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- Bill:** HB718 (PN797)
Sponsors: Melio (D141); Fairchild (R85); Solobay (D48); Causer (R67); Donatucci (D185) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of July 9, 1990 (P.L.340, No.78), known as the Public Safety Emergency Telephone Act, further providing for the Wireless E-911 Emergency Services Fund.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness; Appropriations
Progress: Pamphlet Law
Status: 06/29/2009 – Approved by the Governor
History: 03/04/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.
 03/11/2009—H Reported as committed. H First consideration. H Laid on the table. H Removed from table. H Re-committed to Appropriations.
 03/18/2009—H Re-reported as committed. H Second consideration.
 03/23/2009—H Third consideration and final passage (187-3). H Remarks see House Journal Pages 407-408.
 04/02/2009—S Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.
 05/05/2009—S Reported as committed. S First consideration.
 05/06/2009—S Re-referred to Appropriations.
 06/22/2009—S Re-reported as committed.
 06/23/2009—S Second consideration.
 06/24/2009—S Third consideration and final passage (50-0).
 06/25/2009—H Signed in House. S Signed in Senate. G Presented to the Governor.
 06/29/2009—G Approved by the Governor Act No. 6.
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- Bill:** HB1342 (PN1794)
Sponsors: Stevenson (R8); Solobay (D48); Costa, P. (D34); Dally (R138); Ellis (R11) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of July 4, 2008 (P.L.518, No.42), known as the Cigarette Fire Safety and Firefighter Protection Act, further providing for standards for cigarette fire safety and for sale of existing inventory.
Subjects: Consumer Affairs; Consumer Protection And Professional Licensure
Progress: Pamphlet Law
Status: 06/29/2009 – Approved by the Governor
History: 04/23/2009—H Referred to Consumer Affairs.
 05/07/2009—H Reported as amended. H First consideration. H Laid on the table.
 05/11/2009—H Removed from table. H Re-committed to Appropriations.
 05/12/2009—H Re-reported as committed. H Second consideration.
 06/01/2009—H Third consideration and final passage (191-0).
 06/04/2009—S Referred to Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.
 06/09/2009—S Reported as committed. S First consideration.
 06/15/2009—S Second consideration.
 06/22/2009—S Third consideration and final passage (49-0).
 06/23/2009—H Signed in House.
 06/24/2009—S Signed in Senate. G Presented to the Governor.
 06/29/2009—G Approved by the Governor Act No. 9.
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- Bill:** SB125 (PN1333)
Sponsors: Gordner (R27); Orié (R40); Rafferty (R44); Costa, J. (D43); Boscola (D18) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of April 14, 1972 (P.L.233, No.64), known as The Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act, further providing for prohibited acts and penalties; and providing for methamphetamine production, for the offenses of operating a methamphetamine laboratory and illegal dumping of methamphetamine waste and for environmental costs.
Subjects: Judiciary; Appropriations
Progress: 2ndH: Consider

Status: 07/22/2009 – House Appropriations Committee
History: 01/30/2009—S Referred to Judiciary.
02/10/2009—S Reported as committed. S First consideration.
02/11/2009—S Second consideration.
03/09/2009—S Third consideration and final passage (49-0).
03/10/2009—H Referred to Judiciary.
07/21/2009—H Reported as amended. H First consideration. H Laid on the table.
07/22/2009—H Removed from table. H Re-referred to Appropriations.
Scheduled: 07/22/2009—House Tabled Bill Calendar, 11:00a, House Chamber, Main Capitol.

Bill: SB240 (PN1312)
Sponsors: Baker, L. (R20); Waugh (R28); Washington (D4); Rafferty (R44); Alloway (R33) and others
Summary: An Act amending Titles 35 (Health and Safety) and 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, regulating emergency medical services systems; providing for licensure; conferring powers and duties on the Department of Health; further defining "emergency vehicle"; providing for penalties; providing for Emergency Medical Services Operating Fund distributions; and making a related repeal.
Subjects: Title 35 (Health and Safety); Title 75 (Vehicles); Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness; Appropriations
Related: 2009:HB468
Progress: 2ndH: Consider
Status: 07/15/2009 – Re-reported in House as amended
History: 02/19/2009—S Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.
03/18/2009—S Reported as amended. S First consideration.
03/30/2009—S Re-referred to Appropriations.
06/01/2009—S Re-reported as amended.
06/03/2009—S Second consideration.
06/10/2009—S Third consideration and final passage (49-0). S Remarks see Senate Journal.
06/12/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.
07/01/2009—H Reported as committed. H First consideration. H Laid on the table.
07/02/2009—H Removed from table. H Re-referred to Appropriations.
07/15/2009—H Re-reported as amended.
Scheduled: 07/22/2009—House Calendar, 11:00a, House Chamber, Main Capitol.

Bill: SB851 (PN1242)
Sponsors: Pileggi (R9); Baker, L. (R20); Smucker (R13); Ward (R39); Erickson (R26) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of July 31, 2003 (P.L.73, No.17), known as the Volunteer Fire Company and Volunteer Ambulance Service Grant Act, providing for an exemption from the Right-to-Know Law.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 2ndH: Referred to Committee
Status: 07/09/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 06/09/2009—S Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.
06/23/2009—S Reported as committed. S First consideration.
06/30/2009—S Amended on second consideration.
07/01/2009—S Second consideration.
07/07/2009—S Third consideration and final passage (47-1).
07/09/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HB1332 (PN2240)
Sponsors: Gergely (D35); Brennan (D133); Caltagirone (D127); Vereb (R150); Belfanti (D107) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for confidential communications to a critical incident stress management team member by law enforcement officers, firefighters, first responders and corrections officers.
Subjects: Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure); Judiciary
Progress: 2ndH: Referred to Committee
Status: 06/26/2009 – Senate Judiciary Committee
History: 04/22/2009—H Referred to Judiciary.
06/16/2009—H Reported as amended. H First consideration. H Re-committed to Rules.
06/22/2009—H Re-reported as committed. H Re-committed to Appropriations. H Re-reported as committed. H Second consideration, with amendments. H Remarks see House Journal.
06/25/2009—H Third consideration and final passage (192-0). H Remarks see House Journal.
06/26/2009—S Referred to Judiciary.

Bill: HB468 (PN1156)
Sponsors: Melio (D141); Fairchild (R85); Solobay (D48); Thomas (D181); Belfanti (D107) and others
Summary: An Act amending Titles 35 (Health and Safety) and 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, regulating emergency medical services systems; providing for licensure; conferring powers and duties on the Department of Health; further defining "emergency vehicle"; providing for penalties; providing for Emergency Medical Services Operating Fund distributions; and making a related repeal.
Subjects: Title 35 (Health and Safety); Title 75 (Vehicles); Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Related: 2009:SB240
Progress: 2ndH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/27/2009 – Senate Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 02/18/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.
03/11/2009—H Reported as amended. H First consideration. H Laid on the table. H Removed from table.
H Re-committed to Appropriations.
03/18/2009—H Re-reported as committed. H Second consideration, with amendments. H Remarks see House Journal.
03/23/2009—H Third consideration and final passage (190-0). H Remarks see House Journal.
03/27/2009—S Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: SB126 (PN192)
Sponsors: Gordner (R27); Orié (R40); Rafferty (R44); Costa, J. (D43); Boscola (D18) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of April 14, 1972 (P.L.233, No.64), known as The Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act, providing for environmental costs.
Subjects: Judiciary
Progress: 2ndH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/10/2009 – House Judiciary Committee
History: 01/30/2009—S Referred to Judiciary.
02/10/2009—S Reported as amended. S First consideration.
02/11/2009—S Second consideration.
03/09/2009—S Third consideration and final passage (49-0).
03/10/2009—H Referred to Judiciary.

