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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The House convened at 11 a.m., e.s.t.

THE SPEAKER (MIKE TURZAI) PRESIDING

PRAYER

The SPEAKER. Coming back from Thanksgiving, we are blessed to have our prayer offered today by our colleague, Representative Margo Davidson.

HON. MARGO L. DAVIDSON, member of the House of Representatives, offered the following prayer:

Gracious God, our Father, we thank You so much for Your goodness, for Your mercy, for Your grace. Father, we come today thanking You for waking us up this morning, for helping us to travel safely through the highways and the byways to get here today.

Father God, today we are asking You for a miracle. Father God, we know that all the days that we have been here trying to pass a budget, we need Your guidance, we need Your help, we need Your heart.

Father, I ask that You would look on each one of us, every one of us, name by name. You said that every one of our hairs are numbered. Father, You knew us before we were even formed in our mother's womb. Father, You know what moves us, You know what hurts us, You know what angers us, You know what makes us joyous.

Father, help us to find that common ground today. Help us to find a way through all of the entanglements, to find a clear path, that we might get done those things that You have assigned us to do in service to Your people.

This Commonwealth needs a budget. And, Father God, we need You to help us to get to that place. We ask all these things with Your blessings and Your mercy and Your grace, and we say in Your matchless name, Amen.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

(The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by members and visitors.)

JOURNAL APPROVAL POSTPONED

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the approval of the Journal of Monday, November 30, 2015, will be postponed until printed.

BILLS SIGNED BY SPEAKER

Bills numbered and entitled as follows having been prepared for presentation to the Governor, and the same being correct, the titles were publicly read as follows:

HB 698, PN 2458

An Act amending Title 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in hunting and furtaking, further providing for unlawful devices and methods; and, in special licenses and permits, further providing for permits for individuals with disabilities.

SB 685, PN 1000

An Act amending the act of December 20, 1985 (P.L.457, No.112), known as the Medical Practice Act of 1985, providing for visiting team physician.

SB 686, PN 1001

An Act amending the act of October 5, 1978 (P.L.1109, No.261), known as the Osteopathic Medical Practice Act, providing for visiting team physician.

Whereupon, the Speaker, in the presence of the House, signed the same.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER. The majority whip requests leaves of absence for the following members: Representative MICCARELLI of Delaware County for the day, Representative MAHER of Allegheny County for the week, Representative EMRICK of Northampton County for the day, Representative WATSON of Bucks County for the day, Representative WARNER of Fayette County for the day, Representative MASSER of Northumberland County for the week, Representative KRIEGER of Westmoreland County for the day. Without objection, those leaves will be granted.

The minority whip requests the following leaves of absence: Representative DeLUCA of Allegheny County for the day, Representative MATZIE of Beaver County for the day,

Representative READSHAW of Allegheny County for the day, Representative SANTARSIERO of Bucks County for the day, Representative CRUZ of Philadelphia County for the day, Representative BURNS of Cambria County for the day, Representative McCLINTON of Philadelphia County for the day, Representative Daniel MILLER of Allegheny County for the day, Representative SAMUELSON of Northampton County for the day, and Representative FREEMAN of Northampton County for the day. Without objection, those leaves will be granted.

MASTER ROLL CALL

The SPEAKER. We are now going to proceed to the master roll. Members will proceed to vote.

The following roll call was recorded:

