

Senate of Pennsylvania

Session of Monday, March 18, 2024

(Prepared in the Office of the Secretary of the Senate)

THE SENATE OF PENNSYLVANIA CONVENED AT 1:00 P.M.

CHAPLAIN

Prayer was offered by Reverend Paul R. Taylor, OSB, President, St. Vincent College, Latrobe, Pennsylvania

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED

From Governor Shapiro - Executive Nominations – Gubernatorial Appointments presented – referred to the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations

Executive Nominations – Recalls – referred to the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations

Executive Nominations – Corrections – referred to the Committee on Rules and Executive Nominations

The following Reports presented were noted in the Journal and filed in the Library –
Rural Health Redesign Center Authority Independent Auditor’s Report and Financial Statements

PUC Annual Report on the Telecommunication Device Distribution Program and Print Media Access System Program for Calendar Year 2023

Department of Labor & Industry Annual Report on Minimum Wage for Calendar Year 2023

Department of Labor & Industry Annual Report on Workforce Development Board for Calendar Year 2023

Department of Labor & Industry Annual Report on the Administration and Enforcement of the Construction Workplace Misclassification Act for Calendar Year 2023

Department of Labor & Industry Actuarial Evaluation of the Financial Operations of the Unemployment Compensation Program for Calendar Year 2023

Office of Open Records Annual Report for Calendar Year 2023

From House of Representatives –

House has passed Senate Bills No. 146 and 753 without amendment

House has concurred in Senate amendments to House Bill No. 1564

APPOINTMENTS BY THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

Senator Farry – member of the Stop-and-Go Legislative Task Force

Senator Yaw– member of the Board of Directors of the Center for Rural PA

Senator Phillips-Hill– member of the PA Broadband Authority

John F. Mizner, Esq.– member of the Independent Regulatory Review Commission

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAJORITY LEADER

Mr. Thomas Jay Ellis, Esq.– member the Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority Board (SEPTA)

APPOINTMENT BY THE DEMOCRATIC LEADER

Mr. Jerry Lehocky– member of the Pennsylvania Workmen’s Compensation Advisory Council

BILLS SIGNED BY THE PRESIDENT

Senate Bills No. 146 and 753

House Bill No. 1564

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE

Bills reported were considered for the first time

CALENDARS CONSIDERED

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SECRETARY

Committee meetings were announced by the Secretary of the Senate

RESOLUTIONS

Recess Resolution – **ADOPTED**

THIS IS NOT AN OFFICIAL RECORD OF THE DAY’S LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

THE SENATE OF PENNSYLVANIA RECESSED AT 4:48 P.M. TO RECONVENE ON

TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 2024 AT 1:00 P.M.

UNLESS SOONER RECALLED BY THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE