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#### **SENATE**

MONDAY, May 24, 2021

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

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

#### **PRAYER**

The Chaplain, Reverend JOHN C. DORR, JR., of Bethlehem Steltz Reformed Church, Glen Rock, offered the following prayer:

Thank you to the Senate and to Senator Phillips-Hill for this wonderful opportunity.

Please join me in prayer.

O Lord God, You have blessed us in so many ways. You have given us this good Commonwealth as our heritage. As we navigate the troubled waters of our present age, we pray that You would always watch over us and enable us to be a people who are mindful of the blessings we have received and eager to share those blessings with one another.

We are grateful to You, Lord God, that the pandemic that has plagued us for over a year shows signs of receding. Comfort those who have lost loved ones. Heal those who still struggle with the effects of that horrible illness.

Bless, O Lord, our State with productive industry, a fruitful land, quality education, and a respect for those who are different from us. Save us from the violence, discord, confusion, pride, and arrogance that seem to flourish. Heavenly Father, preserve our liberties and mold us into one people who have come from many diverse backgrounds. Help us to look to Your word that we may be a blessing to the nations of the world. In times of trouble, help us to always look to You. In times of plenty, fill us with the thankfulness and eagerness to help others.

I pray today Lord, that You would be with the Members of this Senate and our other governmental officers of this Commonwealth. Fill them with the spirit of wisdom so that there may be justice and peace in our land. Protect each citizen of our State and help us to be beacons of light in the darkness. I ask all of these things in the strong name of Your Son, our Savior. Amen.

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

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR

## RECALL COMMUNICATIONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

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

MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Accountancy, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Tina Miller, Pittsburgh, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Accountancy, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Libby White, Penn Valley, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Accountancy, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Lynell Scaff, Aliquippa, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA COUNCIL ON AGING

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Council on Aging, to serve until October 8, 2021, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Samuel Trychin, Erie, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

## MEMBER OF THE APPALACHIAN STATES LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE COMMISSION

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Appalachian States Low-level Radioactive Waste Commission, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, vice C. Alan Walker, Clearfield, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

# MEMBER OF THE APPALACHIAN STATES LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE COMMISSION

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Appalachian States Low-level Radioactive Waste Commission, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, vice Michael Wolf, Enola, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE APPALACHIAN STATES LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE COMMISSION

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Victoria S. Madden, Esquire (Alternate), 1056 Brandt Avenue, Lemoyne 17043, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Appalachian States Low-level Radioactive Waste Commission, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, vice Martin Raniowski, Mechanicsburg, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE APPALACHIAN STATES LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE COMMISSION

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Betsy Phillips (Alternate), 3607 North Fourth Street, Harrisburg 17110, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Appalachian States Low-level Radioactive Waste Commission, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, vice Ashok Khare, Warren, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

# MEMBER OF THE APPALACHIAN STATES LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE COMMISSION

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Appalachian States Low-level Radioactive Waste Commission, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, vice Barry Schoch, Camp Hill, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE APPALACHIAN STATES LOW-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE COMMISSION

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Appalachian States

Low-level Radioactive Waste Commission, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, vice E. Christopher Abruzzo, Hershey, resigned.

> TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE ARCHITECTS LICENSURE BOARD

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr. (Public Member), 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Architects Licensure Board, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice David Majernik, Pittsburgh, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA COUNCIL ON THE ARTS

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Council on the Arts, to serve until July 1, 2022, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Laura Ellsworth, Sewickley, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA COUNCIL ON THE ARTS

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Council on the Arts, to serve until July 1, 2022, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Gayle Isa, Philadelphia, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

# MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF AUCTIONEER EXAMINERS

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Auctioneer Examiners, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Timothy Wiggin, Mechanicsburg, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF AUCTIONEER EXAMINERS

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Auctioneer Examiners, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Matthew Rader, Forty Fort, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF AUCTIONEER EXAMINERS

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Auctioneer Examiners, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Mary Louise Doyle, Chester, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE BANKING AND SECURITIES COMMISSION

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Banking and Securities Commission, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, vice Gerald Pappert, Plymouth Meeting, resigned.

### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Barber Examiners, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Margaret Moore, Harrisburg, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

## MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Barber Examiners, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Sharon Dell, Martinsburg, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Betsy Phillips, 3607 North Fourth Street, Harrisburg 17110, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Barber Examiners, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice John Christopher, Hummelstown, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street,

Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Barber Examiners, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Mark Robertson, Springfield, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr. (Public Member), 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Barber Examiners, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Donald Yost, Gaines, deceased.

TOM WOLF Governor

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

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Cancer Control, Prevention and Research Advisory Board, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Joel Noumoff, Wynnewood, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

## MEMBER OF THE STATE CHARTER SCHOOL APPEAL BOARD

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Charter School Appeal Board, to serve until June 14, 2022, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Jamie Bracey, Philadelphia, resigned.

### MEMBER OF THE CHILDREN'S TRUST FUND BOARD

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Children's Trust Fund Board, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Harry Hamilton, Wilkes-Barre, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

## MEMBER OF THE CHILDREN'S TRUST FUND BOARD

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Children's Trust Fund Board, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Carole Gravagno, Wayne, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Chiropractic, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice George Khoury, Bridgeville, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Chiropractic, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor

is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Christopher Decker, Shohola, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF CLARKS SUMMIT STATE HOSPITAL

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Clarks Summit State Hospital, to serve until January 19, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice James Corselius, Clarks Summit, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF CLARKS SUMMIT STATE HOSPITAL

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Clarks Summit State Hospital, to serve until January 19, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Jan Mroz, Peckville, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

# MEMBER OF THE CONSTABLES' EDUCATION AND TRAINING BOARD

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Constables' Education and Training Board, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Rodney Ruddock, Indiana, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

#### CORONER, BERKS COUNTY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Coroner, in and for the County of Berks, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice Dennis Hess, resigned.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

#### CORONER, CLARION COUNTY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Coroner, in and for the County of Clarion, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice Randall Stom, deceased.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

#### CORONER, MIFFLIN COUNTY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Coroner, in and for the County of Mifflin, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice Alan R. Sunderland, resigned.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Cosmetology, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Elaine Gowaty, Murrysville, whose term expired.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway (Public Member), 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Cosmetology, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Christopher Metz, Pittsburgh, resigned.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Cosmetology, to serve [data missing] a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice James Farrell, Erie, resigned.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

# MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF CRANE OPERATORS

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Cosmetology, [sic] for appointment as a member of the State Board of Crane Operators, to serve until December 8, 2022, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Jason Giurintano, Camp Hill, whose term expired.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-second Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Jeffrey Pincus, Hummelstown, whose term expired.

### MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Anne Gingrich Cornick, Esquire, 2311 Briarcliff Road, Harrisburg 17104, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice George Pajovich, Royersford, whose term expired.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Thomas Weida, Lititz, whose term expired.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

# MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Brittany Erney-Muniz, Esquire, 701 Sherwood Drive, Carlisle 17013, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Richard Grimaldi, Connellsville, whose term expired.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court,

Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Susan Williams, Clearfield, whose term expired.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA DRUG DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Marisa G.Z. Lehr, Esquire, 8 Nicholson Court, Mechanicsburg 17050, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Jeffrey Runge, Philadelphia, whose term expired.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA DRUG DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Victoria S. Madden, Esquire, 1056 Brandt Avenue, Lemoyne 17043, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Janis Creason, Harrisburg, whose term expired.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

## MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Betsy Phillips, 3607 North Fourth Street, Harrisburg 17110, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Pamela Higgins, Harrisburg, whose term expired.

### MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice John Keegan, Hazleton, whose term expired.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA DRUG, DEVICE AND COSMETIC BOARD

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Drug, Device and Cosmetic Board, to serve [data missing] a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Joan Tarloff, Collegeville, deceased.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Education, to serve until October 1, 2022, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Kirk Hallett, Camp Hill, resigned.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Betsy Phillips, 3607 North Fourth Street, Harrisburg 17110, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Education, to serve until Octo-

ber 1, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Colleen Sheehan, Wayne, resigned.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Education, to serve until October 1, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Craig Snider, Bryn Mawr, resigned.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Education, to serve until October 1, 2025, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Jay Badams, Erie, resigned.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

# MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA ENERGY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Energy Development Authority, to serve until April 8, 2022, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Robert Sanders, Philadelphia, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF HAMBURG CENTER

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of Hamburg Center, to serve until January 19, 2027, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Nancy Ann Houser, Bernville, resigned.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE HEALTH POLICY BOARD

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Health Policy Board, to serve for a term of three years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice C. Michael Blackwood, Mars, resigned.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA HISTORICAL AND MUSEUM COMMISSION

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission, to serve until January 17, 2023, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice David Schuyler, Lancaster, deceased.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Human Relations Commission, to serve for a term of five years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Kathleen Dormer-Carusone, Mechanicsburg, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Moriah Hathaway, 1009 Roman Knoll Court, Harrisburg 17109, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Human Relations Commission, to serve for a term of five years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Gerald Robinson, Lancaster, resigned.

#### TOM WOLF Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE INDUSTRIAL BOARD

May 20, 2021

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

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

#### TOM WOLF Governor

#### JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, ALLEGHENY COUNTY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 8, 2021, of Marisa G.Z. Lehr, Esquire, 8 Nicholson Court, Mechanicsburg 17050, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Allegheny County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Mark V. Tranquilli, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

#### JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, ALLEGHENY COUNTY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Brittany Erney-Muniz, Esquire, 701 Sherwood Drive, Carlisle 17013, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Allegheny

County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Robert J. Colville, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

#### JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, CHESTER COUNTY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Victoria S. Madden, Esquire, 1056 Brandt Avenue, Lemoyne 17043, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Chester County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Anthony A. Sarcione, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

#### JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, CRAWFORD COUNTY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-second Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Crawford County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Anthony J. Vardaro, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

#### JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, DAUPHIN COUNTY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-second Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Dauphin County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Jeannine Turgeon, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

#### JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, JUNIATA AND PERRY COUNTIES

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-second Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Juniata and Perry Counties, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Kathy A. Morrow, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

#### JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, LANCASTER COUNTY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Brittany Erney-Muniz, Esquire, 701 Sherwood Drive, Carlisle 17013, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Lancaster County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable James P. Cullen, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

#### JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, PHILADELPHIA COUNTY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-second Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, Philadelphia County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Daniel D. McCaffery, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

### JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, YORK COUNTY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-second Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Court of Common Pleas, York County, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Richard K. Renn, resigned.

#### JUDGE, PHILADELPHIA MUNICIPAL COURT

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Rodney R. Akers, Esquire, 4307 Dakota Street, Pittsburgh 15213, Allegheny County, Forty-second Senatorial District, for appointment as Judge, Philadelphia Municipal Court, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice the Honorable Joyce Eubanks, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS

May 20, 2021

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

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

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS

May 20, 2021

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

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

TOM WOLF Governor

### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY

May 20, 2021

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

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

February 25, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Massage Therapy, to serve until October 9, 2023, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Shea Rhodes, Philadelphia, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF MEDICINE

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated March 5, 2021, of Rebecca Dombrowsky (Public Member), 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Medicine, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Keith Loiselle, Gibsonia, whose term expired.

TOM WOLF Governor

# MEMBER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA MINORITY BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 25, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the Pennsylvania Minority Business Development Authority, to serve until June 2, 2024, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, vice Robert Agbede, Pittsburgh, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

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

May 20, 2021

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

In accordance with the power and authority vested in me as Governor of the Commonwealth, I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 8, 2021, of Betsy Phillips, 3607 North Fourth Street, Harrisburg 17110, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Donald Stoy, Lewisberry, whose term expired.

#### NOMINATIONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

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

#### CLERK OF COURTS, WESTMORELAND COUNTY

May 13, 2021

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Thomas J. Yablonski, Jr., 1408 Rose Lane, Mechanicsburg 17055, Cumberland County, Thirty-first Senatorial District, for appointment as Clerk of Courts, in and for the County of Westmoreland, to serve until the first Monday of January 2022, vice Bryan Kline, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

#### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY

May 13, 2021

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Rebecca Dombrowsky, 669 Rockwood Drive, Elizabethtown 17022, Lancaster County, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Optometry, to serve until February 5, 2022, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Davis Haire, Meshoppen, resigned.

TOM WOLF Governor

#### MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE

May 13, 2021

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

In conformity with law, I have the honor hereby to nominate for the advice and consent of the Senate, Elise Claire Schell, 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as Magisterial District Judge, in and for the County of York, Magisterial District 19-1-03, to serve until the first Monday of January 2024, vice the Honorable Dwayne A. Dubs, deceased.

TOM WOLF Governor

### CORRECTIONS TO NOMINATIONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

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

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

May 13, 2021

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

Please note that the letter dated April 20, 2021, for the nomination of Joseph Bizzaro, 4365 Stone Creek Drive, Erie 16506, Erie County, Forty-ninth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice William Mohler, Latrobe, whose term expired, should be corrected to read:

Joseph Bizzarro, 4365 Stone Creek Drive, Erie 16506, Erie County, Forty-ninth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Vehicle Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons, to serve for a term of four years, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice William Mohler, Latrobe, whose term expired.

### MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF CRANE OPERATORS

May 21, 2021

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

Please note that the letter dated May 20, 2021, for the recall of the nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Cosmetology, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Crane Operators, to serve until December 8, 2022, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Jason Giurintano, Camp Hill, whose term expired, should be corrected to read:

I do hereby recall my nomination dated February 24, 2021, of Elise Claire Schell (Public Member), 1500 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg 17102, Dauphin County, Fifteenth Senatorial District, for appointment as a member of the State Board of Crane Operators, to serve until December 8, 2022, and until the successor is appointed and qualified, but not longer than six months beyond that period, vice Jason Giurintano, Camp Hill, whose term expired.

#### BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

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

#### May 13, 2021

Senators MASTRIANO, HUTCHINSON, PITTMAN, SCAVELLO, STEFANO and J. WARD presented to the Chair **SB 604**, entitled:

An Act providing for stopping social media censorship, for cause of action and for penalties.

Which was committed to the Committee on CONSUMER PROTECTION AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, May 13, 2021.

Senators BOSCOLA, COSTA, FONTANA, COLLETT, STREET, KEARNEY, SANTARSIERO, HAYWOOD and COMITTA presented to the Chair **SB 632**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in inchoate crimes, providing for the offense of possession of firearm or other dangerous weapon in municipal building.

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, May 13, 2021.

Senators MASTRIANO, MENSCH, SCAVELLO and ARGALL presented to the Chair **SB 633**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 23, 1956 (1955 P.L.1510, No.500), known as the Disease Prevention and Control Law of 1955, further providing for confidentiality of reports and records.

Which was committed to the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, May 13, 2021.

