,
Will the Senate advise and consent to the nomination?

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

YEA-44

Argall	Costa	Kane	Rothman
Aument	Culver	Langerholc	Santarsiero
Baker	Dillon	Laughlin	Schwank
Bartolotta	DiSanto	Martin	Stefano
Boscola	Dush	Mastriano	Street
Brewster	Farry	Miller	Tartaglione
Brooks	Flynn	Pennycuick	Vogel
Brown	Fontana	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Coleman	Gebhard	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Collett	Hughes	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Comitta	Hutchinson	Robinson	Yaw

NAY-6

Cappelletti	Kearney	Saval	Williams, Lindsey
Haywood	Muth		

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

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The PRESIDENT. The Senate will briefly be at ease.

[The Senate was at ease.]

**SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS
SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 3**

**SB 907 CALLED UP OUT OF ORDER
MOTION NOTWITHSTANDING SENATE RULE 12**

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, as a special order of business, I call up Senate Bill No. 907, Printer's No. 1291, from page 1 of Supplemental Calendar No. 3 and move that the Senate proceed to consider Senate Bill No. 907, notwithstanding the provisions of Senate Rule 12(m)(2).

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

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

**BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION
AND FINAL PASSAGE**

SB 907 (Pr. No. 1291) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in school safety and security, further providing for school safety and security coordinator; and, in school security, further providing for duties of commission and providing for school security personnel.

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

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

Senator REGAN. Mr. President, school security has been a top priority for me since coming to the legislature 10 years ago. As a Member of the House of Representatives, in each legislative Session, I have advocated for doing more to secure kids in schools. And the Senate Republican Caucus has been extremely proactive in making substantial investments for grants available through PCCD to help our schools be able to afford security measures deemed necessary. Unfortunately, not all schools have been willing to take the steps to utilize that funding for armed personnel, even while every expert on the topic espouses that it is vitally necessary. As amended, this bill requires each school entity defined as a school district, an intermediate unit, an area career and technical school, a charter school, or a private residential rehabilitative institution to have armed school security personnel. The legislation had previously mandated armed school security personnel in every school building with a phased-in approach to fulfill that requirement by the 2027-2028 school year.

As we are all in this room acutely aware, compromise is key in the legislature, and in order to take a step forward rather than remain stagnant and complacent with current security levels, I worked with leadership and Members of my Caucus to reach an

agreement on this final version of the bill. While cost and manpower were two concerns raised about the legislation, two key aspects of the bill remain: providing a waiver process for schools to make a good faith effort but cannot fulfill the requirements and a reporting provision to ensure that the School Safety and Security Committee at the Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency has accurate data regarding the types of school security personnel each school entity has and whether or not those individuals are armed and what training they have gone through to obtain their position. Through this process, we have come to realize that the data maintained by the Department of Education regarding school security personnel is woefully inaccurate, Mr. President. This new requirement will provide a clearer picture of how many schools already have armed security so that we can build off Senate Bill No. 907 and know what it will take to ultimately have armed officers in every school building in Pennsylvania.

What we do know for certain though, Mr. President, is that we spend over \$40 million on protecting legislators, the Governor, and Lieutenant Governor at the Capitol. Even though we choose to run for office and take this job voluntarily, we have to go through multiple security checkpoints to get into the Capitol. Meanwhile, we have made it the law that children must attend school, but we do not give them anywhere near the same protections inside their school buildings, which are getting more and more dangerous with each passing year. Since Sandy Hook, there have been more than 200 shootings resulting in fatalities at K through 12 schools across the country, with over 40 of those happening just this year. Mr. President, the discrepancy between what we will do for ourselves and what we are willing to do for students is unacceptable and, quite frankly, embarrassing. And I call on my colleagues to, for one moment, think less about their own safety and security and more about those we are putting at risk every day and to pass this important piece of legislation. It is then just as imperative that the House of Representatives acts quickly to do the same in order to protect our most vulnerable citizens: our children; and for the Governor, who is surrounded by armed State Troopers 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, sign the bill into law because it is the right thing to do.

Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Allegheny, Senator Lindsey Williams.

Senator L. WILLIAMS. Mr. President, our schools have been crystal clear about what they need to keep their students safe. We need more mental health support. We need more caring adults in the building. We do not need to mandate guns in schools. I understand why this idea might feel popular. It sounds like an easy solution, but easy solutions will not solve the problem of deadly school shootings. The majority of people want meaningful gun safety reform, and we want to keep our kids safe so badly that we have taken an expansion of armed security personnel to make us feel safer. But that is all that Senate Bill No. 907 will do. It will give us the illusion of safety, all while making our kids three times more likely to be killed in a school shooting. Let me say that again. Students are three times more likely to be killed in a school shooting when an armed guard is present, according to the Journal of [the] American Medical Association. But we do know how to actually make our kids safer, and this body is choosing to ignore those solutions: legislation passed by our colleagues in the

House like safe storage of firearms; increasing access to quality, affordable healthcare; and addition of mental health supports in schools. It is long past time we get to work on these meaningful reforms that will actually, actually make our students and our families not only more safe at school, but more safe in their homes and in their communities. I am a "no" vote on Senate Bill No. 907, and I urge my colleagues to do the same.

Thank you, Mr. President.

LEAVE CHANGED

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I request that Senator Yaw's leave be changed from a legislative leave to a personal leave for the remainder of today's Session.

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

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-30

Argall	Coleman	Laughlin	Robinson
Aument	Culver	Martin	Rothman
Baker	DiSanto	Mastriano	Stefano
Bartolotta	Dush	Pennycuick	Vogel
Boscola	Farry	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Brewster	Gebhard	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Brooks	Hutchinson	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Brown	Langerholc		

NAY-19

Cappelletti	Flynn	Kearney	Schwank
Collett	Fontana	Miller	Street
Comitta	Haywood	Muth	Tartaglione
Costa	Hughes	Santarsiero	Williams, Lindsey
Dillon	Kane	Saval	

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

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

SENATE AT EASE

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I request that the Senate be at ease, and for the information of the Members, I do not expect us to return to the floor before 8 p.m. for additional votes as we await further action from our friends on the other side of the building.

The PRESIDENT. The Senate will be at ease until roughly 8 p.m. this evening, unless sooner recalled by the President pro tempore.

[The Senate was at ease.]

LEGISLATIVE LEAVES CANCELLED

The PRESIDENT. Senator Miller and Senator Mastriano have returned, and their temporary Capitol leaves are cancelled.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVES

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I request a legislative leave for Senator Martin.

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

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

The PRESIDENT. Senator Pittman requests a legislative leave for Senator Martin.

Senator Costa requests a legislative leave for Senator Saval.

Without objection, the leaves will be granted.

LEAVE CHANGED

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

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

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

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 4

MOTION NOTWITHSTANDING SENATE RULE 12

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, as a special order of business, I call up Supplemental Calendar No. 4 and move that the Senate proceed to consider House Bill No. 1300, notwithstanding the provisions of Senate Rule 12(m)(2).

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

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

Senator MUTH. Mr. President, before we take this vote here on our fiscal code, House Bill No. 1300, I just wanted to express my concerns about the level of proposed increase to the 911 surcharge that was inserted into the bill earlier today in an amendment in the Committee on Rules on Executive Nominations. While I am--

The PRESIDENT. Would the gentlewoman suspend briefly. We are not on the underlying bill yet. We are getting there, so just hold those remarks for a moment.

Senator MUTH. Thank you.

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

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

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE AMENDMENTS AS AMENDED

HB 1300 (Pr. No. 2441) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176), known as The Fiscal Code, in emergency COVID-19 response, providing for declined and unclaimed allocations; providing for 911 emergency communication services and for institutions of purely public charity; in Department of Revenue, providing for exclusion from classes of income; providing for indigent defense; in oil and gas wells, further providing for Oil and Gas Lease Fund; in transportation network companies, motor carrier companies and parking authority of a city of the first class, providing for designated municipal agent and authorized salvor for city of the first class; in human services, providing for medical assistance dental services and packages; providing for Attorney General, for Pennsylvania Long-Term Care Council, for Pennsylvania child and dependent care enhancement tax credit program and for additional keystone opportunity expansion zones; in special funds, further providing for funding; in additional special funds and restricted accounts, further providing for establishment of special fund and account, for use of fund and for distributions from Pennsylvania Race Horse Development Fund and repealing provisions relating to Enhanced Revenue Collection Account; in additional special funds and restricted accounts, further providing for definitions, for Sports Tourism and Marketing Account and for transfer of funds and providing for Service and Infrastructure Improvement Fund; in general budget implementation, further providing for executive offices, for Department of Agriculture, for Department of Community and Economic Development, for Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, for Department of Health, for Department of Human Services and for Pennsylvania State Police, providing for Commonwealth Financing Authority, further providing for Federal and Commonwealth use of forest land and for Multimodal Transportation Fund and repealing provisions relating to sales by distilleries; providing for 2023-2024 budget implementation, for 2023-2024 restrictions on appropriations for funds and accounts, for 2023-2024 fund transfers and for prior year appropriations; making repeals; and making an editorial change.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate amendments, as further amended by the Senate, to House Bill No. 1300?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate amendments, to House Bill No. 1300, as further amended by the Senate.

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

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

Senator MUTH. Mr. President, I rise prior to this voting to raise my concern about the level of proposed increase for the 911 surcharge that was inserted into this bill earlier today in the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations via amendment. The amendment that went in was unlike the one that I offered and ultimately tabled in the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations, which I offered an amendment that would increase the current surcharge rate from \$1.65 to \$2.30 beginning in January.

The \$2.30 surcharge has long been the ask of the County Commissioners Association, which is a group of all 67 counties coming together discussing their needs for funding for our 911 system. Increasing the surcharge to \$2.30 would allow for necessary investments in Next Gen 911 and ensure appropriate staffing levels and operations at the county level so that the needs of all Commonwealth residents continue to be met. And to be clear, increasing the surcharge to \$2.30 does not remove all funding responsibilities from our counties. This level would simply bring the county share to the system back to around 12.5 percent by 2024, which is comparable to the county share the last time the surcharge was increased in 2015. This increase would have also ensured that counties will not have to rely on regular property tax increases to fund the operations of our 911 system.

Mr. Chairman, as technology continues to evolve and funding streams no longer align with the reality of funding our 911 system, counties need the legislature to step up and help pass appropriate increases and give them the flexibility to fund the needs of the county. County property taxpayers cannot be the only ones to bear the burden of these increasing costs. I had several amendments drafted to House Bill No. 1304 by Representative Solomon, which was originally drafted, or the bill was intended to bring the increase--also tie it to inflation--but unfortunately, that bill was not the vehicle for this reauthorization. I do think that adding in another study was redundant, but again, I am grateful that we are able to go back to our counties and at least say that if you do call 911, it does have a funding mechanism.

I will end with an anecdotal story: last week there was a gas leak in my neighborhood, and it was my neighbors--had a cracked pipe on their gas meter--and I called 911. I gave the address to my location. He asked me for my name and repeated my name back to me, and he said: Katie Muth, like the politician? And I said: well, yes, this is my home, I am outside of my driveway. And he said: no, I want to thank you for your service. And I said: well, that is very kind of you because I want to thank you for your service as a 911 dispatcher and hope to get you reauthorized and appropriately funded, since you serve in one of the most integral parts of our emergency response chain. So, respectfully, in addition to other issues within the Fiscal Code, I will be a "no" vote, including a tax credit plan that allows for nonrenewable energy to be expanded here in our Commonwealth in the year of 2023 when climate change is affecting each and every person on this planet.

So, thank you, Mr. President.

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

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

YEA-45

Argall	Culver	Langerholz	Saval
Aument	Dillon	Laughlin	Schwank
Baker	Dush	Martin	Stefano
Bartolotta	Farry	Mastriano	Street
Boscola	Flynn	Miller	Tartaglione
Brewster	Fontana	Pennycuik	Vogel
Brooks	Gebhard	Pittman	Ward, Judy
Brown	Haywood	Regan	Ward, Kim
Cappelletti	Hughes	Robinson	Williams, Anthony H.

Collett	Kane	Rothman	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kearney	Santarsiero	Yaw
Costa			

NAY-5

Coleman	Hutchinson	Muth	Phillips-Hill
DiSanto			

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

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

**SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS
SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 3 RESUMED**

**BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION
AND FINAL PASSAGE**

SB 55 (Pr. No. 1169) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 23 (Domestic Relations) and 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in child custody, further providing for definitions, for award of custody, for factors to consider when awarding custody, for consideration of criminal conviction, for guardian ad litem for child, for counsel for child and for award of counsel fees, costs and expenses; and, in Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts, providing for child abuse and domestic abuse education and training program for judges and court personnel.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

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

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

Senator SANTARSIERO. Mr. President, I rise in support of Senate Bill No. 55, which is also known as Kayden's Law. Kayden's Law takes its name from a young girl named Kayden Mancuso, who in early August 2018, while on a court-ordered, unsupervised visit with her biological father, was brutally murdered, and then the father committed suicide. That unsupervised visitation was ordered by the court after a lengthy custody battle between Kayden's biological father and her mother, in which evidence was presented that the father had committed violence and abusive behavior and was, indeed, a risk of further abusive behavior in the future. Nonetheless, the unsupervised visit was ordered.

Kayden's Law, Senate Bill No. 55, would prevent that situation from happening in Pennsylvania ever again. It does so, first and foremost, by requiring, under a presumption in the bill, that if a court were to find an ongoing risk of abuse to a child, that the most that the court could order would be supervised visitation. And there is a preference for professional, supervised visitation, and that preference would be overcome only if the court were satisfied after a hearing on the matter with the individual proposed to supervise that that person were capable of safeguarding the health and safety of the child. This is a fundamental change

in the law and, in Kayden's case, would have protected her and would have saved her. But Senate Bill No. 55 does more than that. It makes it clear that in any future custody dispute, that the court must first and foremost consider the health and safety of the child. It does that by adding new factors for the court to consider by emphasizing those factors that deal with the health and safety of a child and by making sure that the court considers a fuller history of potential criminal behavior that could impact a child's safety.

Moreover, Senate Bill No. 55 outlines a set of different trainings that courts and all personnel working in the courts that deal with custody issues ultimately should undertake to better enable them to deal with these types of cases and, indeed, safeguard children who are in the custody system. Now we cannot, as the legislature, mandate that the courts do that. So, this is a suggestion to the courts, and I am hopeful that if Senate Bill No. 55 becomes law, that ultimately the administrative office of the courts will see the wisdom in undertaking those types of changes in its system of training for both judges, as well as court personnel. Make no mistake, Mr. President, if Senate Bill No. 55 becomes law, it will save the lives of children in the future.

I want to thank my colleague Senator Lisa Baker, who for the last 4 years has worked hand in glove with our office in writing this bill and getting it to the point where it is today. I want to thank her executive director, Ryan Shovlin; her previous executive director, Mike Cortez; my executive director, Tim Smith; and our previous executive director on the Democratic side, Sean Brennan, for the many, many hours of work that they have put into this measure in the drafting of it and working with stakeholders outside of this building and getting us to a point where the bill is today. I am grateful for that. I am grateful for Senator Baker's leadership on this issue. And I also want to thank Kayden's mother, Kathy Sherlock, and their entire family, because without Kathy's advocacy, since this horrible tragedy befell her and her family, this bill would never have come together in the first place. And while it is certainly true that no piece of legislation can ever mend the broken heart that Kayden's tragic death has created, I do believe that were we to pass this bill and it gets to the Governor's desk and becomes law, the fact that it will protect other children moving forward will provide Kathy and her family with some measure of solace, and I think that is certainly worth our effort. And so, I ask for an affirmative vote. Thank you.

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

Senator BAKER. Mr. President, one of the most difficult and wrenching decisions local courts must make is the awarding of child custody in a divorce case. Judges must sort through a variety of allegations and conflicting contentions in order to determine what arrangement is in the best interest of a child; a difficult job indeed. And with the passage of Senate Bill No. 55, we are updating the criteria that the courts must consider, including certain factors to ensure the health and safety of children; that they are weighted, including 7 crimes that have been added to the list of offenses courts must take into account when deciding custody awards. This is an important update to our law, unfortunately, as Senator Santarsiero said, brought forward because of the horrific and tragic death of Kayden Mancuso in 2018.

Kayden was a bright young girl, a joy to her family and friends, and as her obituary said, a sparkling personality with

much ahead of her. She was the victim, as you have heard, of a horrible crime that took her life. It represented a failure, a failure in State law. And to the credit of Kayden's mother, after she was tragically killed on that unsupervised visit, Kathy Sherlock promised, and testified before our committee, that her daughter's legacy and life would not be diminished; that her sparkling personality would make a difference to other children. And so, as we advance this bill today, it is a measure that will save children's lives. And great credit goes to my Democratic colleague and the Minority chair of the Senate Committee on Judiciary, Senator Steve Santarsiero. For the last 4 years, we have worked together to try to address this issue. And not just for his work at leading a bipartisan effort, but for his diligence in negotiating changes that included extensive, extensive stakeholder input and incorporated suggestions from the AOPC legislative committee, county judges across this Commonwealth, and the Pennsylvania Chapter of the American Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers.

Senator Santarsiero offered thanks to our staffs, Ryan Shovlin, Tim Smith, Mike Cortez, and Sean Brennan. But the real credit goes to Senator Santarsiero for his advocacy, his work, his determination, and all done with the heart and the mind of Kathy Sherlock and her family. I have been proud to partner with him to advance this very important measure, and I believe, I believe this will protect more children and save lives in those very difficult circumstances when a child custody case appears in court. I urge an affirmative vote for Senate Bill No. 55.

Thank you, Mr. President.

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I request a legislative leave for Senator Regan

The PRESIDENT. Senator Pittman requests a legislative leave for Senator Regan. Without objection, the leave 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-50

Argall	Culver	Langerhole	Santarsiero
Aument	Dillon	Laughlin	Saval
Baker	DiSanto	Martin	Schwank
Bartolotta	Dush	Mastriano	Stefano
Boscola	Farry	Miller	Street
Brewster	Flynn	Muth	Tartaglione
Brooks	Fontana	Pennycuick	Vogel
Brown	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Cappelletti	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Hughes	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kane	Rothman	Yaw
Costa	Kearney		

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 its concurrence.