PRESENT—186

Acosta	Evankovich	Kirkland	Rader
Adolph	Evans	Klunk	Rapp
Baker	Everett	Knowles	Ravenstahl
Barbin	Fabrizio	Kortz	Reed
Barrar	Farina	Kotik	Reese
Benninghoff	Farry	Krueger	Regan
Bishop	Fee	Lawrence	Roae
Bizzarro	Flynn	Lewis	Roebuck
Bloom	Frankel	Longietti	Ross
Boback	Gabler	Mackenzie	Rothman
Boyle	Gainey	Mahoney	Rozzi
Bradford	Galloway	Major	Saccone
Briggs	Gergely	Maloney	Sainato
Brown, R.	Gibbons	Markosek	Sankey
Brown, V.	Gillen	Marshall	Santora
Bullock	Gillespie	Marsico	Saylor
Caltagirone	Gingrich	McCarter	Schemel
Carroll	Godshall	McGinnis	Schlossberg
Causar	Goodman	McNeill	Schreiber
Christiana	Greiner	Mentzer	Schweyer
Cohen	Grove	Metcalfe	Simmons
Conklin	Hahn	Metzgar	Sims
Corbin	Hanna	Millard	Snyder
Costa, D.	Harhai	Miller, B.	Sonney
Costa, P.	Harhart	Milne	Staats
Cox	Harkins	Moul	Stephens
Culver	Harper	Mullery	Sturla
Cutler	Harris, A.	Murt	Tallman
Daley, M.	Harris, J.	Mustio	Taylor
Daley, P.	Heffley	Neilson	Thomas
Davidson	Helm	Nesbit	Tobash
Davis	Hennessey	Neuman	Toepel
Dawkins	Hickernell	O'Brien	Toohil
Day	Hill	O'Neill	Topper
Dean	Irvin	Oberlander	Truitt
Deasy	James	Ortitay	Vereb
DeLissio	Jozwiak	Parker, C.	Vitali
Delozier	Kampf	Parker, D.	Ward
Dermody	Kaufar	Pashinski	Wentling
Diamond	Kauffman	Payne	Wheatley
DiGirolamo	Kavulich	Peifer	Wheeland
Donatucci	Keller, F.	Petrarca	White
Driscoll	Keller, M.K.	Petri	Youngblood
Dunbar	Keller, W.	Pickett	Zimmerman
Dush	Killion	Pyle	
Ellis	Kim	Quigley	Turzai,
English	Kinsey	Quinn	Speaker

ADDITIONS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—17

Burns	Krieger	McClinton	Samuelson
Cruz	Maher	Miccarelli	Santarsiero
DeLuca	Masser	Miller, D.	Warner
Emrick	Matzie	Readshaw	Watson
Freeman			

LEAVES CANCELED—5

Emrick	Miller, D.	Samuelson	Watson
Freeman			

The SPEAKER. One hundred and eighty-six members having voted on the master roll, a quorum is present.

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. We are going to turn to the Appropriations chair, Representative Bill Adolph, for a committee announcement.

Mr. ADOLPH. Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, there will be an immediate meeting of the House Appropriations Committee in the majority caucus room. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Representative.

There will be an immediate meeting of the House Appropriations Committee in the majority caucus room.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. Representative Sandy Major, for a caucus announcement. Representative Sandy Major, the caucus chair, for a majority caucus announcement.

Ms. MAJOR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to announce Republicans will caucus today at 11:30. I would ask our Republican members to please report to our caucus room at 11:30. We would be prepared to come back on the floor, Mr. Speaker, at 12 noon. Thank you.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. And Representative Frankel, for a minority caucus announcement.

Mr. FRANKEL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Democrats will caucus at 11:30. Democrats will caucus at 11:30.

RECESS

The SPEAKER. Members, the House will be in recess until 12 noon, and we will start promptly back at noon. We will be starting promptly at noon.

AFTER RECESS

The time of recess having expired, the House was called to order.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE CANCELED

The SPEAKER. It is my understanding from the minority whip that Representative Samuelson and Representative Freeman, both of Northampton County, are back on the floor and should be placed on the master roll, and that will be done.

BILLS REREPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

HB 1633, PN 2547

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Title 40 (Insurance) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for comprehensive health care for uninsured children; and making a repeal.

APPROPRIATIONS.

SB 524, PN 1443

By Rep. ADOLPH

An Act amending Title 61 (Prisons and Parole) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, establishing the Non-narcotic Medication Assisted Substance Abuse Treatment Grant Pilot Program; and, imposing powers and duties on the Department of Corrections.

APPROPRIATIONS.