#### May 14, 2021

Senators REGAN, LANGERHOLC, LAUGHLIN, PHILLIPS-HILL, MARTIN, MENSCH, HUTCHINSON, PITTMAN and MASTRIANO presented to the Chair **SB 687**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in sentencing, further providing for sentences for certain drug offenses committed with firearms.

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, May 14, 2021.

Senators STEFANO, SCAVELLO, PITTMAN, BARTOLOTTA and BROOKS presented to the Chair **SB 688**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 28, 1984 (P.L.150, No.28), known as the Automobile Lemon Law, further providing for title, for short title, for definitions, for disclosure, for repair obligations, for manufacturer's duty for refund or replacement, for presumption of a reasonable number of attempts, for itemized statement required, for civil cause of action, for informal dispute settlement procedure and for resale of returned motor vehicle.

Which was committed to the Committee on CONSUMER PROTECTION AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, May 14, 2021

Senators BAKER, BARTOLOTTA, GORDNER, MARTIN, ARGALL, LAUGHLIN, PHILLIPS-HILL, BOSCOLA, HUTCHINSON, YUDICHAK, YAW, STEFANO, MENSCH, VOGEL, J. WARD and AUMENT presented to the Chair **SB 689**, entitled:

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

Which was committed to the Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, May 14, 2021.

### May 17, 2021

Senators YUDICHAK, MENSCH, BOSCOLA and J. WARD presented to the Chair **SB 678**, entitled:

An Act providing for verification of construction contractors and for procedures for verification; establishing the Construction Contractor Verification Account; making an appropriation; and imposing penalties. Which was committed to the Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, May 17, 2021.

Senators PITTMAN, YAW, MARTIN, ARGALL, BARTOLOTTA, STEFANO and J. WARD presented to the Chair **SB 680**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in miscellaneous provisions, providing for reports.

Which was committed to the Committee on COMMUNITY, ECONOMIC AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, May 17, 2021.

Senators YUDICHAK, J. WARD, GORDNER, SCAVELLO, PITTMAN, AUMENT and LAUGHLIN presented to the Chair **SB 681**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, in tax credit eligibility, providing for temporary carry-forward allowance.

Which was committed to the Committee on FINANCE, May 17, 2021.

Senators YUDICHAK, J. WARD, GORDNER, SCAVELLO, PITTMAN, MASTRIANO, AUMENT and LAUGHLIN presented to the Chair **SB 682**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, in keystone innovation zones, further providing for definitions.

Which was committed to the Committee on FINANCE, May 17, 2021.

Senators BROOKS, LANGERHOLC, MARTIN, STEFANO, J. WARD, DiSANTO, PHILLIPS-HILL, REGAN, K. WARD and MASTRIANO presented to the Chair **SB 683**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, in inheritance tax, further providing for the rate of inheritance tax.

Which was committed to the Committee on FINANCE, May 17, 2021.

#### May 19, 2021

Senators BROOKS, CAPPELLETTI, FONTANA, ARGALL, COLLETT, YUDICHAK, J. WARD, SCAVELLO, PHILLIPS-HILL, PITTMAN, L. WILLIAMS and STREET presented to the Chair **SB 620**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in COVID-19 disaster emergency, providing for COVID-19 vaccine.

Which was committed to the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, May 19, 2021.

Senators BROOKS and SCAVELLO presented to the Chair **SB 621**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in COVID-19 disaster emergency, providing for COVID-19 vaccine.

Which was committed to the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, May 19, 2021.

Senators BARTOLOTTA, J. WARD, STEFANO, MENSCH, K. WARD and PITTMAN presented to the Chair **SB 692**, entitled:

An Act providing for erosion and sediment control requirements.

Which was committed to the Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, May 19, 2021.

Senators STEFANO, PHILLIPS-HILL, K. WARD, MARTIN, DiSANTO, AUMENT, J. WARD and DUSH presented to the Chair **SB 693**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in collective bargaining, further providing for definitions and providing for union leave.

Which was committed to the Committee on EDUCATION, May 19, 2021.

Senators BARTOLOTTA, HAYWOOD, STREET, SCAVELLO, KEARNEY, KANE, MUTH, COMITTA and SCHWANK presented to the Chair **SB 694**, entitled:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in the executive, further providing for pardoning power and Board of Pardons.

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, May 19, 2021.

Senators TARTAGLIONE, SCHWANK, KANE, FONTANA, HUGHES, KEARNEY, COMITTA, COSTA, YUDICHAK, SAVAL and COLLETT presented to the Chair **SB 695**, entitled:

An Act providing for regulation of the meat packing and food processing industry by creating facility health and safety committees in the workplace; establishing the industry workers' rights coordinator within the Department of Labor and Industry; and providing for public health emergency protections for workers.

Which was committed to the Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, May 19, 2021.

Senators LAUGHLIN, BARTOLOTTA, STEFANO, J. WARD, HAYWOOD and BROOKS presented to the Chair **SB 696**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 22, 2005 (P.L.474, No.94), known as the Breach of Personal Information Notification Act, further providing for title of act, for definitions and for notification of breach; prohibiting employees of the Commonwealth from using nonsecured Internet connections; and providing for Commonwealth policy and for entities subject to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996.

Which was committed to the Committee on COMMUNICATIONS AND TECHNOLOGY, May 19, 2021.

#### May 20, 2021

Senators PITTMAN and STEFANO presented to the Chair SB 622, entitled:

An Act amending Title 71 (State Government) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in preliminary provisions relating to retirement for State employees and officers, further providing for definitions.

Which was committed to the Committee on FINANCE, May 20, 2021.

Senators COLLETT, FONTANA, SANTARSIERO, TARTAGLIONE, COSTA, SCHWANK, KANE, MUTH and CAPPELLETTI presented to the Chair **SB 662**, entitled:

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

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, May 20, 2021.

Senators BOSCOLA, COSTA, FONTANA, HUGHES, SCHWANK, BROWNE, HAYWOOD, KANE, KEARNEY, SANTARSIERO, STREET, COMITTA and COLLETT presented to the Chair **SB** 663, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 16, 1992 (P.L.1144, No.150), known as the Credit Services Act, further providing for prohibited activities.

Which was committed to the Committee on FINANCE, May 20, 2021.

Senators BAKER, KEARNEY, PITTMAN, DISANTO, SANTARSIERO, MENSCH, TARTAGLIONE, MUTH, FONTANA, HUTCHINSON, HUGHES, SCHWANK, BROWNE, YUDICHAK, REGAN, KANE, LAUGHLIN and COMITTA presented to the Chair **SB** 698, entitled:

An Act amending Title 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in municipal authorities, further providing for definitions, providing for public safety authorities and further providing for purposes and powers.

Which was committed to the Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, May 20, 2021.

Senators GORDNER, BARTOLOTTA, BAKER and YUDICHAK presented to the Chair **SB 699**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 5, 1936 (2nd Sp.Sess., 1937 P.L.2897, No.1), known as the Unemployment Compensation Law, in preliminary provisions, further providing for definitions; and, in unemployment compensation fund and administration fund, establishing the Return to Work Grant Program and the Return to Work Grant Fund.

Which was committed to the Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, May 20, 2021.

#### May 21, 2021

Senator BROOKS presented to the Chair **SB 593**, entitled:

An Act amending Title 53 (Municipalities Generally) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in general provisions, providing for records to be kept.

Which was committed to the Committee on LOCAL GOV-ERNMENT, May 21, 2021.

Senators YAW, J. WARD, GORDNER, PHILLIPS-HILL, HUTCHINSON, BAKER and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SB 701**, entitled:

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

Which was committed to the Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY, May 21, 2021.