HB 666 (Pr. No. 609) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of May 28, 1937 (P.L.955, No.265), referred to as the Housing Authorities Law, further providing for organization of an authority.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-43

Argall	Culver	Martin	Schwank
Aument	Dillon	Miller	Stefano
Baker	Farry	Muth	Street
Bartolotta	Flynn	Pennycuick	Tartaglione
Boscola	Fontana	Phillips-Hill	Vogel
Brewster	Gebhard	Pittman	Ward, Judy
Brown	Haywood	Regan	Ward, Kim
Cappelletti	Hughes	Robinson	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Kane	Rothman	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kearney	Santarsiero	Yaw
Costa	Laughlin	Saval	

NAY-7

Brooks	DiSanto	Hutchinson	Mastriano
Coleman	Dush	Langerholc	

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

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

HB 1284 (Pr. No. 2431) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in rules of the road in general, further providing for automated enforcement of failure to stop for school bus with flashing red lights, for automated speed enforcement systems in active work zones and for pilot program for automated speed enforcement system on designated highway and providing for automated speed enforcement study and for pilot program for automated speed enforcement systems in designated school zones; and imposing a penalty.

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

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

Senator LANGERHOLC. Mr. President, I rise to ask for support for House Bill No. 1284. Mr. President, it was not too long ago that I stood in this Chamber and asked for support for a similar piece of legislation dealing with school bus arm stop cameras, which was set to expire very soon after we had voted on it, which we were able to get it across the finish line and extend the provision. This bill deals with a similar issue, the automated speed enforcement zones, as well as on Roosevelt Boulevard and in work zones. I want to thank my colleagues, Senator Argall, Senator Schwank, for lighting the torch on this legislation and continuing to work towards getting it completed so that it would not sunset so we will not lose this vital program. I would also like to thank my counterpart, the gentleman from Luzerne [Lackawanna], Chairman Flynn, for his work in the Committee on Transportation to get this bill in bipartisan form to be able to be passed.

What we know for certain, Mr. President, is this program works. This program has worked. This program has saved lives. We have a duty as legislators to enact legislation to provide for the common welfare of our constituents, and this bill will help to further that purpose. This bill will do several things, and I want to thank also my counterparts in the House, Chairman Neilson, Chairman Benninghoff, for their work. It was not too long ago that the four of us actually were together in State College at a transportation conference, about less than a week ago, and it was a hot topic at that time: will this legislation get passed? And the answer that we resoundingly gave was, it has to. We have to come together to make sure that this program is enabled to continue to be in existence. And that is what we have here tonight, a bipartisan product that will further that purpose. It will make permanent the program for ASEs and work zones. It will make permanent the program on Roosevelt Boulevard, it will expand also to five corridors within Philadelphia, and it will create a pilot program for five school zones in Philadelphia as well. Further, it will provide for a study for further expansion of this program. We will be back here in the new year, and we can learn from the report and hopefully enact legislation to help save more lives. And it will also address some issues that various Members had in voting for this dealing with driver protection. It will provide defenses for individuals if they were not operating that vehicle; it will provide that opportunity. It will also provide larger signage as they enter into the work zone, as well as notices. And it will also go--the irony of this--it will go full circle back to the school bus stop arm camera legislation; it makes a couple of minor technical fixes to that program to make that program better. As I had indicated before, this is commonsense legislation. This works; this saves lives. If this saves but one life, it is well worth an affirmative vote, and I will ask that here tonight.

Thank you, Mr. President.

And the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-47

Argall	Culver	Langerholc	Saval
Aument	Dillon	Laughlin	Schwank
Baker	DiSanto	Martin	Stefano

Bartolotta	Dush	Miller	Street
Boscola	Farry	Muth	Tartaglione
Brewster	Flynn	Pennycuik	Vogel
Brown	Fontana	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Cappelletti	Gebhard	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Haywood	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hughes	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kane	Rothman	Yaw
Costa	Kearney	Santarsiero	

NAY-3

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

Ordered, That the Secretary of the Senate return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

HB 1478 (Pr. No. 2175) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in school health services, further providing for dental examinations and dental hygiene services.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-50

Argall	Culver	Langerholc	Santarsiero
Aument	Dillon	Laughlin	Saval
Baker	DiSanto	Martin	Schwank
Bartolotta	Dush	Mastriano	Stefano
Boscola	Farry	Miller	Street
Brewster	Flynn	Muth	Tartaglione
Brooks	Fontana	Pennycuik	Vogel
Brown	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Cappelletti	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Hughes	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kane	Rothman	Yaw
Costa	Kearney		

NAY-0

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

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

**SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS
SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 5**

**BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION
AND FINAL PASSAGE**

HB 689 (Pr. No. 2310) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

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

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

On the question,
Shall the bill pass finally?

LEGISLATIVE LEAVE CANCELLED

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

And the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

YEA-47

Argall	Costa	Langerholc	Saval
Aument	Culver	Laughlin	Schwank
Baker	Dillon	Martin	Stefano
Bartolotta	Farry	Miller	Street
Boscola	Flynn	Muth	Tartaglione
Brewster	Fontana	Pennycuik	Vogel
Brooks	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Brown	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Cappelletti	Hughes	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Coleman	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Collett	Kane	Rothman	Yaw
Comitta	Kearney	Santarsiero	

NAY-3

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

Ordered, That the Secretary of the Senate return said bill to the House of Representatives with information that the Senate has passed the same with amendments in which concurrence of the House is requested.

The PRESIDENT. The Senate will briefly be at ease.
[The Senate was at ease.]

**SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS
SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 6**

MOTION NOTWITHSTANDING SENATE RULE 29

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I call up Supplemental Calendar No. 6 and move to consider **Senate Resolution No. 110** on Supplemental Calendar No. 6, 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.