CALENDAR

BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 1199, PN 1574**, entitled:

An Act repealing the act of May 27, 1965 (P.L.63, No.50), entitled "An act authorizing the Department of Highways, with the approval of the Governor, to erect and maintain a bridge over the Monongahela River in Washington and Allegheny Counties, and to provide the necessary approaches and connections with State highways; empowering counties to pay certain damages, and making an appropriation."

On the question,
Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?
Bill was agreed to.

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 1200, PN 2567**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 26, 1903 (P.L.71, No.71), entitled "An act relating to the location, construction and maintenance of viaducts and bridges in cities and adjacent territory; empowering the several cities of this Commonwealth to construct, or have constructed, bridges or viaducts over rivers, creeks, streams, railroads and private lands, or over and across any of them, for public highways, and to procure locations therefor by purchase or condemnation proceedings, whether the same be wholly within, or partly within and partly without, the city limits; authorizing said cities to unite and enter into a contract or contracts with the county commissioners of the proper county, and with railroad, street railway, and other companies and parties interested, or with any of them, for the erection, construction and maintenance of said viaducts and bridges, and for the payment of the damages caused by their location and erection; and forbidding any railroad company to pass under any such viaduct or bridge, without contributing to the cost of maintenance thereof," repealing provisions relating to contracts with railroads for maintenance of viaducts and bridges.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?
Bill was agreed to.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE CANCELED

The SPEAKER. I see Representative Emrick is on the floor, and he has requested the majority whip to please make sure that he is listed on the master roll for the day, and that will be done. Representative Emrick is back on the floor.

BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 1476, PN 2077**, entitled:

An Act providing for counterfeit airbag prevention; and imposing penalties.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?
Bill was agreed to.

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 1577, PN 2271**, entitled:

An Act designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 580, over the west branch of the Susquehanna River, Cherry Tree Borough, Indiana County, as the Airman Second Class Gerald Emmett Johnson Memorial Bridge.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?
Bill was agreed to.

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 1660, PN 2438**, entitled:

An Act designating a bridge on that portion of State Route 403 over the Two Lick Creek, Clymer Borough, Indiana County, as the Sergeant James Robert Pantall Memorial Bridge.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?
Bill was agreed to.

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 1673, PN 2568**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in fees, providing for recreational trailers; and, in size, weight and load, further providing for registered gross weight.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?
Bill was agreed to.

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **SB 398, PN 312**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 20 (Decedents, Estates and Fiduciaries) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in express anatomical gifts, further providing for use of driver's license or identification card to indicate organ or tissue donation.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?
Bill was agreed to.

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **SB 1045, PN 1370**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in general provisions, providing for character of discharge.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?
Bill was agreed to.

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **SB 1046, PN 1357**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in Pennsylvania National Guard, further providing for retired Pennsylvania National Guard personnel.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?
Bill was agreed to.

RESOLUTION

Ms. CULVER called up **HR 581, PN 2502**, entitled:

A Resolution urging the President of the United States and Congress to pass the Permanent Department of Veterans Affairs Choice Card Act of 2015.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolution?

LEAVE OF ABSENCE CANCELED

The SPEAKER. Kathy Watson, Representative Kathy Watson, is back on the House floor. The majority whip has indicated that she would like to be placed on the master roll. Without objection, that will be granted. Kathy Watson is back on the House floor and should be placed on the master roll.

CONSIDERATION OF HR 581 CONTINUED

On the question recurring,
Will the House adopt the resolution?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—190