Senators BROWNE, ROBINSON, VOGEL, FONTANA, SCAVELLO, STREET, COLLETT, SANTARSIERO, COMITTA, COSTA, TARTAGLIONE, MUTH, L. WILLIAMS, KANE, BOSCOLA, YUDICHAK and HAYWOOD presented to the Chair **SB** 702, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in cruelty to animals, further providing for definitions and providing for the offense of the use of live pigeons for targets at trap shoot or block shoot.

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, May 21, 2021.

Senators BAKER, SANTARSIERO, VOGEL, COLLETT, MARTIN, BROOKS, FONTANA, COMITTA, YUDICHAK, MENSCH, COSTA, STEFANO and BREWSTER presented to the Chair **SB** 703, entitled:

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

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, May 21, 2021.

Senators BAKER, MARTIN, VOGEL, SANTARSIERO, FONTANA, MASTRIANO, STEFANO, SCHWANK and MENSCH presented to the Chair **SB 704**, entitled:

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

Which was committed to the Committee on JUDICIARY, May 21, 2021.

Senators VOGEL, LANGERHOLC, ARGALL, STREET, BARTOLOTTA, MARTIN, MENSCH, J. WARD, YUDICHAK, YAW, BAKER, COSTA, GORDNER, STEFANO, AUMENT and HAYWOOD presented to the Chair SB 705, entitled:

An Act relating to telemedicine; authorizing the regulation of telemedicine by professional licensing boards; and providing for insurance coverage of telemedicine.

Which was committed to the Committee on BANKING AND INSURANCE, May 21, 2021.

Senators ROBINSON, BARTOLOTTA, ARGALL, PITTMAN, REGAN, MENSCH, J. WARD, GORDNER, K. WARD, YUDICHAK, STEFANO and YAW presented to the Chair **SB** 706, entitled:

An Act providing for advanced manufacturing facilities and infrastructures through business partnerships with State-related institutions; establishing the Max Manufacturing Initiative Fund and Max Manufacturing Venture Loan Fund; and imposing powers and duties on the Department of Community and Economic Development.

Which was committed to the Committee on COMMUNITY, ECONOMIC AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, May 21, 2021.

#### May 24, 2021

Senators BARTOLOTTA, LANGERHOLC, YUDICHAK, BAKER, J. WARD, BREWSTER, STEFANO, REGAN and DiSANTO presented to the Chair **SB 642**, entitled:

An Act establishing the Health Care Heroes and Public Health Preparedness Program and Health Care Heroes and Public Health Preparedness Account to award grants to hospitals impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic; providing for administration of the program and for reporting requirements; and making an appropriation.

Which was committed to the Committee on HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, May 24, 2021.

Senators SANTARSIERO, COLLETT, HUGHES, KEAR-NEY, CAPPELLETTI, COMITTA, COSTA, MUTH and KANE presented to the Chair **SB 655**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of July 7, 1980 (P.L.380, No.97), known as the Solid Waste Management Act, in enforcement and remedies, providing for criminal proceedings.

Which was committed to the Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, May 24, 2021.

Senators SANTARSIERO, COLLETT, HUGHES, KEAR-NEY, CAPPELLETTI, COMITTA, COSTA, MUTH and KANE presented to the Chair **SB 656**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of June 22, 1937 (P.L.1987, No.394), known as The Clean Streams Law, in procedure and enforcement, further providing for summary proceedings.

Which was committed to the Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, May 24, 2021.

Senators SANTARSIERO, COLLETT, HUGHES, KEAR-NEY, CAPPELLETTI, COMITTA, COSTA, MUTH and KANE presented to the Chair **SB 657**, entitled:

An Act amending the act of May 1, 1984 (P.L.206, No.43), known as the Pennsylvania Safe Drinking Water Act, further providing for penalties and remedies.

Which was committed to the Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, May 24, 2021.

Senator BROOKS presented to the Chair SB 679, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 18, 1984 (P.L.1005, No.205), known as the Municipal Pension Plan Funding Standard and Recovery Act, in revisions applicable to municipal pension fund financing, further providing for revision of financing from State revenue sources, general municipal pension system state aid program; and, in foreign fire insurance tax distribution, further providing for definitions.

Which was committed to the Committee on FINANCE, May 24, 2021.

#### RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED

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

#### May 17, 2021

Senators BARTOLOTTA, KEARNEY, BROWNE, BROOKS, SCAVELLO, REGAN, PHILLIPS-HILL,

FONTANA, MARTIN, COSTA, MENSCH, YUDICHAK, GORDNER, HUTCHINSON, PITTMAN and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SR 113**, entitled:

A Resolution designating the month of May 2021 as "Motorcycle Safety and Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, May 17, 2021.

#### May 20, 2021

Senators SCAVELLO, BOSCOLA, HUGHES, MARTIN, BROWNE, BARTOLOTTA, J. WARD, FONTANA, KEARNEY, COMITTA, COSTA, STREET, YUDICHAK and STEFANO presented to the Chair **SR 115**, entitled:

A Resolution designating May 8, 2021, as "National Association of Letter Carriers Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive Day" in Pennsylvania and commending the National Association of Letter Carriers for its humanitarian efforts to eliminate hunger.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, May 20, 2021.

Senators SCAVELLO, HUGHES, BROWNE, BARTOLOTTA, J. WARD, FONTANA, KEARNEY, STREET, YUDICHAK, VOGEL, STEFANO and COMITTA presented to the Chair **SR 116**. entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the week of May 16 through 22, 2021, as "Public Works Week" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, May 20, 2021.

Senator BREWSTER presented to the Chair **SR 117**, entitled: A Resolution recognizing the week of May 22 through 28, 2021, as "National Safe Boating Week" in Pennsylvania and the start of the year-round effort to promote safe boating.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, May 20, 2021.

Senators MARTIN, CORMAN, PITTMAN, BROWNE, MENSCH, VOGEL, PHILLIPS-HILL, BARTOLOTTA, YUDICHAK, SCAVELLO, COSTA and FONTANA presented to the Chair **SR 118**, entitled:

A Resolution congratulating members of the Pennsylvania State University wrestling team and Pennsylvania residents who competed and placed during the National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Wrestling Championship.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, May 20, 2021.

#### May 21, 2021

Senators MARTIN, MENSCH, VOGEL, PITTMAN, SCAVELLO, STEFANO, BARTOLOTTA, HUGHES, FONTANA and KEARNEY presented to the Chair **SR 119**, entitled:

A Resolution recognizing the month of May 2021 as "Ehlers-Danlos Syndrome Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, May 21, 2021.

#### May 24, 2021

Senators KANE, MUTH, L. WILLIAMS, BREWSTER, KEARNEY, SAVAL and CAPPELLETTI presented to the Chair **SR 114**, entitled:

A Resolution amending the Rules of the Senate, further providing for motions and for rules.

Which was committed to the Committee on RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS, May 24, 2021.

#### **GENERAL COMMUNICATION**

#### **AUDITOR GENERAL'S CERTIFICATE**

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

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

May 17, 2021

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

Dear Senator Ward:

In accordance with the provisions of Article VIII, Section 7(a)(4) of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Section 304 of the Capital Facilities Debt Enabling Act (Act 1 of 1999, as amended), I am providing you with the accompanying certification in connection with the general obligation bond sale of May 5, 2021.

A duplicate original of my certificate is enclosed.