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 110, ADOPTED

Senator PITTMAN, without objection, called up and moved for immediate adoption from page 1 of Supplemental Calendar No. 6, **Senate Resolution No. 110**, entitled:

A Resolution directing the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee to conduct a performance audit of the Neighborhood Improvement Zone and Allentown Neighborhood Improvement Zone Development Authority programs administered by the Department of Revenue.

On the question,
Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

Senator COLEMAN. Mr. President, last week, every Member of this Chamber joined me in voting in favor of a resolution directing the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee to evaluate the effectiveness of our workforce development programs. Every one of us recognized the importance of taking a closer look at how dollars were being spent and ensuring that programs were functioning as intended. Today I am asking for your support again in ensuring that a program is living up to its stated goals. Over \$500 million has been invested in the Allentown Neighborhood Improvement Zone since its inception. To date, there has not been an objective effort to determine the success of the program in meeting its legislative intent. Senate Resolution No. 110 directs the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee to conduct a performance audit of the program. This performance audit will include looking at the economic development activity generated by the Neighborhood Improvement Zone, looking at its current operations, considering the enabling legislation, and making recommendations about what improvements, if any, can be made. Too often, well-intended programs go on autopilot, and this is our opportunity to take a look at a unique program to make sure that it is operating as intended. After a \$500 million investment, a Legislative Budget and Finance Committee study appears to be a reasonable next step, and I ask for an affirmative vote on Senate Resolution No. 110.

And the question recurring,
Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

YEA-50

Argall	Culver	Langerholz	Santarsiero
Aument	Dillon	Laughlin	Saval
Baker	DiSanto	Martin	Schwank
Bartolotta	Dush	Mastriano	Stefano
Boscola	Farry	Miller	Street
Brewster	Flynn	Muth	Tartaglione
Brooks	Fontana	Pennycuik	Vogel
Brown	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Cappelletti	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Hughes	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kane	Rothman	Yaw
Costa	Kearney		

NAY-0

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

The PRESIDENT. The resolution is adopted.
The Senate will briefly be at ease.
[The Senate was at ease.]

HOUSE MESSAGES

**HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE AMENDMENTS
TO HOUSE BILLS**

The Clerk of the House of Representatives informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to **HB 301, HB 900, HB 1096, HB 1258 and HB 1278**.

SENATE BILLS RETURNED WITH AMENDMENTS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate **SB 44, SB 361, SB 527, SB 596, SB 683, SB 838 and SB 941**, with the information the House has passed the same with amendments in which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

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

The Senate will briefly be at ease.
[The Senate was at ease.]

RECESS

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

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

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

AFTER RECESS

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

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

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

SB 44 (Pr. No. 1264) (Rereported) (*Concurrence*)

An Act amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in human trafficking, further providing for definitions, for the offense of trafficking in individuals and for the offense of patronizing a victim of sexual servitude; in minors, further providing for unlawful contact with minor; and, in domestic and sexual violence victim address confidentiality, further providing for definitions and for persons eligible to apply.

SB 361 (Pr. No. 1283) (Rereported) (*Concurrence*)

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in organization and jurisdiction of courts of common pleas, further providing for courts of common pleas.

SB 527 (Pr. No. 1288) (Rereported) (*Concurrence*)

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in theft and related offenses, further providing for the offense of theft of mail.

SB 596 (Pr. No. 1284) (Rereported) (*Concurrence*)

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in theft and related offenses, further providing for the offense of organized retail theft; and establishing the Office of Deputy Attorney General for Organized Retail Crime Theft.

SB 683 (Pr. No. 1286) (Rereported) (*Concurrence*)

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in public safety, providing for urine drug screening requirement and for xylazine awareness education.

SB 815 (Pr. No. 1271) (Rereported) (*Concurrence*)

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, further providing for imposition of tax and for taxability of estates, trusts and their beneficiaries; and, in corporate net income tax, further providing for manufacturing innovation and reinvestment deduction.

SB 838 (Pr. No. 1289) (Rereported) (*Concurrence*)

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in sentencing, further providing for order of probation, for conditions of probation and for modification or revocation of order of probation and providing for probation review conference.

SB 941 (Pr. No. 1287) (Rereported) (*Concurrence*)

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 Drug and Alcohol Programs, further providing for powers and duties and providing for regulatory flexibility during opioid epidemic.

**SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS
SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR No. 7****SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS**

SB 44 (Pr. No. 1264) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in human trafficking, further providing for definitions, for the offense of trafficking in individuals and for the offense of patronizing a victim of sexual servitude; in minors, further providing for unlawful contact with minor; and, in domestic and sexual violence victim address confidentiality, further providing for definitions and for persons eligible to apply.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 44?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 44.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Jefferson, Senator Dush.

Senator DUSH. Mr. President, Senate Bill No. 44 was first considered by this Chamber on June 29, and I thank the Members for their unanimous vote. Today, after amendment, it received a unanimous vote in the House as well. I want to thank Senator Collett and Senator Philips-Hill for their work with me on this important piece of legislation. Although I think the amendment in the House lessened the bill, I think that we do need to pass this for a couple of reasons. Pennsylvania now ranks with a D rating from Shared Hope International on the way we treat our human trafficking victims. These two bills, Senate Bill No. 44 and Senate Bill No. 45--Senate Bill No. 45 is still over in the House--they are one step along the way to increasing our rating. But more importantly, it is something that will help us treat our victims of human trafficking in the way that they need to be treated so that they can get the help that they need. Waiting one more day, Mr. President, is not going to help those victims. Waiting for a couple of months, it is just going to add to the tragedy. I ask my colleagues to approve Senate Bill No. 44, as amended by the House, and, again, thank Senator Collett and Senator Philips-Hill for their partnership in this legislation and also in order to help get this done, because without this, Senate Bill No. 45 cannot take place. So, I encourage a unanimous vote again, and I also encourage our colleagues over in the House to get Senate Bill No. 45 done expeditiously so that we can help these victims.

Thank you, Mr. President.

