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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The House convened at 1 p.m., e.d.t.

THE SPEAKER (MIKE TURZAI) PRESIDING

The SPEAKER. Everybody, we are requesting that you please come to take your seats on the floor for the prayer and the Pledge, and then we are going to go right into the swearing-in of our new member, which we are so honored to do today.

PRAYER

HON. STEPHANIE BOROWICZ, member of the House of Representatives, offered the following prayer:

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Let us pray:

Jesus, I thank You for this privilege, Lord, of letting me pray, God, that I, Jesus, am Your ambassador here today, standing here representing You, the King of Kings; the Lord of Lords; the Great I Am; the one who is coming back again; the one who came, died, and rose again on the third day. And I am so privileged to stand here today. So thank You for this honor, Jesus.

God, for those that came before us like George Washington at Valley Forge and Abraham Lincoln, who sought after You in Gettysburg, Jesus, and the Founding Fathers in Independence Hall, Jesus, that sought after You and fasted and prayed for this nation to be founded on Your principles and Your words and Your truth, God, forgive us. Jesus, we have lost sight of You. We have forgotten You, God, in our country. And we are asking You to forgive us, Jesus; that Your promise and Your Word says that if my people who are called by my name will humble themselves and pray and seek Your face and turn from their wicked ways, that You will heal our land. Jesus, You are our only hope.

God, I pray for our leaders, Speaker Turzai, Leader Cutler, Governor Wolf, President Trump. Lord, thank You that he stands beside Israel, unequivocally, Lord. Thank You, Jesus, that we are blessed because we stand by Israel and we ask for the peace of Jerusalem as Your Word says, God.

We ask that we not be overcome by evil and that we overcome evil with good in this land once again. I claim all these things in the powerful, mighty name of Jesus, the one who at the name of Jesus every knee will bow and every tongue will confess, Jesus, that You are Lord. In Jesus' 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 Wednesday, March 20, 2019, will be postponed until printed.

All members, please come to the House floor. We are going to begin the swearing-in ceremony, which will begin with a prayer for the swearing-in ceremony.

All members, please take your seats. We are having a swearing-in day ceremony. All members, please report to the House floor. We are going to close the doors of the House.

This is a solemn swearing-in. Please close the doors of the House. If a member should knock to come to the floor, let the member on. Thank you, Sergeants at Arms. We certainly do not make your jobs easy.

Guests and family members, please have your seats. And if anybody needs a seat, let me know and we can get more chairs, if anybody does not have a seat. Thank you.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS

SWEARING-IN OF NEW MEMBER

The SPEAKER. Representative-elect Movita Johnson-Harrell, welcome.

Representative Johnson-Harrell, soon-to-be Representative Johnson-Harrell, Representative-elect, was elected to serve as the Representative for the 190th Legislative District in Philadelphia on March 12, 2019. Her priorities include, amongst other issues, education reform, economic development in low-income communities, and prevention of violence to the citizens of Philadelphia and the State. This West Philadelphia native created the CHARLES (Creating Healthy Alternatives Results in Less Emotional Suffering) Foundation, a nonprofit founded in her son's name, who died at the hands of gun violence, to empower communities and to protect individuals.

She graduated from the University of Pennsylvania with three degrees. She has worked throughout her career to protect those in her community. She was an interim supervisor of Victim Services in the Philadelphia District Attorney's Office and worked to create the Crisis Assistance and Response to Empower Survivors model. That has raised \$1.6 million and produced 15 jobs.

On behalf of every member of the House of Representatives, it is our honor to welcome her to the ranks of America's, the New World's, first independent democratically elected legislative body. The Provincial Assembly, which is our direct predecessor, was started by William Penn in 1682. As you know, the United States Constitution itself was not written and ratified until 1787. The formation of this body in which you are about to serve predates the United States by more than 100 years. We are honored to have you here and we know that the citizens back home are honored to have you here.

Further, I would like to recognize the fact in historical annals that Representative Movita Johnson-Harrell will be the first Muslim woman to serve in the Pennsylvania House of Representatives.

PRAYER

The SPEAKER. To open up with a short prayer to begin our swearing-in ceremony, the Representative-elect has asked Mohammed Anam Chowdhury to give the opening prayer for this swearing-in ceremony from Baitul Mukarram Jame Masjid and that is in Philadelphia. And, Mohammed Anam Chowdhury, if you would please provide us with a prayer for this swearing-in day ceremony.

MOHAMMED ANAM CHOWDHURY, Guest Chaplain of the House of Representatives, offered the following prayer:

(Prayer in Arabic.)

The SPEAKER. Thank you, sir. Thank you very much.

The House will now take up a special order of business, the swearing-in of Representative-elect Movita Johnson-Harrell of the 190th Legislative District.

ELECTION RETURNS PRESENTED

The SPEAKER. The Chair recognizes the Sergeant at Arms. Please come down. And he is bringing with him Jonathan Marks, the Deputy Secretary for Elections and Commissions. And the Speaker thanks the Deputy Secretary, Jonathan Marks, and will ask him to please read the returns with respect to the 190th Legislative District election.

The SERGEANT AT ARMS. Mr. Speaker, Jonathan Marks, Deputy Secretary for Elections and Commissions.

Mr. MARKS. Mr. Speaker, it is my privilege and honor to present the returns and the certification of campaign expense compliance for the special election held on March 12, 2019, in the 190th Legislative District.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, sir.

The clerk will read the returns.

The following election returns were read:

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

TO THE HONORABLE SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, GREETINGS:

I have the honor to present the official returns of the Special Election for Representative in the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania held in the one hundred ninetieth Legislative District, as the same have been certified to and filed with my office by the Philadelphia County Board of Elections. Movita Johnson-Harrell, having received the highest number of votes in the Special Election, and having complied with the provisions of Article XVI of the Pennsylvania Election Code pertaining to Primary and Election Expenses, was duly elected a Representative in the General Assembly.

(SEAL)

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth at the city of Harrisburg, this twenty-fifth day of March in the year of our Lord two thousand nineteen and of the Commonwealth the two hundred forty-third.

Kathy Boockvar
Acting Secretary of the Commonwealth

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OFFICIAL RETURNS

SPECIAL ELECTION
REPRESENTATIVE IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
190th Legislative District
March 12, 2019

<u>DEMOCRATIC</u>	<u>VOTES</u>
Movita Johnson-Harrell 4927 Parkside Avenue North Philadelphia, PA 19131	3,188
<u>REPUBLICAN</u>	
Michael Harvey 5616 Osage Avenue Philadelphia, PA 19143	129
<u>AMEN BROWN PARTY</u>	
Amen Brown 3600 Conshohocken Ave. Philadelphia, PA 19131	958
<u>WORKING FAMILIES PARTY</u>	
Pamela K. Williams 5308 Spruce Street Philadelphia, PA 19139	511

CERTIFICATE ON ELECTION EXPENSES

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

TO THE HONORABLE SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, GREETINGS:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 1632(b) of the Pennsylvania Election Code 25, P.S. § 3252(b), I do hereby certify that the candidate who was elected Representative in the General Assembly from the 190th District in the Special Election held March 12, 2019, Movita Johnson-Harrell, has filed all of the reports and statements of contributions and expenditures required by the provisions of Article XVI of the Pennsylvania Election Code entitled "Primary and Election Expenses."

(SEAL) Witness my hand and the seal of the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth this twenty-fifth day of March, 2019.

Kathy Boockvar
Acting Secretary of the Commonwealth

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED

The SPEAKER. I would like to introduce to everybody Judge Mary P. Murray of the Pennsylvania Superior Court. The judge is a graduate of Duquesne University in 1992, an M.B.A. (master of business administration) from Duquesne University in 1995, and a J.D. (juris doctorate) law degree from Duquesne University in 1996. She served as a magisterial district judge from 2004 to 2017 and has been on the bench beginning in January of 2018.

Judge Murray, the Speaker requests, first, that the member-elect come forward to the well of the House for the purpose of taking the oath.

And, Representative-elect, will you have any family member with you, stand with you? You may if you would like. They can stand with you. Representative-elect, if you do not mind in the microphone just introduce your guests and then we will proceed with the swearing-in.

Mrs. HARRELL. Good afternoon, everyone.

With me are my husband, Yancy Sherman Harrell; my grandson, Khalif Johnson, Charles' son; and my grandson, Chad Johnson.

The SPEAKER. Oh, we are so honored to have them. Thank you for being with us today.

I am going to have the judge, Judge Mary Murray, come up. The oath of office required by Article VI, section 3, of the Constitution of Pennsylvania will now be administered by the Honorable Mary P. Murray, judge of the Superior Court of Pennsylvania. Thank you. Judge.

JUDGE MURRAY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

It is an honor to be in this historic room for this historic occasion, and I am so excited to see that your grandchildren are here to celebrate with you.

Please place your left hand on your Holy Book and raise your right hand and repeat after me: I – state your name – do solemnly swear that I will support, obey, and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this Commonwealth and that I will discharge the duties of my office with fidelity.

(Member asserted oath.)

JUDGE MURRAY. Thank you.

Mrs. HARRELL. Thank you.

JUDGE MURRAY. Congratulations.

REMARKS BY DEMOCRATIC LEADER

The SPEAKER. Now, I do always and it is our tradition in the House of Representatives to invite both leaders to provide some remarks, and I will begin with the Democratic leader, Representative Frank Dermody, of Allegheny County, and then will be followed by the Republican leader, the majority leader, Bryan Cutler, of Lancaster County.

Representative Dermody.

Mr. DERMODY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, Judge Murray, family and friends of our new member, this certainly is a historic day in this House. With the arrival of Movita Johnson-Harrell as our newest member, the House now has 52 women members. That is the most ever. Movita also is, as many have already noted, the first Muslim woman ever to serve in this chamber. So, Movita, I join all the members in saying welcome, congratulations on making history in Pennsylvania.

I also want to thank all the family members and friends that have come here today to help celebrate. This was a special election campaign, a short election campaign, but you all supported her effort to get here. We are glad that you did, and you know, it is great that you are here to share a part of this day with Movita. So thank you all for coming here, and she gets to work every day in this spectacular room, right?

Mr. Speaker, Representative Johnson-Harrell has been shaped by all the experiences of her life but none more than the tragic loss of her 18-year-old son, Charles, to gun violence on a January night 8 years ago. Charles was the victim of mistaken identity as he sat in a parked car. It cost him his life and it changed the lives of many others, particularly his mother's. Mr. Speaker, you will see that our guests today are wearing orange ribbons; that is to honor the memory of Charles.

As Movita said, after her son was killed she had a choice: to stay in bed in a fetal position or to get out and make a difference in the lives of other people's kids. She threw herself into activism for violence reduction and gun safety. She worked with groups like Moms Demand Action for gun safety, the Orange Wave for Gun Safety, and Movita established, as we already heard, the CHARLES Foundation in memory of her son. That foundation set up a summer internship program in Philadelphia where high-risk young people work with mentors to gain tangible skills for problem solving and conflict resolution. More recently Movita, as we have heard also, was the head of the Victim Services Unit in the Office of the Philadelphia District Attorney.

Mr. Speaker, I usually give advice to our newest members to listen to others but also speak your mind, take some time to learn the issues but also take some chances. Movita, I believe you have been doing that for a long time.

The office you now hold and the job you now have is challenging and requires your full attention. It demands your best effort. You are joining us at a time when we will have some intense negotiations on the budget and other important issues. Do not let partisan differences stand in the way of your getting things

done for the people who sent you here. It is important that every single one of us understands that it is okay to reach across the aisle and work together to solve problems. Mr. Speaker, the only barriers to Republicans and Democrats working together are the artificial barriers we put up ourselves. But we should never let partisan rancor stand in the way of getting something done for the people who sent us here to represent them.

Movita has shown in her own life that a person can take the worst tragedy, the toughest challenge, and turn it into something positive to help people. That is an example I hope we will all strive to follow.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

REMARKS BY MAJORITY LEADER

The SPEAKER. The Chair would call upon the majority leader, Representative Bryan Cutler, of Lancaster County.

Mr. CUTLER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Welcome. What a wonderful place we get to work on each and every day when we are in session. And to all the guests, friends, and family who were a part in getting her here, thank you, because one of the things that I shared on swearing-in day, which was a couple of months ago, was we all have a story, and our stories, as Leader Dermody pointed out, shape our world view, they shape what we are passionate about, and they shape the issues that we want to work on. Each one of us has a unique story. Each one of us has passions that we want to make a difference. And as the leader outlined, I think that we should never apologize for taking a stand on courage or making a difference for our communities.

And the leader is correct in that the only walls that we build between the Republicans and the Democrats are the ones that we think are there. You are joining us after a momentous time where we had strong bipartisan support for a legislative package on workforce development. We are going to work on some more issues where I am sure there will be continued and bipartisan support. So I invite you to share your story, the way that it has shaped you, the way that it has shaped your world view, and encourage you to take an active role in that. I look forward to working with you. I look forward to speaking with you and learning your story, just as I will take an opportunity to share mine.

So with that, I want to turn to all of the guests who are here. As Leader Dermody pointed out, it was a compressed timeframe. You know, we all had months to build up to our swearing-in day. Now, we did not have this kind of focused attention on ours either. We had to share seats and we might have had a few less tickets, but that is what makes this day so special because being a special election you get to come in at a unique time where all of your friends, family, and supporters can be here for you.

And to the friends, family, and supporters, I want to encourage you, your work is not done. As we debate issues up here and as we work through the variety of problems that we will encounter legislatively, remember to occasionally call and give her an encouraging call to say, hey, we have not forgotten about you, we know that you are working hard, we look forward to working with you each and every day; and I think that I speak for everyone in the chamber, we look forward to doing the same here. I look forward to getting to know you, but most importantly, I look forward to solving problems with you. Thank you.

GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. That concludes our swearing-in ceremony with respect to Representative Movita Johnson-Harrell, and thank you all for coming here today.

Just before we adjourn, if I might introduce some of the guests. I know that the Representative introduced her husband, Yancy. If you will please stand again, Yancy. And, everybody, if we could – and just remain standing, sir. And then children, Denae. Is Denae with us? Denae. Donte. Charlyne. Thank you all. We also have grandchildren, I know two of them were already introduced, but just if they do not mind standing – Khalif, Chad, Jaiyana, and Saabir. Is that Saabir right there? That is what I thought. Lorraine Johnson, the Representative's mother. Thank you very much for being with us. Grandmother, Frieda Ambrose. Grandmother, Frieda Ambrose. Thank you. Sister, DeNile Johnson. Thank you so much. And then from Pennsylvania's 44th Senatorial District, Senator Katie Muth. Where is Senator Muth? Oh, I am sorry, I apologize, but Senator Muth was with us. Thank you. And also, everybody, all the guests that are here today, thank you so much for being with us.

We will open the doors of the House. And I know that the family and friends will be celebrating, but, Representative, we are going to need you, after you say goodbye to everybody, to stay on the House floor and then we will get you to your family and friends. Thank you so much, everybody. Thank you.

The House will stand at ease while our guests leave the floor.

All members, please take your seats. The House is back in order.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

The SPEAKER. The majority whip requests leave of absence for Representative Matt GABLER of Clearfield County for the week; still, I believe, on Guard duty. Without objection, that will be granted.

The minority whip requests leaves of absence for Representative Jared SOLOMON of Philadelphia County for the day, Representative Patty KIM of Dauphin County for the day, Representative Robert MERSKI of Erie County for the day, Representative David DELLOSO of Delaware County for the day, Representative Angel CRUZ of Philadelphia County for the week, and Representative Rosita YOUNGBLOOD of Philadelphia County for the week. Without objection, those will be granted.

MASTER ROLL CALL

The SPEAKER. Members will please proceed to vote on the master roll.

(Members proceeded to vote.)

VOTE STRICKEN

The SPEAKER. We are going to strike the vote right now. We will come back and do the master roll. We are going to strike it right now until we get that fixed, and we will come back and do the master roll. We will do it this afternoon. It should be working,

but we will come back. We will not take the master roll until later this afternoon after we return, after caucus breaks. We will take the master roll when we come back after caucus.

I am going to have to ask all the guests at this time if they could please step off the floor. We have some introductions that we have to do. I am going to have to ask all the guests to please step off.

GUESTS INTRODUCED

The SPEAKER. To the left of the rostrum, we are pleased to welcome Stacey Hagains, who is interning in Representative Krueger's office. Thank you so much for being with us, Stacey. She attends Temple University and is pursuing a master's degree in social work.

To the left of the rostrum, we are pleased to welcome Representative Steve Mentzer's daughter, Lynn Conant. Lynn, please stand. Welcome, Lynn. She is a volunteer with Big Brothers Big Sisters of York and Adams Counties and is here with her Little Sister, Maia Steck. Maia, will you stand. Thanks, Maia, for being with us. Maia also has with her Destiny Steck and Adia Malloy. Did I say it right? How do you say it? Adia. Did I get it right? Adia Malloy. Good.

To left of the rostrum, we invite Adewale Williams and Dominion Roberts. Please stand. They are guests of Representative Jordan Harris and are emissaries of the Ooni of Ife, Adeyeye Ogunwusi. Thank you so much for being with us today. Thank you.

Representative Josh Kail brings to us today our very good friend, the chair of the Beaver County Commissioners, Dan Kamp. Dan, great to have you here, my friend. Thanks for being with us.

In the rear of the House, visiting from New York City is Mary Ann Cloyd. Where is Mary Ann? And Mary Ann is a guest of Representative Doyle Heffley.

In the gallery today, we have students from Misericordia University's Government, Law and National Security program. Misericordia's students are guests of Representative Tarah Toohil, Tarah Toohil. Thank you, Tarah, for having them here today.

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE, CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED

HB 349, PN 1087 (Amended)

By Rep. COX

An Act amending the act of November 10, 1999 (P.L.491, No.45), known as the Pennsylvania Construction Code Act, in adoption and enforcement by municipalities, further providing for administration and enforcement.

LABOR AND INDUSTRY.

HB 422, PN 1088 (Amended)

By Rep. COX

An Act amending the act of November 10, 1999 (P.L.491, No.45), known as the Pennsylvania Construction Code Act, in training and certification of inspectors, further providing for training of inspectors.

LABOR AND INDUSTRY.