Sincerely,

TIMOTHY L. DeFOOR Auditor General

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AUDITOR GENERAL'S CERTIFICATE
Pursuant to
ARTICLE VIII, Section 7(a)(4)
of the
CONSTITUTION OF PENNSYLVANIA
and
Section 304 of the Capital Facilities Debt Enabling Act

To the Governor and The General Assembly:

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

The amount of outstanding net debt as of May 20, 2021 . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . \$9,562,912,000

The difference between the limitation upon all net debt outstanding as provided in Article VIII, Section 7(a)(4) of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the amount of outstanding net debt as of

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Auditor General, this 17th day of May 2021.

TIMOTHY L. DeFOOR Auditor General Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

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

#### APPOINTMENT BY THE MINORITY LEADER

The PRESIDENT. The Chair wishes to announce the Minority Leader has made the following appointment:

Mr. Geoffrey W. Clarke as a member of the Public-Private Transportation Board.

#### **BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEES**

Senator PHILLIPS-HILL, from the Committee on Communications and Technology, reported the following bill:

SB 696 (Pr. No. 793) (Amended)

An Act amending the act of December 22, 2005 (P.L.474, No.94), known as the Breach of Personal Information Notification Act, further providing for title of act, for definitions and for notification of breach; prohibiting employees of the Commonwealth from using nonsecured Internet connections; and providing for Commonwealth policy and for entities subject to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996.

Senator LAUGHLIN, from the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported the following bill:

#### SB 431 (Pr. No. 451)

An Act amending Title 34 (Game) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in hunting and furtaking licenses, further providing for authorized license-issuing agents.

Senator BROOKS, from the Committee on Health and Human Services, reported the following bills:

SB 618 (Pr. No. 712)

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

SB 620 (Pr. No. 769)

An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in COVID-19 disaster emergency, providing for COVID-19 vaccine.

SB 671 (Pr. No. 740)

An Act providing for retaining health care innovations during the COVID-19 pandemic and imposing duties on the Joint State Government Commission.

#### LEGISLATIVE LEAVES

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

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

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

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

The PRESIDENT. Senator Kim Ward requests a temporary Capitol leave for Senator Browne, and a legislative leave for Senator Yaw.

Senator Costa requests a legislative leave for Senator Anthony Williams.

Without objection, the leaves will be granted.

#### LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Senator K. WARD asked and obtained a leave of absence for Senator CORMAN, for today's Session, for personal reasons.

# SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION WEEKLY RECESS

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

In the Senate, May 24, 2021

RESOLVED, (the House of Representatives concurring), Pursuant to Article II, Section 14 of the Pennsylvania Constitution, that when the Senate recesses this week, it reconvene the week of Monday, June 7, 2021, unless sooner recalled by the President Pro Tempore; and be it further

RESOLVED, Pursuant to Article II, Section 14 of the Pennsylvania Constitution, that when the House of Representatives recesses this week, it reconvene the week of Monday, June 7, 2021, unless sooner recalled by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

On the question,

Will the Senate adopt the resolution?

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

#### YEA-47

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

### NAY-0

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

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

#### **RECESS**

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

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

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

Senator COSTA. Mr. President, at the conclusion of the meeting of the Committee on Transportation, Senate Democrats will meet in the rear of the Chamber and via Zoom.

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

#### AFTER RECESS

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

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

#### LEGISLATIVE LEAVE CANCELLED

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

#### LEGISLATIVE LEAVE

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

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

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Senator Kim Ward requests a temporary Capitol leave for Senator Martin. Without objection, the leave will be granted.

### **RECESS**

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

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

The PRESIDING OFFICER. For the purpose of a meeting of the Committee on Appropriations to be held here on the floor as well as via Zoom, without objection, the Senate stands in recess.

#### **AFTER RECESS**

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

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

#### LEGISLATIVE LEAVE CANCELLED

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

#### LEGISLATIVE LEAVES

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

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, I request temporary Capitol leaves for Senator Browne and Senator Stefano, and a legislative leave for Senator Dush.

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

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

The PRESIDENT. Senator Kim Ward requests temporary Capitol leaves for Senator Browne and Senator Stefano, and a legislative leave for Senator Dush.

Senator Costa requests a legislative leave for Senator Brewster.

Without objection, the leaves will be granted.

#### **CALENDAR**

#### THIRD CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

#### BILL OVER IN ORDER

**SB 78** -- Without objection, the bill was passed over in its order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

# BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

SB 82 (Pr. No. 60) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 28, 1984 (P.L.150, No.28), known as the Automobile Lemon Law, further providing for definitions, for repair obligations, for manufacturer's duty for refund or replacement and for presumption of a reasonable number of attempts.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

The PRESIDENT. Senator Brooks has submitted remarks for the record. Without objection, the remarks will be spread upon the record.

(The following prepared remarks were made part of the record at the request of the gentlewoman from Mercer, Senator BROOKS:)

Mr. President, Senate Bill No. 82 will ensure that motorcycles will now be covered under a lemon law in Pennsylvania. Currently, the Automobile Lemon Law protects car buyers by requiring manufacturers to repair any defect that significantly affects the use, value, or safety of the vehicle. However, similar protections are not currently offered to those who purchase motorcycles. This omission in law leaves motorcycle buyers with far less protection than car buyers. Currently, a con-

sumer purchasing a defective motorcycle must either pay out of pocket for repairs or fix the problem themselves.

Under Senate Bill No. 82, a defective motorcycle would be replaced or the cost of the purchase would be refunded if the motorcycle cannot be repaired after three attempts within 1 year of the delivery of the motorcycle to the purchaser, or during the term of warranty, whichever may occur first. This legislation would not include dual sport motorcycles driven off-road, nor does it include if the nonconformity is a result of a modification or alteration made after the date of delivery of the motorcycle to the purchaser.

Whether Pennsylvanians buy a vehicle with two wheels or four, we should be providing protections to all vehicle buyers and taking steps to protect all consumers, not just those purchasing cars. In closing, I would like to thank ABATE for their efforts with this legislation as well as their commitment to motorcycle safety.

Thank you, Mr. President.

And the question recurring, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

#### YEA-47

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

#### NAY-0

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

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

#### BILL LAID ON THE TABLE

**HB 101 (Pr. No. 1008)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act providing for limited civil liability for agritourism activity providers, for notice of limited civil liability and for acknowledgment of limited civil liability.

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

### HB 101 TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, I move that House Bill No. 101, Printer's No. 1008, be taken from the table and placed on the Calendar.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The PRESIDENT. The bill will be placed on the Calendar.

#### BILL LAID ON THE TABLE

**SB 113 (Pr. No. 84)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act selecting, designating and adopting the Pennsylvania March as the official march of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

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

#### SB 113 TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 113, Printer's No. 84, be taken from the table and placed on the Calendar.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The PRESIDENT. The bill will be placed on the Calendar.

#### BILLS OVER IN ORDER

**SB 137** and **SB 341** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

#### BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

SB 403 (Pr. No. 394) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 30 (Fish) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in registration and titling of boats, further providing for period of registration.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

Senator ROBINSON. Mr. President, I first want to express my thanks to Senator Laughlin and his committee for working with my staff and I on this legislation. Senate Bill No. 403 is a commonsense change that would simply align the Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission's boat registration period with the calendar year. Due to an antiquated provision in Title 30, the period of registration spans 2 years, from April 1 until March 31 of the second year. This creates considerable confusion among boaters who mistakenly believe their registration is valid through the end of the calendar year listed on the registration decal.