And the question recurring,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-50

Argall	Culver	Langerholc	Santarsiero
Aument	Dillon	Laughlin	Saval
Baker	DiSanto	Martin	Schwank
Bartolotta	Dush	Mastriano	Stefano
Boscola	Farry	Miller	Street
Brewster	Flynn	Muth	Tartaglione
Brooks	Fontana	Pennycuick	Vogel
Brown	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Cappelletti	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Hughes	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kane	Rothman	Yaw
Costa	Kearney		

NAY-0

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

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

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 361 (Pr. No. 1283) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in organization and jurisdiction of courts of common pleas, further providing for courts of common pleas.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 361?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 361.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-50

Argall	Culver	Langerholc	Santarsiero
Aument	Dillon	Laughlin	Saval
Baker	DiSanto	Martin	Schwank
Bartolotta	Dush	Mastriano	Stefano
Boscola	Farry	Miller	Street
Brewster	Flynn	Muth	Tartaglione
Brooks	Fontana	Pennycuick	Vogel
Brown	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Cappelletti	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Hughes	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kane	Rothman	Yaw
Costa	Kearney		

NAY-0

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

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

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 527 (Pr. No. 1288) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in theft and related offenses, further providing for the offense of theft of mail.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 527?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 527.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-45

Argall	Costa	Hutchinson	Robinson
Aument	Culver	Kane	Rothman
Baker	Dillon	Langerholc	Santarsiero
Bartolotta	DiSanto	Laughlin	Schwank
Boscola	Dush	Martin	Stefano
Brewster	Farry	Mastriano	Tartaglione
Brooks	Flynn	Miller	Vogel
Brown	Fontana	Pennycuick	Ward, Judy
Cappelletti	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Haywood	Pittman	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hughes	Regan	Yaw
Comitta			

NAY-5

Kearney	Saval	Street	Williams, Lindsey
Muth			

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

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

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 596 (Pr. No. 1284) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in theft and related offenses, further providing

for the offense of organized retail theft; and establishing the Office of Deputy Attorney General for Organized Retail Crime Theft.

On the question,
Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 596?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 596.

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

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

YEA-45

Argall	Dillon	Kearney	Rothman
Aument	DiSanto	Langerholc	Santarsiero
Baker	Dush	Laughlin	Schwank
Bartolotta	Farry	Martin	Stefano
Boscola	Flynn	Mastriano	Street
Brewster	Fontana	Miller	Tartaglione
Brooks	Gebhard	Pennycuik	Vogel
Brown	Haywood	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Coleman	Hughes	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Comitta	Hutchinson	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Costa	Kane	Robinson	Yaw
Culver			

NAY-5

Cappelletti	Muth	Saval	Williams, Lindsey
Collett			

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

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

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 683 (Pr. No. 1286) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in public safety, providing for urine drug screening requirement and for xylazine awareness education.

On the question,
Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 683?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 683.

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

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

Senator MASTRIANO. Mr. President, I rise in support of the concurrence of Senate Bill No. 683. I was proud to partner with Senator Brooks on this important legislation. I thank her and her team for their assistance. I also want to thank my colleagues in the House for passing Senate Bill No. 683 by a wide bipartisan margin, and I am grateful for the amendments by Representative Frankel and Representative Marcell, which I believe improved the legislation. Senate Bill No. 683 requires a general acute care hospital treating a person who is receiving a standard five-panel urine drug screening in an emergency room setting to also include testing for fentanyl and xylazine.

Unbeknownst to many medical professionals, a regular opiate test does not include fentanyl and xylazine. According to a study by the Epic Research, only 5 percent of toxicology screens currently test overdose patients for fentanyl. That number is even less for xylazine testing. Fortunately, rapid testing for fentanyl and xylazine exists. The CDC has three low-cost options approved by the FDA. It seems like we are a decade behind testing in the State here. Fentanyl is the number 1 cause of death for Americans ages 18 to 45, and Pennsylvania suffers greatly at the hands of that awful drug. And the overdose crisis has affected communities across our Commonwealth. As if that were not bad enough, now our Commonwealth must confront the prevalence of xylazine, a lethal tranquilizer that is being mixed with other drugs. Most emergency room drug screens do not capture fentanyl and xylazine use, and some patients are unaware that they are even using it, as it is being mixed with other drugs.

Here is an example. A 19-year-old young man named Tyler Shamash, in 2018, was taken to the emergency room and given a standard 5-panel toxicology screen. The results turned up negative for everything. His mother, Juli Shamash, asked the treating doctor three times, three times if they had tested for fentanyl, and three times the doctor said, yes, their opiate tests would detect it. She later found out that the doctor was misinformed, and the standard opiate test does not test for fentanyl. If she had known Tyler had fentanyl in his system, his life would have been saved. Juli Shamash has just become a leader to improve drug testing around the nation and the State, hoping to save the lives of other sons and daughters so they do not have to experience what she did when Tyler died. I truly believe that this legislation will save lives in Pennsylvania, and I respectfully request an affirmative vote.

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

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

YEA-50

Argall	Culver	Langerholc	Santarsiero
Aument	Dillon	Laughlin	Saval
Baker	DiSanto	Martin	Schwank
Bartolotta	Dush	Mastriano	Stefano
Boscola	Farry	Miller	Street

Brewster	Flynn	Muth	Tartaglione
Brooks	Fontana	Pennycuick	Vogel
Brown	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Cappelletti	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Hughes	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kane	Rothman	Yaw
Costa	Kearney		

NAY-0

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

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

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 815 (Pr. No. 1271) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, in personal income tax, further providing for imposition of tax and for taxability of estates, trusts and their beneficiaries; and, in corporate net income tax, further providing for manufacturing innovation and reinvestment deduction.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 815?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 815.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-50

Argall	Culver	Langerhole	Santarsiero
Aument	Dillon	Laughlin	Saval
Baker	DiSanto	Martin	Schwank
Bartolotta	Dush	Mastriano	Stefano
Boscola	Farry	Miller	Street
Brewster	Flynn	Muth	Tartaglione
Brooks	Fontana	Pennycuick	Vogel
Brown	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Cappelletti	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Hughes	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kane	Rothman	Yaw
Costa	Kearney		

NAY-0

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

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

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 838 (Pr. No. 1289) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in sentencing, further providing for order of probation, for conditions of probation and for modification or revocation of order of probation and providing for probation review conference.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 838?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 838.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the motion?