Bill: HB250 (PN2446)
Sponsors: Hornaman (D3); Solobay (D48); Barrar (R160); Bear (R97); Beyer (R131) and others
Summary: An Act providing for municipal volunteer fire company, volunteer ambulance service and volunteer rescue company service incentives.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Passed
Status: 07/20/2009 – Third consideration and final passage in House
History: 02/04/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.
06/03/2009—H Reported as amended. H First consideration. H Re-committed to Rules.
07/02/2009—H Re-reported as committed. H Re-committed to Appropriations.
07/06/2009—H Re-reported as amended.
07/14/2009—H Second consideration, with amendments. H Remarks see House Journal.
07/20/2009—H Third consideration and final passage (191-0).

Bill: SB1042 (PN1331)
Sponsors: Browne (R16); Scarnati (R25); Pileggi (R9); Corman (R34)
Summary: An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176), known as The Fiscal Code, in general budget implementation, further providing for the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency.
Subjects: Finance
Progress: 1stH: Consider
Status: 07/20/2009 – First consideration in Senate
History: 07/19/2009—S Referred to Finance.
07/20/2009—S Reported as committed. S First consideration.

Bill: SB303 (PN1210)
Sponsors: White, D. (R41); Ferlo (D38); Wonderling (R24); O'Pake (D11); Rafferty (R44) and others
Summary: An Act establishing a grant program for volunteer emergency service organizations to provide incentives for establishing partnerships; conferring powers and duties on the Center for Local Government Services within the Department of Community and Economic Development; establishing the Volunteer

Emergency Services Partnership Bond Fund; and providing for funding.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness; Appropriations
Progress: 1stH: Consider
Status: 07/18/2009 – Removed from table in Senate
History: 02/20/2009—S Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.
05/05/2009—S Reported as committed. S First consideration.
06/02/2009—S Re-referred to Appropriations.
06/15/2009—S Re-reported as amended.
06/23/2009—S Amended on second consideration.
07/02/2009—S Laid on the table. S Removed from table.
07/18/2009—S Laid on the table. S Removed from table.

Bill: HB552 (PN601)
Sponsors: Clymer (R145); Barrar (R160); Bear (R97); Belfanti (D107); Boyd (R43) and others
Summary: An Act amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedures) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for arson and related offenses; and providing for sentences for arson of a historic resource.
Subjects: Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses); Judiciary
Progress: 1stH: Consider
Status: 07/15/2009 – House Rules Committee
History: 02/23/2009—H Referred to Judiciary.
07/15/2009—H Reported as committed. H First consideration. H Re-committed to Rules.

Bill: HB1769 (PN2460)
Sponsors: Solobay (D48); Melio (D141); Caltagirone (D127); Costa, D. (D21); Deasy (D27) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of February 11, 1998 (P.L.58, No.15), known as the Combustible and Flammable Liquids Act, further providing for regulations and for prohibitions.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Consider
Status: 07/15/2009 – House Rules Committee
History: 06/24/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.
07/15/2009—H Reported as amended. H First consideration. H Re-committed to Rules.

Bill: SB639 (PN694)
Sponsors: Dinniman (D19); Rafferty (R44); Alloway (R33); Boscola (D18); Costa, J. (D43) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, further providing for exclusions from sales tax and for exemption certificates.
Subjects: Finance; Appropriations
Related: 2009:HB325
Progress: 1stH: Consider
Status: 07/06/2009 – Senate Appropriations Committee
History: 03/19/2009—S Referred to Finance.
06/17/2009—S Reported as committed. S First consideration.
07/06/2009—S Re-referred to Appropriations.