Acosta	Evankovich	Kirkland	Rapp
Adolph	Evans	Klunk	Ravenstahl
Baker	Everett	Knowles	Reed
Barbin	Fabrizio	Kortz	Reese
Barrar	Farina	Kotik	Regan
Benninghoff	Farry	Krueger	Roae
Bishop	Fee	Lawrence	Roebuck
Bizzarro	Flynn	Lewis	Ross
Bloom	Frankel	Longietti	Rothman
Boback	Freeman	Mackenzie	Rozzi
Boyle	Gabler	Mahoney	Saccone
Bradford	Gainey	Major	Sainato
Briggs	Galloway	Maloney	Samuelson
Brown, R.	Gergely	Markosek	Sankey
Brown, V.	Gibbons	Marshall	Santora
Bullock	Gillen	Marsico	Saylor
Caltagirone	Gillespie	McCarter	Schemel
Carroll	Gingrich	McGinnis	Schlossberg
Causer	Godshall	McNeill	Schreiber
Christiana	Goodman	Mentzer	Schweyer
Cohen	Greiner	Metcalfe	Simmons
Conklin	Grove	Metzgar	Sims
Corbin	Hahn	Millard	Snyder
Costa, D.	Hanna	Miller, B.	Sonney
Costa, P.	Harhai	Milne	Staats
Cox	Harhart	Moul	Stephens
Culver	Harkins	Mullery	Sturla
Cutler	Harper	Murt	Tallman
Daley, M.	Harris, A.	Mustio	Taylor
Daley, P.	Harris, J.	Neilson	Thomas
Davidson	Heffley	Nesbit	Tobash
Davis	Helm	Neuman	Toepel
Dawkins	Hennessey	O'Brien	Toohil
Day	Hickernell	O'Neill	Topper
Dean	Hill	Oberlander	Truitt
Deasy	Irvin	Ortitay	Vereb
DeLissio	James	Parker, C.	Vitali
Delozier	Jozwiak	Parker, D.	Ward
Dermody	Kampf	Pashinski	Watson
Diamond	Kaufner	Payne	Wentling
DiGirolamo	Kauffman	Peifer	Wheatley
Donatucci	Kavulich	Petrarca	Wheeland
Driscoll	Keller, F.	Petri	White
Dunbar	Keller, M.K.	Pickett	Youngblood
Dush	Keller, W.	Pyle	Zimmerman
Ellis	Killion	Quigley	
Emrick	Kim	Quinn	Turzai,
English	Kinsey	Rader	Speaker

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—13

Burns	Maher	McClinton	Readshaw
Cruz	Masser	Miccarelli	Santarsiero
DeLuca	Matzie	Miller, D.	Warner
Krieger			

The majority having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the resolution was adopted.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE CANCELED

The SPEAKER. It is my understanding that the minority whip has requested that Representative Dan Miller be placed on the master roll. He is present here in the chamber, and he will be placed on the master roll. Representative Dan Miller.

VOTE CORRECTION

The SPEAKER. Representative Miller, I did not get you on the master roll prior to the last vote. Do you want to place on the record your vote on that resolution?

Representative Miller, on HR 581 I should have indicated that you were on the floor, and I apologize. For the record please feel free to state your position on that resolution.

Mr. D. MILLER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Thank you for the courtesy. I wish to be marked in the affirmative on that resolution.

The SPEAKER. Thank you very much, Representative Miller.

BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to second consideration of **SB 286, PN 1437**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 12, 1931 (P.L.575, No.200), entitled "An act providing for joint action by Pennsylvania and New Jersey in the development of the ports on the lower Delaware River, and the improvement of the facilities for transportation across the river; authorizing the Governor, for these purposes, to enter into an agreement with New Jersey; creating The Delaware River Joint Commission and specifying the powers and duties thereof, including the power to finance projects by the issuance of revenue bonds; transferring to the new commission all the powers of the Delaware River Bridge Joint Commission; and making an appropriation," further providing for the Delaware River Joint Commission, for composition, for employees, for financing and for executive sessions; providing for majority approval and contract procedures; further providing for report; providing for conflicts of interest, for master plan and creating the Port Authority Transit Corporation Commuter's Council; further providing for definitions; authorizing the Governor to apply for approval; prohibiting the entrance into a compact until passage of a similar act; and making editorial changes.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

Mr. **W. KELLER** offered the following amendment No. **A04560**:

Amend Bill, page 1, line 13, by striking out "for composition,"

Amend Bill, page 3, line 16, by striking out ", II"

Amend Bill, page 7, lines 6 through 30; page 8, lines 1 through 15; by striking out all of said lines on said pages

Amend Bill, page 29, lines 26 through 28, by striking out "subject to" in line 26, all of line 27 and "Senate," in line 28

Amend Bill, page 38, lines 9 through 14, by striking out all of said lines and inserting

Section 6. This act shall take effect immediately.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

The SPEAKER. On that question, the Chair recognizes the minority chair of the Transportation Committee, Representative Carroll.