Under this legislation, the registration period would begin on January 1 and extend until December 31 of the second year. This legislation is supported by the commission, has been reviewed by the U.S. Coast Guard for consistency with Federal boating guidelines, and will not impose any additional costs or penalties on Pennsylvania boaters. I respectfully ask my colleagues for an affirmative vote.

Thank you, Mr. President.

And the question recurring, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

#### YEA-47

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

#### NAY-0

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

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

#### BILLS OVER IN ORDER

**SB 426, SB 442** and **SB 457** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

#### BILL ON THIRD CONSIDERATION AND FINAL PASSAGE

**SB 521 (Pr. No. 541)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in other offenses, further providing for the offense of invasion of privacy.

Considered the third time and agreed to,

On the question, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

Senator MENSCH. Mr. President, I rise today along with my chief cosponsor, Senator Santarsiero, to support Senate Bill No. 521. The bill was made necessary by the unspeakable actions of a former teacher in my district. In January of 2020, a math teacher and soccer coach at Palisades High School in Bucks County was found to be taking upskirt photos of students and then sharing them online. As a result of this despicable and dehumanizing act, the teacher was charged with invasion of privacy and indecent exposure, which is certainly the least of what he deserved. Specifically, this legislation will make this offense a third-degree felony for a first offense and a second-degree felony for subsequent offenses for the invasion of privacy of a minor when committed by a person of authority such as a teacher. With this legislation, we hope to send a strong message that invasions

of privacy like this, that do so much irreparable harm to our children, will not be tolerated and carry with them serious penalties and consequences. This bill is a companion bill of House Bill No. 163, sponsored by Representative Staats, which has already passed the House. I humbly ask for an affirmative vote.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

Senator SANTARSIERO. Mr. President, I thank my colleague, Senator Mensch, for working with our office on this legislation and our colleague in the House, as he mentioned, Representative Staats. This bill is narrowly tailored to deal with a situation where an adult is upskirting a child, and it arises, most egregiously, in the context of a school setting, as was the case in Bucks County at the Palisades School District. I can tell you, both as a parent and a former teacher, that case was particularly disturbing and upsetting. I know for the families who had to endure the case, to know that in the future we would be holding any offender to a higher standard and a higher penalty is, I think, comforting and to know that it would help, hopefully, dissuade this kind of behavior in the future. We send our kids to school with the expectation that they are going to learn in a safe environment, and we have to make sure we do everything we can to provide that safe environment. I believe this legislation will help do that. So, again, I thank Senator Mensch and Representative Staats, and I respectfully request an affirmative vote. Thank you.

And the question recurring, Shall the bill pass finally?

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

#### YEA-46

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

#### NAY-1

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

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

#### SECOND CONSIDERATION CALENDAR

#### BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION AND REREFERRED

**SB 73 (Pr. No. 54)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, in preliminary provisions, providing for mandate waiver program.

Considered the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.

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

#### BILLS OVER IN ORDER

**HB 104, HB 108, SB 168** and **HB 230** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

#### BILL LAID ON THE TABLE

**SB 236 (Pr. No. 205)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of December 4, 1996 (P.L.911, No.147), known as the Telemarketer Registration Act, further providing for definitions, for unlawful acts and penalties and for unwanted telephone solicitation calls prohibited.

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

#### SB 236 TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 236, Printer's No. 205, be taken from the table and placed on the Calendar.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The PRESIDENT. The bill will be placed on the Calendar.

### BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 237, SB 241, SB 283, SB 286 and SB 312 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K, WARD.

## BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION AND REREFERRED

**SB 351 (Pr. No. 353)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, providing for community-engaged schools.

Considered the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.

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

#### BILL OVER IN ORDER

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

#### BILL LAID ON THE TABLE

**SB 435 (Pr. No. 474)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in restructuring of electric utility industry, providing for transportation fueling infrastructure development.

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

#### SB 435 TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 435, Printer's No. 474, be taken from the table and placed on the Calendar.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The PRESIDENT. The bill will be placed on the Calendar.

#### BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION AND REREFERRED

**SB 439 (Pr. No. 457)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of April 8, 1982 (P.L.310, No.87), referred to as the Recorder of Deeds Fee Law, further providing for county demolition funds.

Considered the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.

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

#### BILL OVER IN ORDER AND LAID ON THE TABLE

SB 441 (Pr. No. 484) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act providing for qualifications of chairperson of the Legislative Reapportionment Commission.

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

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

#### BILL LAID ON THE TABLE

**SB 455 (Pr. No. 461)** -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending Title 51 (Military Affairs) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in veteran-owned small businesses, providing for miscellaneous provisions; imposing a penalty; and making an editorial change.

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

#### SB 455 TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, I move that Senate Bill No. 455, Printer's No. 461, be taken from the table and placed on the Calendar.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The PRESIDENT. The bill will be placed on the Calendar.

#### BILLS OVER IN ORDER

SB 461, SB 463, SB 480, SB 519, SB 559, SB 561 and SB 562 -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

#### BILL ON SECOND CONSIDERATION AND REREFERRED

SB 568 (Pr. No. 736) -- The Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill, entitled:

An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, in sales and use tax, further providing for definitions.

Considered the second time and agreed to,

Ordered, To be printed on the Calendar for third consideration.

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

#### BILLS OVER IN ORDER

**HB 854** and **HB 951** -- Without objection, the bills were passed over in their order at the request of Senator K. WARD.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION No. 36, TABLED

Senator K. WARD, without objection, called up from page 7 of the Calendar, **Senate Resolution No. 36**, entitled:

A Resolution petitioning the Congress of the United States to extend daylight saving time throughout the year across the country.

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

### SENATE RESOLUTION No. 36 TAKEN FROM THE TABLE

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, I move that **Senate Resolution No. 36** be taken from the table and placed on the Calendar.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The PRESIDENT. The resolution will be placed on the Calendar.

# UNFINISHED BUSINESS BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEES

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

#### SB 28 (Pr. No. 10) (Rereported)

An Act providing for the administration of permits by State agencies, for a tracking system for permit applications, for the establishment of permit programs, for third-party review of permit decision delays and for annual reports.

#### **SB 126 (Pr. No. 98)** (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of June 25, 1982 (P.L.633, No.181), known as the Regulatory Review Act, further providing for definitions and for existing regulations.

#### SB 243 (Pr. No. 688) (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of December 19, 1988 (P.L.1262, No.156), known as the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act, in games of chance, providing for games of chance operations during disaster emergency.

#### **SB 520 (Pr. No. 526)** (Rereported)

An Act amending the act of June 25, 1982 (P.L.633, No.181), known as the Regulatory Review Act, further providing for definitions, for proposed regulations and procedures for review and for final-form regulations and final-omitted regulations and procedures for review; and providing for concurrent resolution required for economically significant regulations.

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

#### HB 832 (Pr. No. 814)

An Act designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 37135, located on Pennsylvania Route 92 over the Susquehanna River, Falls Township, Wyoming County, as the Falls Veterans Memorial Bridge.

### HB 1101 (Pr. No. 1132)

An Act designating a portion of Pennsylvania Route 981 from the intersection with Pennsylvania Route 819 to the intersection with State Route 2021 in Mount Pleasant Township, Westmoreland County, as the Honorable Mike Reese Memorial Highway.

### **BILLS ON FIRST CONSIDERATION**

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

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The bills were as follows:

SB 431, SB 618, SB 620, SB 671, SB 696, HB 832 and HB 1101.

9:30 A.M.