The SPEAKER. Okay. Members, if we are going to take a photo, we are going to need to take the photo now because we have a group to introduce. So I am going to need anybody who is going to be in the photo, please stand right now, and then we are going to be moving forward with our business for the day.

All members need to take their seats.

Representative Steve Barrar has brought a group from his district in Delaware County. They need to head over to the Senate. And we are going to proceed with that. I had asked if he wanted to wait until after the break, but he preferred to proceed right now because they need to get to the Senate.

The Sergeants at Arms, if you could help us clear the chairs from the well of the House. All members, please take your seats. If the Sergeants at Arms, the various Sergeants at Arms, if you could help us clear the chairs. Thank you.

Please bring the rest of the students down into the well of the House. They need to go on the side.

All members must take their seats. I am asking the Sergeants at Arms to ask everybody to please take their seats. If you need to have a discussion at this time, please take it off the House floor; otherwise, you must take your seats. These guests have traveled well over 2 hours to be with us. I am going to ask the leaders of both caucuses to ask members to take their seats and the Sergeants at Arms to do the same. Staff, please take seats.

The Sergeants at Arms will close the doors of the House.

GARNET VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY CHEERLEADING SQUAD PRESENTED

The SPEAKER. Representative Steve Barrar and Representative Chris Quinn are at the rostrum at this time to present a citation to the Garnet Valley High School Cheerleading Squad. Please let us give Representative Barrar and our guests who have traveled some distance to be with us our attention.

Representative Barrar, you may proceed.

Mr. BARRAR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, today Representative Quinn and myself have the pleasure of recognizing an incredible group of young women who make up the Garnet Valley High School Varsity Cheerleading Team. After a long season of hard work, hundreds of hours of practice, dozens of competitions, and everyone working together, the Lady Jags captured the State title in the Large Varsity Division during the 2018-19 PIAA State Championships with a score of 94.80 out of 100 possible points. The team also claimed their second District I title.

For the first time in the history of Garnet Valley High School, a cheerleading team has captured the PIAA Championship by beating 41 strong, competitive teams. The win was only made possible because of the impressive combination of training and dedication and incredible athletic talent. They showed us the best of the sport, which culminated in claiming a title, despite stiff competition, under the expert guidance of coaches Abby Lucking, Lisa Garman, Paige Garman, and also support from their team manager, Samantha McGhee.

We are very proud of this team's accomplishment. Winning a Pennsylvania State championship is a huge accomplishment as this sport is extremely competitive. Again, ladies, we are very proud of your accomplishment and thank you for being here. Let us give them a round of applause.

The SPEAKER. Representative Quinn, do you wish to speak?
Mr. QUINN. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I would simply like to congratulate the girls and offer them this citation as a congratulations toward their incredible victory. Thank you for coming.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. The Sergeants at Arms will open the doors of the House.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY MR. METCALFE

The SPEAKER. Chairman Daryl Metcalfe, for a committee announcement.

Mr. METCALFE. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

This is not an announcement for my committee. It is an announcement for all the majority chairmen to meet in my office at the first break for our first meeting of the majority chairmen's caucus. Thank you. In my office, 144 Main Capitol, majority chairmen.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

HEALTH COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. Chair Kathy Rapp.

Ms. RAPP. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Health Committee will hold a voting meeting in room G-50, Irvis, to consider HB 33, HB 629, HB 427, and any other business that comes before us, at the first break, immediately, G-50 Irvis.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you.

The Health Committee will meet in G-50 Irvis immediately at the break.

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. Chairman Stan Saylor, the majority Appropriations chair.

Mr. SAYLOR. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Appropriations Committee will meet immediately in the majority caucus room. Again, the Appropriations Committee will meet immediately in the majority caucus room.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, sir.

The Appropriations Committee will meet immediately in the majority caucus room.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. The majority caucus chair, Marcy Toepel, for a caucus announcement.

Mrs. TOEPEL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Republicans will caucus at 2:15. We would be prepared to return to the floor at 2:45. Thank you.

The SPEAKER. Thank you.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. Representative Joanna McClinton, the Democratic caucus chair, for a caucus announcement.

Ms. McCLINTON. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

House Democrats, we will caucus at 2:15 and return to this floor at 2:45.

The SPEAKER. Thank you very much.

Does any other member or chair have a committee announcement or a caucus announcement?

RECESS

The SPEAKER. We will stand in recess until 2:45.

RECESS EXTENDED

The time of recess was extended until 3 p.m.

AFTER RECESS

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

The SPEAKER. Representative Dellosio is on the House floor. He should be placed on the master roll. Representative— Oh, I apologize. Representative Dellosio is on the House floor. Representative Solomon is on the House floor.

MASTER ROLL CALL

The SPEAKER. We are now going to proceed to vote on the master roll. So, everybody, please vote on the master roll. Thank you.

The following roll call was recorded:

PRESENT—196

Barrar	Fiedler	Lewis	Reese
Benninghoff	Fitzgerald	Longietti	Rigby
Bernstine	Flynn	Mackenzie	Roae
Bizzarro	Frankel	Madden	Roebuck
Boback	Freeman	Mako	Rothman
Borowicz	Fritz	Malagari	Rozzi
Boyle	Gainey	Maloney	Ryan
Bradford	Galloway	Markosek	Sainato
Briggs	Gaydos	Marshall	Samuelson
Brooks	Gillen	Masser	Sanchez
Brown	Gillespie	Matzie	Sankey
Bullock	Gleim	McCarter	Sappey
Burgos	Goodman	McClinton	Saylor
Burns	Gregory	McNeill	Schemel
Caltagirone	Greiner	Mehaffie	Schlossberg
Carroll	Grove	Mentzer	Schmitt
Causser	Hahn	Metcalfe	Schroeder
Cephas	Hanbidge	Metzgar	Schweyer
Ciresi	Harkins	Mihalek	Shusterman
Comitta	Harrell	Millard	Simmons
Conklin	Harris	Miller, B.	Sims
Cook	Heffley	Miller, D.	Snyder

Cox	Helm	Mizgorski	Solomon
Culver	Hennessey	Moul	Sonney
Cutler	Hershey	Mullery	Staats
Daley	Hickernell	Mullins	Stephens
Davidson	Hohenstein	Murt	Struzzi
Davis, A.	Howard	Neilson	Sturla
Davis, T.	Innamorato	Nelson	Thomas
Dawkins	Irvin	Nesbit	Tobash
Day	Isaacson	O'Mara	Toepel
Deasy	James	O'Neal	Toohil
DeLissio	Jones	Oberlander	Topper
Delloso	Jozwiak	Ortitay	Ullman
Delozier	Kail	Otten	Vitali
DeLuca	Kaufer	Owlett	Walsh
Dermody	Kauffman	Pashinski	Warner
Diamond	Keefer	Peifer	Warren
DiGirolamo	Keller, F.	Petrarca	Webster
Donatucci	Keller, M.K.	Pickett	Wentling
Dowling	Kenyatta	Polinchock	Wheatley
Driscoll	Kinsey	Puskaric	Wheeland
Dunbar	Kirkland	Pyle	White
Dush	Klunk	Quinn	Williams
Ecker	Knowles	Rabb	Zabel
Emrick	Kortz	Rader	Zimmerman
Evans	Krueger	Rapp	
Everett	Kulik	Ravenstahl	Turzai,
Farry	Lawrence	Readshaw	Speaker
Fee	Lee		

ADDITIONS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—5

Cruz	Kim	Merski	Youngblood
Gabler			

The SPEAKER. There were 196 votes on today's master roll. We have a quorum.

BILLS REREPORTED FROM COMMITTEE

HB 97, PN 99 By Rep. SAYLOR

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in minors, further providing for the offense of sale of tobacco and for the offense of use of tobacco in schools.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 510, PN 885 By Rep. SAYLOR

An Act amending Title 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in intergovernmental cooperation, further providing for ordinance, for content of ordinance, for joint purchases with private educational establishments, for required review of specified agreements and for effect of joint cooperation agreements.

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 511, PN 497 By Rep. SAYLOR

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

APPROPRIATIONS.

HB 512, PN 498

By Rep. SAYLOR

An Act amending Title 11 (Cities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in corporate powers, further providing for municipal authorities and cooperation with other political subdivisions.

APPROPRIATIONS.

**HOUSE RESOLUTIONS
INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

No. 167 By Representatives RYAN, GROVE, PICKETT, JAMES, READSHAW, SAYLOR, KORTZ and KEEFER

A Concurrent Resolution urging the State Treasurer to petition the Federal Reserve to remit \$24 billion, less applicable benefit, to the Commonwealth to reimburse the State Employees' Retirement Fund and the Public School Employees' Retirement Fund for lost earnings due to quantitative easing.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, March 25, 2019.

No. 169 By Representatives DeLUCA, DONATUCCI, READSHAW, McNEILL, BRIGGS, HILL-EVANS, SCHLOSSBERG, CALTAGIRONE and CIRESI

A Resolution amending House Rule 53, further providing for discharge of committees.

Referred to Committee on RULES, March 25, 2019.

**HOUSE BILLS
INTRODUCED AND REFERRED**

No. 436 By Representatives F. KELLER, BARRAR, FRANKEL, FREEMAN, HILL-EVANS and SCHLOSSBERG

An Act amending the act of June 13, 2008 (P.L.182, No.27), known as the Clean Indoor Air Act, further providing for title of act, for definitions, for prohibition, for signage, for enforcement, for annual reports, for administration, for preemption of local ordinances and for repeal; and making editorial changes.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, March 25, 2019.