Representative Carroll, the floor is yours, sir.

Mr. CARROLL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, this amendment removes the confirmation requirement that was included in the bill. It seems to me that the amendment is self-explanatory, so I will see if there is any other commentary. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. My apologies.

Obviously, Chairman Keller is the chair of the Transportation Committee, the minority chair. Representative Carroll, who spoke on Representative Keller's behalf, is the minority chair for Agriculture.

Does anybody else wish to speak on amendment 4560?

Chairman John Taylor of Philadelphia County. John.

Mr. TAYLOR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, this amendment contradicts what we did in committee with this legislation to make sure there is a Senate confirmation process on appointments onto that board. We delayed the action in deference to the Governor's opinion on this, but just delayed it to 2018. That is how the bill reads currently. This amendment would strip it completely, and I would ask for a "no" vote.

The SPEAKER. Representative Carroll, for the second time.

Mr. CARROLL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, again, it seems to me at least that with the advent of the new administration, there is a heightened desire to advance in a direction of confirmation that I did not see in this building during the past 4 years, and it does not seem to me to be a coincidence. So I think that considering the current administration, I would like to have them treated in the same way that the past administration was treated with respect to confirmation requirements, not just for this appointment, but for other appointments.

So for that reason, Mr. Speaker, in the interest of consistency, I would ask for a "yes" vote on the amendment. Thank you so much.

On the question recurring,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—77

Acosta	Dean	Harkins	O'Brien
Barbin	Deasy	Harris, J.	Parker, C.
Bishop	DeLissio	Kavulich	Pashinski
Bizzarro	Dermody	Keller, W.	Petrarca
Boyle	Donatucci	Kim	Ravenstahl
Bradford	Driscoll	Kinsey	Roebuck
Briggs	Evans	Kirkland	Rozzi
Brown, V.	Fabrizio	Kortz	Sainato
Bullock	Farina	Kotik	Samuelson
Caltagirone	Flynn	Krueger	Schlossberg
Carroll	Frankel	Longietti	Schreiber
Cohen	Freeman	Mahoney	Schweyer
Conklin	Gainey	Markosek	Sims
Costa, D.	Galloway	McCarter	Snyder
Costa, P.	Gergely	McNeill	Sturla
Daley, M.	Gibbons	Miller, D.	Thomas
Daley, P.	Goodman	Mullery	Vitali

Davidson	Hanna	Neilson	Wheatley
Davis	Harhai	Neuman	Youngblood
Dawkins			

NAYS—114

Adolph	Gingrich	Marshall	Roae
Baker	Godshall	Marsico	Ross
Barrar	Greiner	McGinnis	Rothman
Benninghoff	Grove	Mentzer	Saccone
Bloom	Hahn	Metcalfe	Sankey
Boback	Harhart	Metzgar	Santora
Brown, R.	Harper	Millard	Saylor
Causer	Harris, A.	Miller, B.	Schemel
Christiana	Heffley	Milne	Simmons
Corbin	Helm	Moul	Sonney
Cox	Hennessey	Murt	Staats
Culver	Hickernell	Mustio	Stephens
Cutler	Hill	Nesbit	Tallman
Day	Irvin	O'Neill	Taylor
Delozier	James	Oberlander	Tobash
Diamond	Jozwiak	Ortitay	Toepel
DiGirolamo	Kampf	Parker, D.	Toohil
Dunbar	Kaufner	Payne	Topper
Dush	Kauffman	Peifer	Truitt
Ellis	Keller, F.	Petri	Verab
Emrick	Keller, M.K.	Pickett	Ward
English	Killion	Pyle	Watson
Evankovich	Klunk	Quigley	Wentling
Everett	Knowles	Quinn	Wheeland
Farry	Lawrence	Rader	White
Fee	Lewis	Rapp	Zimmerman
Gabler	Mackenzie	Reed	
Gillen	Major	Reese	Turzai,
Gillespie	Maloney	Regan	Speaker

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—12

Burns	Krieger	Matzie	Readshaw
Cruz	Maher	McClinton	Santarsiero
DeLuca	Masser	Miccarelli	Warner

Less than the majority having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the negative and the amendment was not agreed to.

On the question recurring,
Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?
Bill was agreed to.

SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR A

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 1633, PN 2547**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 40 (Insurance) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for comprehensive health care for uninsured children; and making a repeal.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the bill on third consideration?
Bill was agreed to.

(Bill analysis was read.)

The SPEAKER. This bill has been considered on three different days and agreed to and is now on final passage.

The question is, shall the bill pass finally?

Agreeable to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays will now be taken.

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—191

Acosta	Evans	Klunk	Rapp
Adolph	Everett	Knowles	Ravenstahl
Baker	Fabrizio	Kortz	Reed
Barbin	Farina	Kotik	Reese
Barrar	Farry	Krueger	Regan
Benninghoff	Fee	Lawrence	Roae
Bishop	Flynn	Lewis	Roebuck
Bizzarro	Frankel	Longietti	Ross
Bloom	Freeman	Mackenzie	Rothman
Boback	Gabler	Mahoney	Rozzi
Boyle	Gainey	Major	Saccone
Bradford	Galloway	Maloney	Sainato
Briggs	Gergely	Markosek	Samuelson
Brown, R.	Gibbons	Marshall	Sankey
Brown, V.	Gillen	Marsico	Santora
Bullock	Gillespie	McCarter	Saylor
Caltagirone	Gingrich	McGinnis	Schemel
Carroll	Godshall	McNeill	Schlossberg
Causer	Goodman	Mentzer	Schreiber
Christiana	Greiner	Metcalfe	Schweyer
Cohen	Grove	Metzgar	Simmons
Conklin	Hahn	Millard	Sims
Corbin	Hanna	Miller, B.	Snyder
Costa, D.	Harhai	Miller, D.	Sonney
Costa, P.	Harhart	Milne	Staats
Cox	Harkins	Moul	Stephens
Culver	Harper	Mullery	Sturla
Cutler	Harris, A.	Murt	Tallman
Daley, M.	Harris, J.	Mustio	Taylor
Daley, P.	Heffley	Neilson	Thomas
Davidson	Helm	Nesbit	Tobash
Davis	Hennessey	Neuman	Toepel
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Dean	Irvin	Oberlander	Truitt
Deasy	James	Ortitay	Verab
DeLissio	Jozwiak	Parker, C.	Vitali
Delozier	Kampf	Parker, D.	Ward
Dermody	Kaufner	Pashinski	Watson
Diamond	Kauffman	Payne	Wentling
DiGirolamo	Kavulich	Peifer	Wheatley
Donatucci	Keller, F.	Petrarca	Wheeland
Driscoll	Keller, M.K.	Petri	White
Dunbar	Keller, W.	Pickett	Youngblood
Dush	Killion	Pyle	Zimmerman
Ellis	Kim	Quigley	
Emrick	Kinsey	Quinn	Turzai,
English	Kirkland	Rader	Speaker
Evankovich			

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—12

Burns	Krieger	Matzie	Readshaw
Cruz	Maher	McClinton	Santarsiero
DeLuca	Masser	Miccarelli	Warner

The majority required by the Constitution having voted in the affirmative, the question was determined in the affirmative and the bill passed finally.

Ordered, That the clerk present the same to the Senate for concurrence.

STATEMENT BY MR. JOZWIAK

The SPEAKER. Representative Barry Jozwiak is recognized on unanimous consent. He will be speaking on HB 1154, which has already passed.

Members, please take your seats. Please take your seats.

And, Representative Jozwiak, the floor is yours, sir.

Mr. JOZWIAK. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Good afternoon, Mr. Speaker, and I would like to ask Representative Dom Costa if he would come down here with me, please. I just want to make a comment.