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

YEA-48

Argall	Culver	Kearney	Santarsiero
Aument	Dillon	Laughlin	Saval
Baker	DiSanto	Martin	Schwank
Bartolotta	Dush	Mastriano	Stefano
Boscola	Farry	Miller	Street
Brewster	Flynn	Muth	Tartaglione
Brown	Fontana	Pennycuick	Vogel
Cappelletti	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Coleman	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Collett	Hughes	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Comitta	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Costa	Kane	Rothman	Yaw

NAY-2

Brooks Langerhole

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

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

SENATE CONCURS IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 941 (Pr. No. 1287) -- 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 powers and duties of the Department of Drug and Alcohol Programs, further providing for powers and duties and providing for regulatory flexibility during opioid epidemic.

On the question,

Will the Senate concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 941?

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Indiana, Senator Pittman.

Senator PITTMAN. Mr. President, for the information of the Members, this will be the last bill to be considered for the evening [applause]. I move that the Senate do concur in the amendments made by the House to Senate Bill No. 941.

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, in recent years, this General Assembly has put many safeguards in place to help curtail prescription drug diversion and combat addiction. However, treatment is a very important part of recovery, and access to treatment is its greatest pathway. This legislation is a vital step forward in expanding the workforce that helps people combating substance use disorders access the treatment they so desperately need. Senate Bill No. 941 provides regulatory flexibilities during an opioid epidemic to treatment programs and expands access to those programs by allowing certified registered nurse practitioners and physician assistants to fulfill the on-call physician requirements of a treatment program which addresses physician shortages across the Commonwealth, especially in rural areas; increasing counselor, counselor supervisor, and counselor assistant case-loads in inpatient residential treatment settings to allow more flexibility in how providers utilize their employees and their expertise; and waiving program requirements for clinical experience prior to employment, to allow individuals with related advanced degrees get to work right away and help fulfill providers' staffing needs.

Understanding the urgency that is needed to make treatment more accessible, I appreciate that we have moved so quickly to advance this legislation and especially want to express my sincere appreciation to our Senate leaders, staff, and House counterparts for recognizing the significance of its future impact on the addiction treatment field. I also want to thank Senator Yaw and Senator Tartaglione for their work and my House counterparts, Representative Kinsey and Representative Heffley, for their commitment to curtailing this epidemic and partnership in this legislation. It is my hope to continue to work together to identify creative and effective commonsense solutions and removing barriers to treatment.

Thank you, Mr. President, and I ask my colleagues to vote once more in support of Senate Bill No. 941 on its concurrence.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Philadelphia, Senator Tartaglione.

Senator TARTAGLIONE. Mr. President, this legislation, which passed this Chamber unanimously back in October, is the product of an understanding that we need to bolster and support our drug and alcohol treatment organizations in time of their greatest need. To all my colleagues, you need not look any further than me to see the importance of addiction treatment and recovery. I am 20 years in recovery from alcohol addiction, and I would not be speaking on the floor of this esteemed Chamber today if not for the support of Philadelphia's addiction treatment providers. I am proud to partner with Senator Brooks on this important and bipartisan piece of legislation that will provide flexibility and

immediate relief to these organizations and provide greater access for those struggling with addiction to utilize their services. I ask my colleagues for their support in sending this bill to the Governor's desk.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

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

YEA-50

Argall	Culver	Langerholc	Santarsiero
Aument	Dillon	Laughlin	Saval
Baker	DiSanto	Martin	Schwank
Bartolotta	Dush	Mastriano	Stefano
Boscola	Farry	Miller	Street
Brewster	Flynn	Muth	Tartaglione
Brooks	Fontana	Pennycuick	Vogel
Brown	Gebhard	Phillips-Hill	Ward, Judy
Cappelletti	Haywood	Pittman	Ward, Kim
Coleman	Hughes	Regan	Williams, Anthony H.
Collett	Hutchinson	Robinson	Williams, Lindsey
Comitta	Kane	Rothman	Yaw
Costa	Kearney		

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 MESSAGES

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL

The Clerk of the House of Representatives informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to House amendments to **SB 843**.

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE BILLS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives returned to the Senate **SB 140, SB 282, SB 414, SB 506** and **SB 910** with the information the House has passed the same without amendments.

The PRESIDENT. The Senate will briefly be at ease.
[The Senate was at ease.]

The PRESIDING OFFICER (Senator Ryan P. Aument) in the Chair.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS
BILLS ON FIRST CONSIDERATION

Senator PITTMAN. 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 219, SB 559, SB 560, SB 1017, SB 1019 and HB 1295.

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

PETITIONS AND REMONSTRANCES

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Montgomery, Senator Collett.

Senator COLLETT. Mr. President, today I rise to speak on a resolution I am introducing with Senator Amanda Cappelletti and Senator Judy Schwank, which designates December 13, 2023, as Period Positivity Day in Pennsylvania. Now, I know some of my colleagues would prefer if we stopped talking about periods in the halls of the State Capitol. But when at least half of all Pennsylvanians will have a period in their lifetime, when two-thirds of low-income women will struggle to afford the products they need to live healthy and productive lives, and when this body has the power to address menstrual equity issues, I cannot stay silent. And as a nurse, buck up everyone. Period Positivity Day aims to reduce the stigma around menstruation, encouraging greater conversations in education surrounding menstrual health issues that will affect so many of us. For example, at least 11 percent of American women and girls, or approximately 6.5 million, have endometriosis, which occurs when tissue similar to the lining of the uterus grows outside of the uterus resulting in extremely painful, sometimes debilitating periods, digestive issues, and even infertility. One in 10 women and girls will be diagnosed with polycystic ovary syndrome, or PCOS, a hormonal imbalance that can cause problems with the ovaries, irregular periods, and weight gain, among other physical symptoms. The Senate must continue to act to support Pennsylvania's 6.5 million women and girls, and indeed, all menstruating individuals, especially the most vulnerable among them. And just this week, we have proven that we can.