No. 878 By Representatives GALLOWAY, HILL-EVANS, FREEMAN, MILLARD, SIMMONS, BARRAR, READSHAW, McNEILL, DEASY, FRANKEL, McCLINTON, DAVIDSON and STRUZZI

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 problem-solving courts; and, in magisterial district judges, further providing for jurisdiction and venue.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, March 25, 2019.

No. 879 By Representatives GALLOWAY, HILL-EVANS, MURT, T. DAVIS and NEILSON

An Act providing for the regulation of home construction contracts and for the registration of certain home builders; prohibiting certain acts; providing for the offense of home construction fraud and for penalties; establishing the Home Builder Guaranty Fund; and providing for claims against the fund and for notification of defective or faulty building material or product.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, March 25, 2019.

No. 885 By Representatives GAYDOS, GLEIM, LEWIS, MIHALEK, RYAN, BERNSTINE, BROOKS, GROVE, KAUFFMAN, B. MILLER, MULLINS, ROTHMAN and ZIMMERMAN

An Act amending the act of December 20, 1967 (P.L.869, No.385), known as the Public Works Contractors' Bond Law of 1967, further providing for duty of prime contractor to provide financial security in certain contracts involving public works and public improvements.

Referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, March 25, 2019.

No. 887 By Representatives QUINN, OTTEN and FREEMAN

An Act amending the act of December 22, 2011 (P.L.586, No.127), known as the Gas and Hazardous Liquids Pipelines Act, in pipeline operators, providing for approval of construction or development of pipelines.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, March 25, 2019.

No. 888 By Representatives QUINN, OTTEN and FREEMAN

An Act amending the act of December 22, 2011 (P.L.586, No.127), known as the Gas and Hazardous Liquids Pipelines Act, in pipeline operators, providing for inspection before resumption of operations.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, March 25, 2019.

No. 889 By Representatives QUINN, OTTEN and FREEMAN

An Act amending the act of December 22, 2011 (P.L.586, No.127), known as the Gas and Hazardous Liquids Pipelines Act, in pipeline operators, providing for public risk assessments.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, March 25, 2019.

No. 890 By Representatives QUINN, OTTEN and FREEMAN

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in service and facilities, providing for pipeline emergency management information.

Referred to Committee on CONSUMER AFFAIRS, March 25, 2019.

No. 917 By Representatives SCHMITT, DIAMOND, RYAN, KAUFFMAN, RIGBY, IRVIN, PICKETT, ZIMMERMAN, NEILSON, KEEFER, GROVE, MASSER and GILLEN

An Act repealing the act of May 17, 1929 (P.L.1805, No.598), entitled "An act authorizing municipalities other than townships to acquire by gift, devise, or bequest, lands, chattels, securities and funds for the establishment and maintenance of a hospital; to appoint trustees

of such property and funds, subject to the approval of the orphans' court; to operate and maintain such hospital through and by means of such trustees; and to expend municipal funds to aid in the establishment and maintenance of such hospital."

Referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT, March 25, 2019.

No. 918 By Representatives SCHMITT, DIAMOND, RYAN, KAUFFMAN, RIGBY, IRVIN, PICKETT, ZIMMERMAN, NEILSON, KEEFER, GROVE, MASSER and GILLEN

An Act repealing the act of May 20, 1857 (P.L.617, No.658), entitled "An act making an Appropriation from the State Treasury, in aid of the Farmers' High School."

Referred to Committee on AGRICULTURE AND RURAL AFFAIRS, March 25, 2019.

No. 925 By Representatives O'NEAL, TOPPER, OWLETT, RYAN, BERNSTINE, KAUFFMAN, POLINCHOCK, STRUZZI, READSHAW, FREEMAN, MILLARD, ZIMMERMAN, MURT, HILL-EVANS, MASSER, PICKETT, SAINATO, MARKOSEK and GOODMAN

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in professional and occupational licenses, further providing for retention of licenses and certifications of persons entering military service.

Referred to Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, March 25, 2019.

No. 926 By Representatives GREINER, DUNBAR, RYAN, PICKETT, MILLARD, ZIMMERMAN, MENTZER, BERNSTINE, LAWRENCE, COX, PEIFER, FEE and SANCHEZ

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 tax withheld, for withholding tax requirement for nonemployer payors, for information statement for nonemployer payors, for information statement for payees, for time for filing payors' returns, for payment of taxes withheld for nonemployer payors and for liability for withheld taxes, repealing provisions relating to payor's liability for withheld taxes, further providing for bulk and auction sales and transfers and notice, repealing provisions relating to payor's failure to withhold, providing for annual withholding return, repealing provisions relating to withholding on income and to annual withholding statement and further providing for interest and for additions, penalties and fees.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, March 25, 2019.

No. 927 By Representatives GAINNEY, McNEILL, HILL-EVANS, SCHLOSSBERG, ISAACSON, A. DAVIS, FRANKEL, FREEMAN, DONATUCCI, BULLOCK, DALEY, McCLINTON, KINSEY, NEILSON, HARRIS, MADDEN, RABB, ZABEL and STURLA

An Act amending the act of April 14, 1972 (P.L.233, No.64), known as The Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act, further providing for prohibited acts and penalties.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, March 25, 2019.

No. 928 By Representatives EVERETT, KORTZ, T. DAVIS, READSHAW, PICKETT, HILL-EVANS and HAHN

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in organization meetings and officers of boards of school directors, providing for executive sessions involving employee disciplinary matters.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, March 25, 2019.

No. 929 By Representatives MOUL, GILLESPIE, ZIMMERMAN and TOBASH

An Act amending Title 30 (Fish) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in fishing licenses, further providing for nonresident and tourist licenses, for one-day resident fishing licenses and for license, permit and issuing agent fees; and, in special licenses and permits, further providing for permits for protection and management of particular fish, for Lake Erie fishing permits and for fishing guide and charter boat permits.

Referred to Committee on GAME AND FISHERIES, March 25, 2019.

No. 931 By Representatives NEILSON, McNEILL, HARKINS and HILL-EVANS

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in riot, disorderly conduct and related offenses, further providing for gambling devices, gambling, etc.

Referred to Committee on GAMING OVERSIGHT, March 25, 2019.

No. 932 By Representatives BRIGGS, CALTAGIRONE, HILL-EVANS, MURT and READSHAW

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 legislative intent, 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 exemption from licensure examination, for reciprocity, for endorsement of out-of-state licenses and for reinstatement of license; providing for restriction on use of title "licensed professional art therapist" and related titles; and further providing for penalties, for license renewal, records and fees and for unlawful practice.

Referred to Committee on PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, March 25, 2019.

No. 933 By Representatives BARRAR, SAPPEY, DeLUCA, JAMES, MURT, NEILSON, PYLE, READSHAW and WEBSTER

An Act providing for family and medical leave for eligible employees.

Referred to Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, March 25, 2019.

No. 934 By Representatives BARRAR, BERNSTINE, BRIGGS, BROWN, CALTAGIRONE, DeLUCA, DONATUCCI, FREEMAN, HILL-EVANS, MACKENZIE, MURT, POLINCHOCK, PYLE, READSHAW, RYAN, SAYLOR, SCHLOSSBERG, STAATS, STEPHENS, WHEELAND and ZIMMERMAN

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 cardiopulmonary resuscitation education.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, March 25, 2019.

No. 935 By Representatives BARRAR, DeLUCA, LAWRENCE, MILLARD, MURT, NEILSON, SCHLOSSBERG and STRUZZI

An Act amending the act of November 29, 2006 (P.L.1463, No.163), known as the Credit Reporting Agency Act, further providing for definitions and for security freeze; and providing for protected persons security freeze.

Referred to Committee on COMMERCE, March 25, 2019.

No. 936 By Representatives ORTITAY, TOPPER and DIAMOND

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in preliminary provisions, providing for Defining a New Future for Pennsylvania Commission.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, March 25, 2019.

No. 937 By Representatives GOODMAN, KNOWLES, TOBASH, BURNS, CALTAGIRONE, DiGIROLAMO, FREEMAN, HENNESSEY, HILL-EVANS, IRVIN, KINSEY, KORTZ, LONGIETTI, McCLINTON, MILLARD, MULLINS, NEILSON, PYLE, READSHAW, SANCHEZ, SCHLOSSBERG, SNYDER, SOLOMON, STAATS and MARKOSEK

An Act designating the bridge, identified as Bridge Key 52896, on that portion of Pennsylvania Route 924 over the Shenandoah Creek in the Borough of Shenandoah, Schuylkill County, as the Edward Kleha Memorial Bridge.

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, March 25, 2019.

No. 938 By Representatives DeLUCA, HILL-EVANS, PICKETT, MURT, KINSEY and READSHAW

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in assault, further providing for the offense of harassment.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, March 25, 2019.