Last week a Pennsylvania State trooper was shot in Philadelphia on the Vine Street Expressway after a traffic stop was initiated. If you remember, the trooper approached the vehicle and there were four occupants in the car. After some conversation, the trooper suspected there were drugs in the car, some drug activity. The driver of the car speeds away and a pursuit begins. The fleeing vehicle crashes into a school bus and both vehicles burst into flames. Fortunately, the school bus was not occupied by any children.

The driver of the car exits the vehicle and begins shooting at the trooper, hitting him in the shoulder. The trooper returned fire. Three of the fleeing occupants were apprehended immediately, with the fourth apprehended a few days later.

But I wanted to bring to your attention the reason for the traffic stop. It was an expired registration plate.

I just wanted to thank all my colleagues on both sides of the aisle for your wisdom in passing HB 1154 last June in this House. That legislation was prime-sponsored by Representative Dom Costa and myself for the purpose of repealing a portion of the transportation bill allowing registration stickers to continue being displayed on the license plates. We advised that this is a tool for police to have probable cause in order to stop vehicles and discover additional violations of the law.

And actually, the State Police have a program called Looking Beyond the Plate, indicating that the troopers are supposed to look for additional violations of law or criminal activity that may be afoot, and in this case it was. In this case the driver of the car that was stopped for the expired registration sticker was 17 years old and had a handgun and was willing to shoot at the police.

Keeping the registration stickers on the license plates showed you in real life how something as simple as a registration sticker helps protect the public and allows the police to do their job. This traffic stop removed a dangerous person with a handgun and his accomplices off the streets of Philadelphia, and who knows what other crimes this person may have committed or would have committed in the future.

I am asking all of my colleagues to pray for Trooper Patrick Casey for a full and speedy recovery from the injuries he received. And today I have to tell you, this is my first time at

this podium, but I am proud to be a part of this chamber for having done the right thing in passing HB 1154 last June. I encourage the Senate to do the same very soon. I also encourage the Governor to sign the bill as soon as it reaches his desk.

I would like to ask Representative Costa if he wants to make a few comments.

The SPEAKER. Please suspend for a second.

STATEMENT BY MR. COSTA

The SPEAKER. Representative Costa, the floor is yours.

Mr. D. COSTA. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would just like to reiterate the comments of my colleague and pray for a speedy recovery for Trooper Casey. I mean, let us face it, little things matter a lot, and when a little thing like that little sticker came up and this House was made aware of it, you folks responded to that call to support our law enforcement. It is a little thing, and I would like to commend the administration because they are working with us for alternatives in the future. But until alternatives, a better alternative is available, we have to stay with that. We have to support our law enforcement.

Again, thank you, and let us all pray for Trooper Casey's full and immediate recovery. Thank you very much.

Mr. JOZWIAK. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

BILLS RECOMMENDED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who moves that the following bills be recommended to the Committee on Appropriations:

HB 1199;
 HB 1200;
 HB 1476;
 HB 1577;
 HB 1660;
 HB 1673;
 SB 286;
 SB 398;
 SB 1045; and
 SB 1046.

On the question,
 Will the House agree to the motion?
 Motion was agreed to.

BILLS REMOVED FROM TABLE

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who moves that the following bills be removed from the tabled calendar and placed on the active calendar:

SB 283;
 SB 756; and
 SB 861.

On the question,
 Will the House agree to the motion?
 Motion was agreed to.

CALENDAR CONTINUED**BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION**

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 1664, PN 2442**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of October 27, 1955 (P.L.744, No.222), known as the Pennsylvania Human Relations Act, further providing for the title of the act, for findings and declaration of policy, for right to freedom from discrimination in employment, housing and public accommodation, for definitions, for unlawful discriminatory practices, for prohibition of certain real estate practices, for powers and duties of the commission, for educational program, for construction and exclusiveness of remedy and for cooperation of State agencies.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

BILL TABLED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who moves that HB 1664 be removed from the active calendar and placed on the tabled calendar.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion?
Motion was agreed to.