On Monday, the Senate Committee on Judiciary voted unanimously in support of Representative Cephas' House Bill No. 900, which, in part, will make menstrual products provided to incarcerated women. The Menstrual Equity Act, which I have introduced with Senator Cappelletti, would expand upon this commonsense provision, making sure pads and tampons are available in restrooms at State-supported schools, agencies, shelters, and correctional facilities at no cost to individual users, just like toilet paper, soap, and hand towels. And Senator Schwank's accessibility to menstrual hygiene products legislation aims to ensure SNAP and WIC recipients, low-income families, women, and children can use the program benefits to purchase essential period products. Having a period can be challenging enough, and dealing with health concerns like endometriosis, PCOS, and others can make it even harder. But it is truly unacceptable that so many of our neighbors cannot afford the hygiene items they need to safely and productively go about their day for a week every month. It is time to change that. Period.

Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Philadelphia, Senator Tartaglione.

Senator TARTAGLIONE. Mr. President, I rise because today marks 6,366 days since our Commonwealth's legislature last passed an increase in our minimum wage. Our collective failure, inaction by this esteemed Chamber, has shirked our duty to ensure our Commonwealth is a leader when it comes to empowering and supporting workers across our Commonwealth and left Pennsylvanians struggling to make ends meet, a roof over their heads, and food on their table. Mr. President, in its truest sense, our responsibility as legislators is to uphold the interest of our constituents, ensuring their well-being and prosperity. It is disheartening to witness the missed opportunity to address the serious issue of our poverty-level minimum wage in our State, especially when we observe the progressive strides being taken by other States like New York, New Jersey, Delaware, and 19 other States around our nation. Mr. President, as we wrap up our 2023 legislative priorities, it should not be lost on anyone, our failure to raise the minimum wage and put our low-wage earners on a path to \$15 an hour will leave hardworking Pennsylvanians in this vicious cycle of poverty.

As we move into the future, our Commonwealth's nation economic landscape continues to evolve. We must adapt to secure the well-being of our citizens and make sure all Pennsylvanians can survive off of the work they do. But do not be confused, Mr. President. Increasing our minimum wage is not merely an economic policy. It is a statement about our commitment to social justice and the prosperity for all Pennsylvanians. By providing a livable wage, we empower our residents to meet their basic needs, contribute to our economy, and improve their overall quality of life. But, Mr. President, while we may have fallen short this year, I urge all of my colleagues to make a renewed dedication to addressing this vital issue next year. Together, let us champion policies that uplift our constituents and ensure a brighter future for all Pennsylvanians, like Senate Bill No. 12, my minimum wage reform legislation. Mr. President, I sure had wished that we were able to give our low-wage earners a Christmas present, and that obviously is not happening. So, Pennsylvanians deserve better. They deserve Senate Bill No. 12.

Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Montgomery, Senator Cappelletti.

Senator CAPPELLETTI. Mr. President, I rise to speak on Senate Resolution No. 218, which recognizes Period Positivity Day as today, December 13, in Pennsylvania. It has been introduced by Senator Collett, Senator Schwank, and myself. We have been working hard towards menstrual equity, dismantling the stigma around menstruation, and highlighting the need for access to menstrual hygiene products because, on any given day, more than 300 million women and individuals with uteruses all around the world have their periods. But we do not talk enough about what exactly it is that they go through every month. Period Positivity Day recognizes that not everyone who gets their period goes through manageable menstruation. Many suffer from physically, mentally, or emotionally taxing menstruation cycles. Menstrual symptoms such as cramps and bleeding are difficult to manage, especially when some people experience them more severely and frequently than others. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, heavy bleeding, or menorrhagia, affects more than 10 million American women and menstruating people every year. This boils down to one in every five of these people are

impacted. So, it is likely we all know somebody impacted by that heavy bleeding. And the heavy bleeding untreated can also cause anemia, amongst many other issues.

Irregular menstruation can also be a sign of pelvic inflammatory disease, or PID, and PID affects more than 1 million women and menstruating individuals in this country every year and can cause infertility in as many as 10 percent of those infected by it. Periods can also adversely impact mental health. Premenstrual syndrome describes a combination of symptoms many get before they go on their period. It is estimated that as many as three of every four menstruating individuals have experienced premenstrual syndrome, which can involve anxiety, depression, mood swings, insomnia, and more. Premenstrual dysphoric disorder, or PMDD, is an even more severe form of PMS. PMDD can intensify symptoms of existing mental health and physical health conditions like depression before or during the menstruation cycle. A family history of PMS, bipolar disorder, or depression, including postpartum depression, can also increase this risk. Previous studies have shown a high association between PMDD and suicidal ideation and suicide attempts. Period Positivity Day provides us an opportunity to learn more and talk about these symptoms, to normalize the challenges that menstruators go through and to prompt an early discovery and diagnosis of menstrual conditions. As a special note to this Period Positivity Day, I would like to thank an intern in my office, Bobin Park, who worked tirelessly to help put these remarks together and to help address this issue and develop this resolution. So please join us, my colleagues, my intern, and many of the menstruators in your life in recognizing today, December 13, as Period Positivity Day here in Pennsylvania.

Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senate will be at ease.

[The Senate was at ease.]

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant Governor Austin A. Davis) in the Chair.

HOUSE MESSAGES

HOUSE CONCURS IN SENATE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILLS

The Clerk of the House of Representatives informed the Senate that the House has concurred in amendments made by the Senate to **HB 689, HB 863, HB 1284** and **HB 1300**.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MINORITY LEADER

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

Senator Carolyn T. Comitta as a member of the Wild Resource Conservation Board.

BILLS SIGNED

The PRESIDENT (Lieutenant Governor Austin A. Davis) in the presence of the Senate signed the following bills:

SB 44, SB 140, SB 282, SB 361, SB 414, SB 429, SB 506, SB 527, SB 596, SB 683, SB 815, SB 838, SB 843, SB 910, SB 941, HB 38, HB 301, HB 666, HB 689, HB 863, HB 900, HB 1096,

HB 1131, HB 1160, HB 1258, HB 1278, HB 1284, HB 1289, HB 1300, HB 1478 and **HB 1507**.

RECESS

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

Senator GEBHARD. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now recess until Tuesday, January 2, 2024, at 11:50 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, unless sooner recalled by the President pro tempore.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The Senate recessed at 10:56 p.m., Eastern Standard Time.