No. 939 By Representatives McCLINTON, SCHLOSSBERG, RABB, FIEDLER, LEE, T. DAVIS, HILL-EVANS, KIRKLAND, ISAACSON, ULLMAN, McNEILL, DEASY, SCHWEYER, FRANKEL, TOOHIL, BURGOS, SOLOMON, BULLOCK, CALTAGIRONE, KINSEY, SAPPEY, DAVIDSON, WEBSTER and STURLA

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in juvenile matters, providing for confinement in juvenile treatment facilities.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, March 25, 2019.

No. 940 By Representatives McCLINTON, SCHLOSSBERG, MILLARD, HILL-EVANS, KINSEY, BURGOS, BULLOCK, WARREN, NEILSON, FIEDLER, KENYATTA, YOUNGBLOOD, IRVIN and WEBSTER

An Act amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), known as the Pennsylvania Election Code, in election districts and polling places, providing for residence of incarcerated individuals.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 25, 2019.

No. 946 By Representatives DeLUCA, MILLARD, HILL-EVANS, CALTAGIRONE, SAMUELSON, NEILSON, MURT, PASHINSKI, RAVENSTAHL and GILLEN

An Act amending the act of December 19, 1990 (P.L.1200, No.202), known as the Solicitation of Funds for Charitable Purposes Act, further providing for registration of charitable organizations and financial reports and fees and failure to file, for limitation on activities of charitable organizations and disclosure requirements and for prohibited acts.

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 25, 2019.

No. 947 By Representatives SCHWEYER, FREEMAN, OTTEN, HILL-EVANS, SCHLOSSBERG, MADDEN, KULIK, DEASY and RAVENSTAHL

An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, in licenses and regulations, liquor, alcohol and malt and brewed beverages, further providing for hours of operation relative to manufacturers, importing distributors and distributors; and, in distilleries, wineries, bonded warehouses, bailees for hire and transporters for hire, further providing for distilleries.

Referred to Committee on LIQUOR CONTROL, March 25, 2019.

No. 948 By Representatives SCHWEYER, SCHLOSSBERG, STURLA, T. DAVIS, HILL-EVANS, FREEMAN, MURT and KINSEY

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in assault, further providing for the offense of aggravated assault.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, March 25, 2019.

No. 949 By Representatives SCHWEYER, SCHLOSSBERG, T. DAVIS, HILL-EVANS, CALTAGIRONE, FREEMAN, NEILSON, MURT and MARKOSEK

An Act amending the act of June 27, 2006 (1st Sp.Sess., P.L.1873, No.1), known as the Taxpayer Relief Act, in senior citizens property tax and rent rebate assistance, further providing for definitions.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, March 25, 2019.

No. 950 By Representatives SCHWEYER, HANBIDGE, DONATUCCI, KIRKLAND, McNEILL, SCHLOSSBERG, RABB, HILL-EVANS, READSHAW, ISAACSON, FREEMAN, NEILSON, MURT, KINSEY, DALEY, KENYATTA and McCLINTON

An Act establishing the LGBTQ Senior Community Grant Program; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Department of Aging; and making an appropriation.

Referred to Committee on AGING AND OLDER ADULT SERVICES, March 25, 2019.

No. 951 By Representatives SCHWEYER, HILL-EVANS, SOLOMON, RABB, DONATUCCI, KIRKLAND, T. DAVIS, POLINCHOCK, SCHLOSSBERG, KINSEY, MURT, BERNSTINE, READSHAW, CALTAGIRONE, ISAACSON, FREEMAN, DALEY, SAINATO, MARKOSEK, DeLUCA and WEBSTER

An Act establishing the Veteran Suicide Prevention Grant Program; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Department of Military and Veterans Affairs; and establishing the Veteran Suicide Prevention Fund.

Referred to Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, March 25, 2019.

No. 952 By Representatives RYAN, STAATS, GROVE, JOZWIAK and B. MILLER

An Act amending Title 72 (Taxation and Fiscal Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for preliminary provisions, for taxation and for fiscal affairs; and establishing uniform accounting system.

Referred to Committee on FINANCE, March 25, 2019.

No. 953 By Representatives CONKLIN, GILLEN, HARKINS, HILL-EVANS, KINSEY and READSHAW

An Act requiring persons convicted of arson and related offenses to register with local authorities; providing for duties of the Pennsylvania State Police and the Pennsylvania Board of Probation and Parole; and imposing a penalty.

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY, March 25, 2019.

No. 955 By Representatives MURT, FITZGERALD, McNEILL, ZABEL, KENYATTA, CALTAGIRONE, FREEMAN, SOLOMON, HILL-EVANS and McCLINTON

An Act providing for the rights and privileges of homeless persons.

Referred to Committee on URBAN AFFAIRS, March 25, 2019.

No. 956 By Representatives MURT, KINSEY, PICKETT and SAYLOR

An Act amending the act of August 26, 1971 (P.L.351, No.91), known as the State Lottery Law, in State lottery, further providing for powers and duties of secretary.

Referred to Committee on AGING AND OLDER ADULT SERVICES, March 25, 2019.

No. 957 By Representatives MURT, JAMES, HILL-EVANS and ROZZI

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in Commonwealth services, providing for certified fire protection specialist misrepresentation.

Referred to Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, March 25, 2019.

No. 958 By Representatives DIAMOND and BERNSTINE

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 alternative instruction without technology.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, March 25, 2019.

No. 960 By Representatives ZIMMERMAN, MILLARD, FEE, GREINER, HICKERNELL, PICKETT, RYAN, GROVE, IRVIN, MENTZER, STRUZZI, ORTITAY, OWLETT, KEEFER, OBERLANDER, COX, MOUL, FRITZ and RADER

An Act amending the act of May 15, 1945 (P.L.547, No.217), known as the Conservation District Law, further providing for Commonwealth agency cooperation.

Referred to Committee on AGRICULTURE AND RURAL AFFAIRS, March 25, 2019.

No. 965 By Representatives BRIGGS, HILL-EVANS, CALTAGIRONE, SCHLOSSBERG, COMITTA, FREEMAN, SOLOMON, KINSEY, KIRKLAND, NEILSON, MURT, ISAACSON and FIEDLER

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 mental health education.

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION, March 25, 2019.

No. 1215 By Representatives KIM, RABB, SOLOMON, McCLINTON, KENYATTA, SAMUELSON, HOHENSTEIN, FREEMAN, McNEILL, HARKINS, STURLA, HARRIS, HILL-EVANS, KORTZ, ROEBUCK, A. DAVIS, MULLINS, ULLMAN, SHUSTERMAN, BULLOCK, COMITTA, FRANKEL, DONATUCCI, WARREN, DALEY, DAWKINS, DeLUCA, McCARTER, RAVENSTAHL, DERMODY, SCHLOSSBERG, KIRKLAND, BRADFORD, YOUNGBLOOD, GAINEY, GOODMAN, GALLOWAY, KINSEY, D. MILLER, ROZZI, ISAACSON, SCHWEYER, MATZIE, PASHINSKI, BURGOS, KRUEGER, SANCHEZ, BOYLE, CARROLL, CEPHAS, DAVIDSON, DEASY, DELLOSO, HANBIDGE, READSHAW, SIMS, WEBSTER, ZABEL, BRIGGS, CALTAGIRONE, FIEDLER, WILLIAMS, MADDEN, T. DAVIS, O'MARA, CIRESI, MARKOSEK, CRUZ, SAPPEY, LEE and INNAMORATO

An Act amending the act of January 17, 1968 (P.L.11, No.5), known as The Minimum Wage Act of 1968, further providing for definitions and for minimum wages; providing for gratuities; further providing for enforcement and rules and regulations, for penalties and for civil actions; repealing provisions relating to preemption; and providing for taxpayer savings and reinvestment.

Referred to Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, March 25, 2019.

SENATE BILLS FOR CONCURRENCE

The clerk of the Senate, being introduced, presented the following bills for concurrence:

SB 43, PN 20

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, March 25, 2019.

SB 117, PN 85

Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION, March 25, 2019.

SB 190, PN 145

Referred to Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT, March 25, 2019.

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

The SPEAKER. The Speaker submits for the House record a list of the vice chairs, subcommittee chairs, and secretaries for both the majority Republican Caucus and the Democratic Caucus with respect to the standing committees of this House. Those will be submitted for the record.