BILL REMOVED FROM TABLE

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who moves that HB 1664 be removed from the tabled calendar and placed on the active calendar.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion?
Motion was agreed to.

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The House proceeded to second consideration of **SB 385, PN 1363**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 8, 2004 (P.L.1801, No.238), known as the Transit Revitalization Investment District Act, in general provisions, further providing for definitions; in TRID creation and location, further providing for criteria for proposed TRID, for TRID designation, for implementing authority, for TRID planning study factors, for roles and responsibilities of public transportation agencies and municipalities and for amendments to TRID planning study; in land development powers of public transportation agencies, further providing for development or redevelopment of property; in value capture approaches, further providing for creation of value capture area and for dedication of tax revenues; providing for capture of TRID tax revenue; and, in community involvement, further providing for public meeting to explain TRID and alternative implementation approaches.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the bill on second consideration?

BILL TABLED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who moves that SB 385 be removed from the active calendar and placed on the tabled calendar.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion?
Motion was agreed to.

BILL REMOVED FROM TABLE

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who moves that SB 385 be removed from the tabled calendar and placed on the active calendar.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion?
Motion was agreed to.

BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **SB 590, PN 566**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 5, 2012 (P.L.1102, No.132), known as the State System of Higher Education Intellectual Property Act, further providing for title of act, for short title, for definitions and for repeal.

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

BILL TABLED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who moves that SB 590 be removed from the active calendar and placed on the tabled calendar.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion?
Motion was agreed to.

BILL REMOVED FROM TABLE

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the majority leader, who moves that SB 590 be removed from the tabled calendar and placed on the active calendar.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion?
Motion was agreed to.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes Representative Sandra Major, the majority caucus chair, for an announcement.

Ms. MAJOR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would like to announce we will caucus today at 2 p.m. I would ask Republican members to please report to our caucus room at 2 o'clock. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. And Representative Frankel, the minority caucus chair, for an announcement.

Mr. FRANKEL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Democrats will caucus at 2 o'clock, but I would ask that all members pay attention to your e-mail. There may be some adjustment to that, but for the time being, plan on being in caucus at 2 o'clock. Thank you.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY MRS. PARKER

The SPEAKER. And Representative Cherelle Parker is recognized on unanimous consent.

Mrs. PARKER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, immediately at the close of session, there will be a meeting of the Philadelphia delegation in room 302, Irvis Office Building. Again, at the close of session, an immediate meeting of the Philadelphia delegation, 302 Irvis Office Building.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION
INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

No. 606 By Representatives STEPHENS, COX, QUIGLEY, BAKER, MILLARD, MURT, HEFFLEY, PHILLIPS-HILL, LONGIETTI, VEREB, DAY, MACKENZIE, BENNINGHOFF, HICKERNELL, DUSH, SONNEY, CORBIN, HARPER, READSHAW, GODSHALL, FEE, HARHART, FARRY, KAUFFMAN, HAHN, R. BROWN, WARNER, RAPP, MARSICO, TAYLOR, MARSHALL, A. HARRIS, SANKEY, TALLMAN, ELLIS, SCHLEGEL CULVER, D. COSTA, GROVE and GINGRICH

A Resolution urging the Governor to reconsider the resettlement of Syrian refugees in this Commonwealth until such time as systems are in place to thoroughly conduct security and background checks on Syrian refugees.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, December 1, 2015.

**HOUSE BILL
INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

No. 1730 By Representatives COHEN, V. BROWN, CALTAGIRONE, ROZZI and THOMAS

An Act amending the act of July 14, 1961 (P.L.637, No.329), known as the Wage Payment and Collection Law, further providing for definitions and for regular payday.

Referred to Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, December 1, 2015.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS PASSED OVER

The SPEAKER. Without objection, all remaining bills and resolutions on today's calendar will be passed over. The Chair hears no objection.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER. And Representative Mike Tobash moves that the House be adjourned until Wednesday, December 2, 2015, at 11 a.m., e.s.t., unless sooner recalled by the Speaker.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

Motion was agreed to, and at 12:27 p.m., e.s.t., the House adjourned.