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

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SECRETARY

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

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	SENATE OF PENNSYLVANIA	
	COMMITTEE MEETINGS	
	<u>TUESDAY, MAY 25, 2021</u>	
9:30 A.M.	AGRICULTURE AND RURAL AFFAIRS and LOCAL GOVERNMENT (joint public hearing on local government ordinances for utility scale solar development in the Commonwealth)	Hrg. Rm. 1 North Off. (LIVE STREAMED)
10:00 A.M.	FINANCE (to consider Senate Bills No. 288, 681 and 682)	Senate Chamber (LIVE STREAMED)
10:30 A.M.	CONSUMER PROTECTION AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE (to consider Senate Bill No. 597)	Senate Chamber (LIVE STREAMED)
11:30 A.M.	JUDICIARY (to consider Senate Bills No. 305, 516, 588, 703 and 704)	Hrg. Rm. 1 North Off.
11:30 A.M.	TRANSPORTATION (to consider Senate Bills No. 419, 532 and 615; and House Bill No. 125)	Senate Chamber (LIVE STREAMED)
12:30 P.M.	STATE GOVERNMENT (to consider the reappointment of Gregory Lane and the appointment of Maria Donatucci to the Pennsylvania Civil Service Commission)	Senate Chamber (LIVE STREAMED)
Off the Floor	APPROPRIATIONS (to consider Senate Bills No. 477, 479 and 484)	Senate Chamber (LIVE STREAMED)
Off the Floor	RULES AND EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS (to consider certain Executive Nominations)	Senate Chamber (LIVE STREAMED)
	WEDNESDAY, MAY 26, 2021	
9:00 A.M.	STATE GOVERNMENT (public hearing on congressional redistricting)	Senate Chamber (LIVE STREAMED)
9:30 A.M.	LABOR AND INDUSTRY (to consider Senate Bills No. 567, 617 and 689; and House Bill No. 664)	Hrg. Rm. 1 North Off.
	THURSDAY, MAY 27, 2021	
10:30 A.M.	COMMUNITY, ECONOMIC AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT (public hearing on government barriers to manufacturing growth in Pennsylvania)	650 Ridge Rd. Pittsburgh
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EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS (S) and Irvis Off. VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS (H) (joint public hearing on Pennsylvania's veterans home care and COVID-19 mitigation protocols)

#### PETITIONS AND REMONSTRANCES

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

Senator BAKER. Mr. President, today I rise to offer acknowledgment and remembrance for the tragedy of missing adult persons. When a loved one vanishes, be it family, friend, coworker, or neighbor, it creates an unimaginable void. There is no finality, closure, or answers, just endless suspicion and speculation that tears at the soul. Thanks to technological advances in the world of criminal justice and investigations, law enforcement and investigators are able to increase their success of finding fugitives, keeping tabs on wrongdoers, and shining new light on old crimes. Yet, for the families of the missing persons, all of these tools and found knowledge can be disconcerting. It makes the complete lack of answers in their situation all the more emotionally difficult to deal with.

Across Pennsylvania, more than 300 adults are among the missing in our State. The harsh reality of missing persons hits very close to home in my community and many others. There have been several families in my district over the years who I have met with regarding their lost loved ones. Specifically, this week marks 15 years since the tragic disappearance of Shelva Rafte. Shelva was last seen in Wyoming County on the evening of her daughter's college graduation party. Her family, friends, and those close to her have felt the horrible pain, frustration, and anger of not being able to help her or have closure of knowing what truly happened. While the questions and sadness surround Shelva, 6 years ago her sisters took their pain and channeled it into helping others through the creation of Lead Me Home Today, a nonprofit organization that helps raise awareness about the number of missing persons, educate families about available resources, and bridge the communications gap between law enforcement and families. Pauline Bailey, too, of Luzerne County, has been searching for answers for 17 years. The day her daughter disappeared, she calls it the day of horror. Her daughter, Phylicia Thomas, of Luzerne County, was last seen at a party. That was 17 years ago.

Missing persons and their families deserve justice and many remain hopeful for answers. While we cannot always guarantee that justice is achieved, we can raise awareness and engage in conversations that can improve and support the collaboration needed in these very special cases. The more information that is gathered, made accessible, and shared between law enforcement agencies and authorities, the better the chances are that the answers can be found, the answers that these families are searching for.

So please join me in honoring Shelva Rafte and Phylicia Thomas and the efforts of their dedicated families, as well as law enforcement agencies and authorities, who continue to work tirelessly to find answers and offer hope in these heart-wrenching cases of missing adult persons here in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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# GUEST OF SENATOR KRISTIN PHILLIPS-HILL PRESENTED TO THE SENATE

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

Senator PHILLIPS-HILL. Mr. President, I rise to introduce and thank today's guest Chaplain, Pastor John Dorr, Jr., of the Bethlehem Steltz Reformed Church in Glen Rock, York County. Pastor Dorr has been with the church since 2011, and the church's mission is to spread the gospel all across the world. We are grateful that Pastor Dorr could join us today virtually to pray for this Chamber at the start of an important week. His thoughtful prayer speaks to all of us. Thank you, again, to Pastor Dorr for providing the Senate with today's opening prayer.

Thank you, Mr. President.

# PETITIONS AND REMONSTRANCES (Continued)

The PRESIDENT. Senator Tartaglione has submitted remarks for the record. Without objection, the remarks will be spread upon the record.

(The following prepared remarks were made part of the record at the request of the gentlewoman from Philadelphia, Senator TARTAGLIONE:)

Mr. President, today marks 5,434 days since the Pennsylvania legislature last raised the minimum wage. That is almost 15 years, and it is far too long.

Mr. President, today I would like to discuss the will of the people. In many ways it is an abstract concept, but all Members of the General Assembly must be ever conscious of its practical applications. I consider it a privilege and an honor to serve in the Senate for many reasons, but first and foremost because the people of the 2nd Senatorial District have chosen me to serve and work on behalf of their interests. It is their will that I represent them.

Similarly, we saw the will of the people on display, at least to a certain extent, last Tuesday when slightly more than half of Pennsylvania voters chose "yes" on two high-profile ballot questions regarding statewide emergency declarations. It should be noted that Pennsylvania voters have now gone 26 years without rejecting a ballot question--that is 22 questions in a row and counting. These were two of the closest "yes" votes we have seen in that time. Yet, the people have spoken and it is our duty to respect their will. I mention this because Pennsylvania has spoken loudly and frequently in recent years on another very important issue facing the Commonwealth. There is no question about where the overwhelming majority of folks stand on the issue. Time and again-whenever given the opportunity in public opinion polls--Pennsylvanians have said they want us to raise the minimum wage. In fact, support for raises keeps growing. Yet, time and again, Republican Leadership in the General Assembly has flat-out rejected the will of the people.

In February 2017, a Franklin & Marshall College poll found that 61 percent of PA voters favored a \$12 minimum wage. In April 2018, a TargetSmart poll found that 56 percent of PA voters supported raising the minimum wage to \$15 an hour and eliminating the sub-minimum wage for tip earners. Sixty-two percent of those who responded said they supported a \$12 minimum wage. In March 2019, another Franklin & Marshall poll found that 69 percent of PA voters favored a \$12 minimum wage. In August 2019, a poll by the State Innovation Exchange found that 62 percent of PA voters favored raising the minimum wage to \$15 over a 5-year period.