The following committee appointments were submitted:

Aging and Older Adult Services

Chairman – Thomas Murt

Subcommittee Chairman on Care and Services – Eric Nelson

Subcommittee Chairman on Programs and Benefits – Wendi Thomas
Secretary – Jim Gregory

Agriculture and Rural Affairs

Chairman – Martin Causer

Vice-Chairman – Mark Keller

Secretary – David Zimmerman

Appropriations

Chairman – Stan Saylor

Subcommittee Chairman on Criminal Justice – Sheryl Delozier

Subcommittee Chairman on Economic Impact and Infrastructure –
Matt Gabler

Subcommittee Chairman on Education – Jason Ortitay

Subcommittee Chairman on Fiscal Policy – Keith Greiner

Subcommittee Chairman on Health and Welfare – Marcia Hahn

Vice-Chairman – George Dunbar

Secretary – Sheryl Delozier

Children and Youth

Chairman – Karen Boback

Vice-Chairman – Tarah Toohil

Secretary – Todd Polinchock

Commerce

Chairman – Mark Keller

Subcommittee Chairman on Economic Development – Valerie
Gaydos

Subcommittee Chairman on Financial Services and Banking – Ryan

Mackenzie

Subcommittee Chairman on Housing – Mike Puskaric

Subcommittee Chairman on Small Business – Clint Owlett

Subcommittee Chairman on Automation and Technology – Joshua Kail
 Secretary – Mike Jones

Consumer Affairs
 Chairman – Brad Roae
 Subcommittee Chairman on Public Utilities – Tommy Sankey
 Subcommittee Chairman on Telecommunications – Frank Farry
 Secretary – Chris Quinn

Education
 Chairman – Curtis Sonney
 Subcommittee Chairman on Basic Education – Jesse Topper
 Subcommittee Chairman on Higher Education – Jason Ortity
 Subcommittee Chairman on Special Education – Rosemary Brown
 Subcommittee Chairman on Career and Technical Education – Mike Tobash
 Secretary – Barbara Gleim

Environmental Resources and Energy
 Chairman – Daryl Metcalfe
 Subcommittee Chairman on Energy – Ryan Warner
 Subcommittee Chairman on Mining – Carl Metzgar
 Subcommittee Chairman on Parks and Forests – Jonathan Fritz
 Secretary – Cris Dush

Finance
 Chairman – Michael Peifer
 Subcommittee Chairman on Tax Modernization and Reform – George Dunbar
 Secretary – Keith Greiner

Game and Fisheries
 Chairman – Keith Gillespie
 Vice-Chairman – Barry Jozwiak
 Secretary – Torren Ecker

Gaming Oversight
 Chairman – Jim Marshall
 Vice-Chairman – Tom Mehaffie
 Secretary – Aaron Kaufer

Health
 Chairman – Kathy Rapp
 Subcommittee Chairman on Health Care – Paul Schemel
 Subcommittee Chairman on Health Facilities – Jerry Knowles
 Secretary – Dawn Keefer

Human Services
 Chairman – Gene DiGirolamo
 Subcommittee Chairman on Drugs and Alcohol – Doyle Heffley
 Subcommittee Chairman on Mental Health – Tom Murt
 Secretary – Stephanie Borowicz

Insurance
 Chairman – Tina Pickett
 Vice-Chairman – Steven Mentzer
 Secretary – Jim Struzzi

Judiciary
 Chairman – Rob Kauffman
 Subcommittee Chairman on Courts – Todd Stephens
 Subcommittee Chairman on Crime and Corrections – Tedd Nesbit
 Subcommittee Chairman on Family Law – Sheryl Delozier
 Secretary – Kate Klunk

Labor and Industry
 Chairman – Jim Cox
 Vice-Chairman – Ryan Mackenzie
 Secretary – Dave Maloney

Liquor Control
 Chairman – Jeffrey Pyle
 Subcommittee Chairman on Licensing – Justin Simmons
 Subcommittee Chairman on Marketing – Craig Staats
 Secretary – Tim O'Neal

Local Government
 Chairman – Dan Moul
 Subcommittee Chairman on Boroughs – Lee James
 Subcommittee Chairman on Counties – Jeff Wheeland
 Subcommittee Chairman on Townships – Jack Rader
 Secretary – Rich Irvin

Professional Licensure
 Chairman – David Hickernell
 Vice-Chairman – Joe Emrick
 Secretary – Zach Mako

State Government
 Chairman – Garth Everett
 Subcommittee Chairman on Federal-State Relations – Matt Gabler
 Subcommittee Chairman on Government Operations – Brett Miller
 Secretary – Russ Diamond

Tourism and Recreational Development
 Chairman – David Millard
 Subcommittee Chairman on Arts and Entertainment – Gary Day
 Subcommittee Chairman on Recreation – Parke Wentling
 Subcommittee Chairman on Travel Promotion, History and Heritage – Marcia Hahn
 Secretary – Bud Cook

Transportation
 Chairman – Tim Hennessey
 Subcommittee Chairman on Aviation – Greg Rothman
 Subcommittee Chairman on Highways – Lynda Culver
 Subcommittee Chairman on Public Transportation – Martina White
 Subcommittee Chairman on Railroads – Lou Schmitt
 Subcommittee Chairman on Transportation Safety – Mindy Fee
 Secretary – John Lawrence

Urban Affairs
 Chairman – Susan Helm
 Subcommittee Chairman on Cities, Counties – First Class – Martina White
 Subcommittee Chairman on Cities, Counties – Second Class – Lori Mizgorski
 Subcommittee Chairman on Cities, Third Class – Robert Brooks
 Secretary – Andrew Lewis

Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness
 Chairman – Stephen Barrar
 Subcommittee Chairman on Military and Veterans Facilities – Frank Ryan
 Subcommittee Chairman on Security and Emergency Response Readiness – Frank Farry
 Secretary – Mark Gillen

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Aging and Older Adult Services

Subcommittee on Care and Services – Pamela DeLissio, Chair; Carolyn Comitta
 Subcommittee on Programs and Benefits – Stephen McCarter, Chair; Jared Solomon
 Secretary – Morgan Cephas

Agriculture and Rural Affairs

Vice-Chair – Christopher Rabb
 Secretary – Danilo Burgos

Appropriations

Vice-Chair – Ed Gainey
 Subcommittee on Fiscal Policy – Peter Schweyer, Chair; Elizabeth Fiedler
 Subcommittee on Criminal Justice – Donna Bullock, Chair; Benjamin Sanchez
 Subcommittee on Economic Impact and Infrastructure – Maria Donatucci, Chair; Marty Flynn
 Subcommittee on Education – Stephen Kinsey, Chair; Stephen McCarter
 Subcommittee on Health and Welfare – Patty Kim, Chair; Carolyn Comitta
 Subcommittee on Government and Financial Oversight – Leanne Krueger, Chair; Morgan Cephas
 Secretary – Maria Donatucci

Children and Youth

Vice-Chair – Mark Rozzi
 Secretary – Kristine Howard

Commerce

Subcommittee on Automation and Technology – Malcolm Kenyatta, Chair; Christopher Rabb
 Subcommittee on Housing – Liz Hanbidge, Chair; Jeanne McNeill
 Subcommittee on Financial Services and Banking – Christopher Rabb, Chair; Brandon Markosek
 Subcommittee on Economic Development – Jeanne McNeill, Chair; Joe Ciresi
 Subcommittee on Small Business – Margo Davidson, Chair; Michael Zabel
 Secretary – Michael Driscoll

Consumer Affairs

Subcommittee on Telecommunications – Pam Snyder, Chair; Frank Burns
 Subcommittee on Public Utilities – Peter Schweyer, Chair; Donna Bullock
 Secretary – Austin Davis

Education

Subcommittee on Basic Education – Stephen McCarter, Chair; Ed Gainey
 Subcommittee on Higher Education – Patty Kim, Chair; Maureen Madden
 Subcommittee on Special Education – Dan Miller, Chair; Jared Solomon
 Subcommittee on Technical Education and Career Readiness – Gerald Mullery, Chair; Carol Hill-Evans
 Secretary – MaryLouise Isaacson

Environmental Resources and Energy

Subcommittee on Parks and Forests – Michael Zabel, Chair; Perry Warren
 Subcommittee on Mining – Pam Snyder, Chair; Mary Jo Daley
 Subcommittee on Energy – MaryLouise Isaacson, Chair; Elizabeth Fiedler
 Secretary – Carolyn Comitta

Finance

Vice-Chair – Margo Davidson
 Subcommittee on Taxation – Mary Jo Daley, Chair; Joe Webster
 Secretary – Christopher Rabb

Game and Fisheries

Vice-Chair – Gerald Mullery
 Secretary – Anita Kulik

Gaming Oversight

Vice-Chair – Ed Neilson
 Secretary – Anita Kulik

Health

Subcommittee on Health Care – Pamela DeLissio, Chair; Stephen Kinsey
 Subcommittee on Health Facilities – Wendy Ullman, Chair; Sara Innamorato
 Secretary – Michael Schlossberg

Human Services

Subcommittee on Mental Health – Brian Sims, Chair; Maureen Madden
 Subcommittee on Drugs and Alcohol – Stephen Kinsey, Chair; Dan Miller
 Secretary – Michael Schlossberg

Insurance

Vice-Chair – Austin Davis
 Secretary – Tina Davis

Judiciary

Subcommittee on Courts – Gerald Mullery, Chair; Ryan Bizzarro
 Subcommittee on Crime and Corrections – Jason Dawkins, Chair; Michael Zabel
 Subcommittee on Family Law – Tina Davis, Chair; Summer Lee
 Secretary – Melissa Shusterman

Labor and Industry

Vice-Chair – Maria Donatucci
 Secretary – Leanne Krueger

Liquor Control

Subcommittee on Marketing – Maria Donatucci, Chair; Frank Burns
 Subcommittee on Licensing – Malcolm Kenyatta, Chair; Anita Kulik
 Secretary – Dave Dellosa

Local Government

Subcommittee on Counties – Carol Hill-Evans, Chair; Summer Lee
 Subcommittee on Boroughs – Patty Kim, Chair; Steven Malagari
 Subcommittee on Townships – Benjamin Sanchez, Chair; Liz Hanbidge

Professional Licensure

Vice-Chair – (No one yet selected.)
 Secretary – (No one yet selected.)