That happens to be the same minimum wage plan that I introduced earlier this year in Senate Bill No. 12, a bill that has been sitting in the Committee on Labor and Industry since February. It is the same bill that I introduced in 2019, legislation that expired after almost 2 years of inaction. Mr. President, these statewide survey results should come as no surprise. Americans as a group have been saying the same things for years. Just last month, 62 percent of U.S. adults said they favor a \$15

Federal minimum wage, according to a Pew Research Center survey. Yet, here in Pennsylvania, hundreds of thousands of workers are still making poverty wages. Many are making just \$7.25 an hour, and some even less than that. Every time they speak up about this injustice, every time they express their will, partisan Leaders of the General Assembly have disregarded them. Mr. President, it is long past time that we fulfill the will of the voters and the working families of Pennsylvania and we provide them with the economic relief they deserve. It is time that we raise the minimum wage to a fair, family-sustaining wage. Senate Bill No. 12 would serve that need. I urge my colleagues to advance and adopt the bill.

Thank you, Mr. President.

The PRESIDENT. The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Philadelphia, Senator Tartaglione.

Senator TARTAGLIONE. Mr. President, I rise today to ask for the support of my Senate colleagues for my resolution recognizing May 2021 as Older Americans Month in the Commonwealth. The theme of this year's commemoration is "Communities of Strength." I cannot think of a greater description for Pennsylvania's senior citizens in light of the devastating pandemic that we have endured together as one big community. If there is any consolation to be found in the many tragedies we have witnessed throughout the last 15 months, it is the determination to persevere that our older family members, neighbors, and friends continue to express. Their steadfast resolve should not come as a surprise. To put it in colloquial terms, the pandemic is not their first rodeo and it will not be their last.

Today's older Pennsylvanians and Americans have defended our democracy in many hot wars and one long Cold War. They have survived and, ultimately, prospered beyond many economic downturns and recessions. Some of them are even old enough to remember the Great Depression. They have witnessed the invention of television, space travel, the Internet, and smartphones. Yet, through all that technological progress, they have always been there for us to share their fundamental, time-tested wisdom.

Personally, when I stop to think about older Americans, the first people who come to mind are my mother and father who, despite their passing, each remain very much with us in spirit and inspiration. I think of how hard my father worked to make life better for our family, how he applied his entrepreneurial spirit and built multiple, successful businesses. I also think of my mother who, as the first woman ever elected citywide in Philadelphia, blazed the trail of inclusiveness through the political landscape of the Commonwealth. Yet, my thoughts also turn to the many older Americans and Pennsylvanians who our modern world has left behind, those who are struggling to fulfill their most basic needs. I think of senior citizens who cannot afford their food, housing, and prescription medication. So, they are forced to work for poverty-level wages because our General Assembly has not raised our minimum wage in almost 15 years. I think about how great it would be if we, as a Commonwealth and a country, adopted an Eastern manner of thinking, if we cared more for older folks spiritually and substantively.

A Japanese philosopher once wrote, "If there is value in the young shoots of spring and the light of summer, then there must also be value in the mature trees of autumn and the grand sunsets of winter." Mr. President, although we may not always realize it, senior citizens are our greatest treasure as a culture. Nothing is more important or more rewarding than sharing our lives with them every month and every day of the year. I respectfully urge

my Senate colleagues to support this resolution recognizing May 2021 as Older Americans Month in Pennsylvania.

Thank you, Mr. President.

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

Senator MUTH. Mr. President, I rise today to offer comments to mark an important milestone in Pennsylvania's legislative and constitutional history that occurred last Tuesday on May 18, 2021. While most of us were focused on the primary and special elections, that date also marked the 50th anniversary of the adoption of the constitutional amendment by the citizens of Pennsylvania enshrining environmental justice safeguards. Pennsylvania is one of only a few States to recognize clean air and pure water as a basic human right. By virtue of the ratification by voters, Article I, Section 27, provides two rights to a clean environment for Pennsylvania citizens. One is a right to clean air, pure water, and the preservation of the natural, scenic, historic, and esthetic values of the environment. The other is the right to have public natural resources conserved and maintained by the Commonwealth for the benefit of present and future generations. There are some State constitutions that have one or the other of those rights, but very few States have both. It is a very powerful statement.

In 1969, then House Member who eventually became a State Senator, Senator Franklin Kury, who was then a young lawyer and legislator from Sunbury, drafted Section 27 and introduced it in the legislature. He suggested that the right to a clean environment deserves the same constitutional protection as the right to free speech and freedom of religion. I had the distinct honor and privilege of interviewing Senator Kury on the occasion of this important legislative, constitutional, and environmental milestone 2 weeks ago.

The first enactment of the ballot measure occurred on Earth Day 1970 when the House concurred in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 958, the proposed environmental amendment. It was subsequently reintroduced in the 1971-72 legislative Session, was quickly approved by both houses unanimously, and placed on the ballot for a referendum in the May 1971 Primary Election. Consequently, 50 years ago last week, namely on May 18, 1971, Pennsylvania voters approved that measure by a vote of 1,021,342 votes to 259,979. The amendment thereby became Article I, Section 27, of the Pennsylvania Constitution. The 4 to 1 margin of approval on Article I, Section 27, significantly exceeded the votes given to all other proposed constitutional amendments that day on the ballot. Two other proposals were approved 2 to 1, and two others were defeated.

In the half century following its enactment, Article I, Section 27, has been widely quoted and frequently used in litigation to block environmental harm. The amendment has also had an impact in the realm of State agency decision-making and in the State legislature. At the State agency level, the amendment has provided a firm policy basis that is widely applied by the agencies responsible for protecting the environment in Pennsylvania: the Department of Environment Protection; the Department of Environmental Resources; PennDOT; the Public Utility Commission; the Historical and Museum Commission; the Fish and Boat Commission; and the Game Commission. It has also been featured in legal journals and environmental magazines. Pennsylvania's environmental constitutional amendment ranks with the amendments of Illinois, Massachusetts, and New York in provid-

ing a basis of broad scope for protecting our environment. At least 12 other States have environmental amendments, but each is much more restricted or narrow in its range of support and protection for our environment. Pennsylvania's amendment not only declares air and water quality rights, but also establishes the public trust doctrine with a declared statement of duty. This broad scope places Pennsylvania virtually alone among the 50 States and the Federal government in providing a firm constitutional basis for the protection of the environment.

While we commemorated this milestone last week, I feel it is important to point out, however, that despite the resounding will of the citizens of Pennsylvania--as evidenced by the 4 to 1 margin of adoption in 1971--we continue to witness efforts by legislators to circumvent, stymie, or impede our constitutional protected right to clean air and pure water. We even have to contend with instances of inaction or utter failure to enforce laws and safety regulations by the very State agencies whose responsibility and mission is to uphold and protect those basic rights.

Finally, a reminder to us all who have the privilege and honor of serving in this Chamber. When we took office, we all took the oath to uphold our Constitution. Our Constitution contains Article 1, Section 27, which protects citizens' rights to clean air, pure water, and the preservation of the natural, historic, scenic, and esthetic values of the environment as well as a right to have public natural resources conserved and maintained by the Commonwealth, the State of Pennsylvania, for the benefit of present and future generations. Let us use this milestone as a new oomph into that time ahead to make sure that we actually do our due diligence, hold ourselves accountable, demand transparency from our State agencies, and make sure we are protecting all Pennsylvanians' constitutional rights.

Thank you, Mr. President.

#### **RECESS**

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

Senator K. WARD. Mr. President, I move that the Senate do now recess until Tuesday, May 25, 2021, at 1 p.m., Eastern Daylight Saving Time, unless sooner recalled by the President protempore.

The motion was agreed to by voice vote.

The Senate recessed at 3:48 p.m., Eastern Daylight Saving Time.