State Government

Subcommittee on Government Operations – Pamela DeLissio, Chair; Joseph Hohenstein
 Subcommittee on Federal-State Relations – Brian Sims, Chair; Isabella Fitzgerald
 Secretary – Malcolm Kenyatta

Tourism and Recreational Development

Subcommittee on Arts and Entertainment – Melissa Shusterman, Chair; Danielle Friel Otten

Subcommittee on Recreation – Maureen Madden, Chair; Brian Kirkland
 Subcommittee on Travel Promotion, History and Heritage – Malcolm Kenyatta, Chair; Carol Hill-Evans
 Secretary – Wendy Ullman

Transportation

Subcommittee on Highways – Maria Donatucci, Chair; Kyle Mullins
 Subcommittee on Public Transportation – Stephen Kinsey, Chair; Maria Donatucci
 Subcommittee on Transportation Safety – Ed Gainey, Chair; Perry Warren
 Subcommittee on Aviation – Michael Schlossberg, Chair; Jennifer O'Mara
 Subcommittee on Railroads – Ed Neilson, Chair; Sara Innamorato
 Secretary – Perry Warren

Urban Affairs

Subcommittee on Cities, Counties – First Class – Jared Solomon, Chair; MaryLouise Isaacson
 Subcommittee on Cities, Counties – Second Class – Austin Davis, Chair; Sara Innamorato
 Subcommittee on Cities, Third Class – Brian Kirkland, Chair; Robert Merski
 Secretary – Donna Bullock

Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness

Emergency and Security Response – Carol Hill-Evans, Chair; Isabella Fitzgerald
 Veterans and Military Affairs – Joe Webster, Chair; Christina Sappety
 Secretary – Dan Williams

UNCONTESTED CALENDAR

RESOLUTIONS PURSUANT TO RULE 35

Mr. READSHAW called up **HR 33, PN 14**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the week of April 7 through 13, 2019, as "National Library Week" in Pennsylvania.

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Mr. ROEBUCK called up **HR 127, PN 793**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the week of March 25 through 29, 2019, as "Public Higher Education Affordability Week" in Pennsylvania.

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Mr. MATZIE called up **HR 159, PN 1006**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of April 2019 as "Limb Loss Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

On the question,
Will the House adopt the resolutions?

The SPEAKER. Members, at the end of session I am going to be recognizing the minority leader. At this time we are going to proceed with our business, but I am going to recognize the minority leader at the end of session. Thank you.

I am sorry. So we are going to take a vote right now on the uncontested calendar. Thank you.

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

The following roll call was recorded:

YEAS—196

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Evans	Krueger	Rapp	
Everett	Kulik	Ravenstahl	Turzai,
Farry	Lawrence	Readshaw	Speaker
Fee	Lee		

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—5

Cruz	Kim	Merski	Youngblood
Gabler			

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

CALENDAR

BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to second consideration of **HB 547, PN 886**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 24, 1931 (P.L.1206, No.331), known as The First Class Township Code, in corporate powers, further providing for ordinances and resolutions; and, in finance and taxation, further providing for tax levies and for tax rates to be expressed in dollars and cents.

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 548, PN 887**, entitled:

An Act amending Titles 8 (Boroughs and Incorporated Towns) and 11 (Cities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in mayor, further providing for president or vice president of council to act as mayor; in taxation and finance, further providing for tax levy and for tax ordinance; in ordinances, further providing for ordinances and resolutions, for enactment, approval and veto, for recording, advertising and proof and for codification of ordinances; in council, further providing for ordinances and resolutions, for journal of proceedings, recording and withholding of vote, for records of ordinances maintained by city clerk and for time ordinances go into effect; and, in taxation, further providing for tax levies.

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 692, PN 718**, entitled:

An Act designating a bridge carrying State Route 4009 in York County over the Conewago Creek as the Staff Sergeant Gary Crone 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 756, PN 806**, entitled:

An Act designating a bridge on that portion of Pennsylvania Route 453 over the Little Juniata River, Tyrone Township, Blair County, as the Robert E. Gensimore Memorial Bridge.

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

SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR A

BILLS ON THIRD CONSIDERATION

The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 97, PN 99**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in minors, further providing for the offense of sale of tobacco and for the offense of use of tobacco in schools.

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?

Does anybody wish to speak on the bill?

On the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?

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

The following roll call was recorded:

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Evans	Krueger	Rapp	
Everett	Kulik	Ravenstahl	Turzai,
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Fee	Lee		

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—5

Cruz	Kim	Merski	Youngblood
Gabler			

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.

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 510, PN 885**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in intergovernmental cooperation, further providing for ordinance, for content of ordinance, for joint purchases with private educational establishments, for required review of specified agreements and for effect of joint cooperation agreements.

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?

Does anybody wish to speak on the bill?
Representative Schemel, you are called upon.

Mr. SCHEMEL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, this is a package of three bills. They allow municipalities and school districts to enter into intergovernmental cooperation agreements more easily. They can purchase salt; they can do roadwork together. This makes interaction between municipalities and school districts easier, faster, and cheaper. I would appreciate a "yea" vote.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, sir.

On the question recurring,
Shall the bill pass finally?
The SPEAKER. Agreeable to the provisions of the Constitution, the yeas and nays will now be taken.

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NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—5

Cruz	Kim	Merski	Youngblood
Gabler			

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.

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 511, PN 497**, entitled:

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

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.

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NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—5

Cruz	Kim	Merski	Youngblood
Gabler			

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.

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The House proceeded to third consideration of **HB 512, PN 498**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 11 (Cities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in corporate powers, further providing for municipal authorities and cooperation with other political subdivisions.

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:

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Fee	Lee		

NAYS—0

NOT VOTING—0

EXCUSED—5

Cruz	Kim	Merski	Youngblood
Gabler			

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.

The SPEAKER. I do not see any further votes at this time, but please, I would ask everybody if you could stay on the floor. Representatives Matzie and Polinchock are going to be recognized to speak on HR 159, Representative Roebuck will be recognized to speak on HR 127, and Representative Benninghoff will be recognized to speak on HR 149.

I do always ask members if they could keep their remarks to under 3 minutes, we would certainly appreciate it, and that way we can keep the attention of all the members. There is no rule to that effect, but I think it is a good practice.

STATEMENT BY MR. MATZIE

The SPEAKER. Representative Matzie is recognized first to speak on HR 159.

Mr. MATZIE. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

It gives me great pleasure to be here today to thank you all for your unanimous support of our resolution today recognizing April as "Limb Loss Month" in Pennsylvania.

I have had the great honor of offering this resolution for the last several years. There are many statistics when talking about limb loss, and limb loss basically affects approximately 2 million Americans who live with daily challenges of being amputees. I have had the great pleasure and great honor of witnessing that every day for the last 17-plus years. For those new members that do not know, my daughter, Claire, 17 years old, is a congenital amputee. She does not have a right hand. That does not matter. She has a limb difference, as we like to call it. She is perfect in every way as far as Dad is concerned. And let me just say that nothing holds her back. She is a typical teenager. She is a junior. She is a straight-A student, and unfortunately, we are talking about college and she wants to go away from Dad. I am not having a good time with that, I have to tell you.

But I can tell you that as a result of watching her daily and seeing her go through some things that you take for granted, when we had to get her her driver's license, me being a State Representative, you want to do it the right way. You contact the medical unit and you try and find out what you have to do. I am a State Representative; I have a phone number, right? Well, I had to jump through some hoops to find out what you have to do, and that was a problem and we are trying to solve that so other people that have issues like Claire that want to do it the right way will not have to go through those same hurdles.

You know, the main causes of limb loss are congenital. A lot of people believe it is trauma. It is congenital. We found out on the first sonogram, and we kept that to ourselves throughout the course of my wife's very difficult pregnancy. But half of those amputees are as a result of trauma, and when we think of trauma, we oftentimes think of those who serve our country and serve in faraway lands protecting us, and as a result of that, I can tell you that technology has gotten better as a result of those in the Armed Forces who unfortunately had to suffer some very traumatic injuries. They have really come a long way, especially with upper limb differences in getting the adequate prosthetics in place for those who need them.

So I thank all of you for your great support. I had a partner this year in bringing us over the finish line this year, and I want to thank you, Representative, for your great support in stepping up and being a partner in bringing this out and bringing this awareness to the public as a result of our being members of the House of Representatives. So, Representative Polinchock, I thank you very much and I will let you give some remarks as well.

STATEMENT BY MR. POLINCHOCK

The SPEAKER. Representative Polinchock.

Mr. POLINCHOCK. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

And thank you, Representative Matzie, for letting me be your wingman on this one this year. It is an honor to take part in this with you.

I want to thank all of my colleagues for supporting HR 159. But today I speak to you not just as the Representative for the 144th District, but also as a veteran who watched many of my brothers and sisters sacrifice their bodies in defense of freedom around the world.

Today many of these brave men and women are facing another extraordinary challenge as more than 1500 veterans lost their limbs serving in Iraq and Afghanistan. While they demonstrate

the same bravery to this challenge as they did in the badlands of the Middle East, many battle depression, high medical costs, and the very real risk that their lives will be shortened. When we look beyond our vets, the problem seems to be overwhelming.

As Representative Matzie said, right now more than 2 million Americans are living with limb loss, and those numbers are expected to double within the next 30 years due in large part to illnesses like diabetes and other circulatory diseases. The costs will be staggering. About half of the individuals who have an amputation due to vascular disease will die within 5 years. That is a 5-year mortality rate, higher than breast cancer, colon cancer, and prostate cancer. The lifetime medical costs for someone with an amputation is almost double of that for someone with no limb loss. By declaring April 2019 "Limb Loss Awareness Month," we are raising awareness, creating discussion, and sparking action. By learning the facts about limb loss, we can better advocate for our friends and family and help them feel supported throughout their struggle. We must be honest, not to look away; their struggle is our struggle. I thank you all again for standing with them.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

STATE GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE MEETING

The SPEAKER. Representative Garth Everett, on HR 159.

Mr. EVERETT. I am sorry, Mr. Speaker. This is on a committee announcement. Is that all right?

The SPEAKER. Yes, sir.

Mr. EVERETT. Sorry for the confusion.

The House State Government Committee will hold a voting meeting tomorrow, Tuesday, March 26, at the call of the Chair in room 205, Ryan, and the call of the Chair will be after session. The agenda will consist of HB 223, HB 633, and HB 860, and any other business that will come before the committee.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. There will be a State Government Committee meeting tomorrow, Tuesday, March 26, at the call of the Chair in room 205, Ryan Office Building.

Representative Roebuck is recognized to speak on HR 127. He waives off. And that is Higher Education Affordability Week.

Representative Benninghoff has waived off on speaking on HR 149 and that was honoring THON at Pennsylvania State University for 2019.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY MR. DiGIROLAMO

The SPEAKER. Representative Gene DiGirolamo, for I believe a committee announcement.

Mr. DiGIROLAMO. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

There will be a hearing for the Human Services Committee tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock in G-50 Irvis Office Building; a Human Services hearing tomorrow morning.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY MR. MOUL

The SPEAKER. And Representative Dan Moul, the chair of the Local Government Committee, I believe for a committee announcement.

Mr. MOUL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Common Sense Caucus will be meeting immediately after session in E-2 East Wing, and that is at the same place it is always.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you.

BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE, CONSIDERED FIRST TIME, AND TABLED

HB 33, PN 47

By Rep. RAPP

An Act amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), known as the Human Services Code, in public assistance, further providing for definitions, for general assistance-related categorically needy and medically needy only medical assistance programs and for the medically needy and determination of eligibility.

HEALTH.

HB 427, PN 1089 (Amended)

By Rep. RAPP

An Act providing for health insurance coverage requirements for stage four, advanced metastatic cancer.

HEALTH.

HB 629, PN 1090 (Amended)

By Rep. RAPP

An Act providing for patient access to diagnostics and treatments for Lyme disease and related tick-borne illnesses; and requiring health care policies to provide certain coverage.

HEALTH.

The SPEAKER. The Sergeants at Arms will close the doors of the House. Members, please take your seats.

STATEMENT BY SPEAKER

The SPEAKER. If either of the leaders requests to speak under the rules, they are entitled to speak. There is no objection to the leaders speaking.

Before we get into that, since I understand that there is discussion on many sides with respect to this morning, as you are preparing your thoughts, this is what we sent out to individuals who had requested to do the prayer at the beginning of session when it was open to folks of a religious background or profession: "As you are preparing your thoughts, we would ask that you craft a prayer that is respectful of all religious beliefs. There are 203 members of the House coming from a wide variety of faiths. We believe it's important to respect this diversity. Your efforts to deliver an inter-faith prayer are greatly appreciated. Additionally, we ask that the prayer not exceed two minutes and that you refrain from offering comments on any matter prior to or following the prayer."

We have not submitted this to members. This was submitted to those when we were having folks of a religious professional background do the prayer at the beginning of each session.

Many of you are aware that there is a lawsuit that is presently at place. It is entitled *Fields v. Turzai and Myer*. It is a lawsuit that was filed in Federal district court, I believe in the Middle District. It is on appeal to the Third Circuit, if I am not mistaken, Parliamentarian. The ruling from the court did not, as I have heard some say, explicitly state that we could not have individuals of a religious background. That was the decision taken by the Parliamentarian and – taken by the Speaker, at the Parliamentarian's suggestion, based on that order.

At this time I am going to call on the minority leader, Frank Dermody, who has requested to speak. I have been informed that it is on this topic. The leaders can speak. I have informed the majority leader of the fact that the minority leader wishes to speak on that and the majority leader may respond.

STATEMENT BY DEMOCRATIC LEADER

The SPEAKER. At this time I open the floor to the minority leader, Frank Dermody.

Mr. DERMODY. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, I have been a member of the House for 28 years, and every session day for all of those 28 years we have said a prayer, we have done a prayer before the beginning of that session. As you mentioned, there was a time when we had a House Chaplain. There was a time that we brought in various ministers and clergy from the various faiths throughout the Commonwealth, and then there was a time we had members who would help with the prayer. I can say that over the course of the 28 years on all those session days, that every single one of those prayers was meant to be inspirational, was meant to unite us, was meant to bring us together.

Now, when we start a session day and we have started many – I have started many – knowing full well when we walk onto the floor of the House that we have some issues, and are we going to be divided on some of those issues? You bet, yes. But never have we started out with a prayer that divides us. Prayer should never divide us. Prayer should be inspirational. At one point in the day it should bring us together and have us think about what we can do and how we can work together to make this State work.

This morning, on a very important day, on a day when we are swearing in a new member, the first woman Muslim serving in the Pennsylvania House of Representatives in history, there was a prayer that was not meant to inspire us, there was a prayer that was not meant to bring us together—

The SPEAKER. Sir, the only thing— I would ask you to stop just at this moment. We cannot at any point, even in this discussion, and I understand the points that you have already made, but you cannot ascribe motive to any other member.

Mr. DERMODY. I would suggest to you—

The SPEAKER. I am not diminishing, I am not in any way diminishing – you have an opportunity to speak. You are the Democratic leader. The majority leader can speak as well. But at this point, just please refrain from ascribing any motive.

Mr. DERMODY. Yeah, well, I am speaking to the words, Mr. Speaker, and I am not speaking to the member, I am speaking to the words of the prayer that was offered today. It was not meant to bring us together. It was not meant to inspire us. It was beneath the dignity of this House.

The SPEAKER. At this time, if anybody else— I am going to turn it over—

Mr. DERMODY. So in conclusion, Mr. Speaker, what I would ask and suggest is that we come together, we put a group together, whatever that is, if there are guidelines or standards, we have got to make sure that if we are going to offer – a message that is offered from that rostrum in the morning before we start all of our debate, if there is a message delivered from that rostrum, that it is meant to inspire us, that it is meant to bring us together, so we can have at least an opportunity at the beginning of the day to think we can get something done here together. That is not what happened today and we ought to fix it.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Leader.

STATEMENT BY MAJORITY LEADER

The SPEAKER. At this time the majority leader, Bryan Cutler.

Mr. CUTLER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker, we have 203 at our full complement, very different individuals, very different points of view, and very different sets of beliefs. I think that on that point we would all agree. And even during the swearing-in comments, I invited people to share their stories. It is the same request that I shared on our swearing-in day, not just today which was the result of the special election, and it will echo the comments that I will share on the upcoming special election ones, because I sincerely believe that our strength is found when we respect each other's backgrounds and when we can understand each other's viewpoints. But as the Speaker covered, we are currently dealing with a court case that does tangentially impact this issue, so it is a very difficult time as we work through this issue and recognize the freedoms that come not just in this body but from our Constitution.

I understand that everybody has different religious viewpoints, and I believe I have always been someone who is tolerant of all of them. And just as I invite the stories to be shared amongst us as individual members, I also think that to the extent that we think we can do things better, we can certainly have a discussion, but I, for one, understand that everybody has sincerely held beliefs and I would never ask any one of us as an individual to go against that. I think that we can have discussions about a variety of topics, and I think our time would be best served by working towards common solutions for common ideas and common problems that we all recognize.

So I look forward to working with both the leader and the Speaker as we go forward, but also recognize the diverse nature of our body. I wanted to personally say I respect each and every one of you and I look forward to working with you.

The SPEAKER. The Sergeants at Arms will open the doors of the House, and we will proceed with housekeeping.

BILLS RECOMMENDED

The SPEAKER. The majority leader moves that the following bills be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations:

HB 547;

HB 548;

HB 692; and
HB 756.

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

BILLS REMOVED FROM TABLE

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

HB 30;
HB 328;
HB 351;
HB 447; and
HB 538.

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

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. Representative Marcy Toepel is recognized for a caucus announcement. Thank you.

Mrs. TOEPEL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Republicans will caucus immediately at the break; Republicans will caucus immediately at the break. Thank you.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

The SPEAKER. Representative Joanna McClinton, the Democratic caucus chair, is recognized.

Ms. McCLINTON. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

House Democrats, please report to the minority caucus room. We have a caucus today and likely will not be caucusing tomorrow. Please tell those who have already walked off. House Democrats, we will caucus immediately.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Thank you, Representative.

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. Representative Pam DeLissio moves that the House be adjourned until Tuesday, March 26, 2019, at 11 a.m., e.d.t., unless sooner recalled by the Speaker.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion?
Motion was agreed to, and at 3:48 p.m., e.d.t., the House adjourned.