Bill: HB867 (PN1956)
Sponsors: O'Neill (R29); DiGirolamo (R18); Briggs (D149); Clymer (R145); Denlinger (R99) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of May 17, 1921 (P.L.682, No.284), known as The Insurance Company Law of 1921, prohibiting discrimination against volunteer ambulance services.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Consider
Status: 06/02/2009 – House Appropriations Committee
History: 03/11/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.
06/01/2009—H Reported as amended. H First consideration. H Laid on the table.
06/02/2009—H Removed from table. H Re-committed to Appropriations.

Bill: HB1280 (PN1957)
Sponsors: Marshall (R14); Fairchild (R85); Solobay (D48); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131) and others
Summary: An Act establishing an emergency medical services memorial flag; and imposing duties on the

Subjects: Pennsylvania Emergency Health Services Council and the Bureau of Emergency Medical Services.
Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Consider
Status: 06/02/2009 – House Appropriations Committee
History: 04/20/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.
06/01/2009—H Reported as amended. H First consideration. H Laid on the table.
06/02/2009—H Removed from table. H Re-committed to Appropriations.

Bill: HB1445 (PN1774)
Sponsors: Solobay (D48); Brennan (D133); Briggs (D149); Caltagirone (D127); Cohen (D202) and others
Summary: An Act providing standards for carbon monoxide alarms and for powers and duties of the Department of Labor and Industry; and imposing penalties.
Subjects: Labor Relations; Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Consider
Status: 06/02/2009 – House Appropriations Committee
History: 05/05/2009—H Referred to Labor Relations.
05/12/2009—H Reported with request to re-refer to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness. H Re-referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.
06/01/2009—H Reported as committed. H First consideration. H Laid on the table.
06/02/2009—H Removed from table. H Re-committed to Appropriations.

Bill: HB1324 (PN1829)
Sponsors: Josephs (D182); Brennan (D133); Creighton (R37); Daley (D49); Harkins (D1) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 65 (Public Officers) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in open meetings, further providing for penalty.
Subjects: Title 65 (Public Officers); State Government
Progress: 1stH: Consider
Status: 05/12/2009 – House Appropriations Committee
History: 04/22/2009—H Referred to State Government.
05/11/2009—H Reported as amended. H First consideration. H Laid on the table.
05/12/2009—H Removed from table. H Re-committed to Appropriations.

Bill: HB1231 (PN1780)
Sponsors: Murphy (D113); Caltagirone (D127); Adolph (R165); Barrar (R160); Belfanti (D107) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of June 2, 1915 (P.L.736, No.338), known as the Workers' Compensation Act, further defining "occupational disease"; and providing for cancer in the occupation of firefighter.
Subjects: Labor Relations
Progress: 1stH: Consider
Status: 05/06/2009 – House Appropriations Committee
History: 04/07/2009—H Referred to Labor Relations.
05/05/2009—H Reported as amended. H First consideration. H Laid on the table.
05/06/2009—H Removed from table. H Re-committed to Appropriations.

Bill: SB211 (PN790)
Sponsors: Folmer (R48); Browne (R16); Orié (R40); Kasunic (D32); Erickson (R26) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of December 19, 1988 (P.L.1262, No.156), known as the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act, further providing for definitions, for prize limits, for insured games, for limited sales, for recordkeeping, for eligible organizations' use of locations for conducting small games of chance, for separate individual prize limitations and for advertising.
Subjects: Finance; Appropriations
Progress: 1stH: Consider
Status: 04/28/2009 – Senate Appropriations Committee
History: 02/19/2009—S Referred to Finance.
04/01/2009—S Reported as amended. S First consideration.
04/28/2009—S Re-referred to Appropriations.

Bill: SB212 (PN791)
Sponsors: Orié (R40); Browne (R16); Folmer (R48); Kasunic (D32); Alloway (R33) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of July 10, 1981 (P.L.214, No.67), known as the Bingo Law, further providing

for rules for licensing and operation.
Subjects: Finance; Appropriations
Progress: 1stH: Consider
Status: 04/28/2009 – Senate Appropriations Committee
History: 02/19/2009—S Referred to Finance.
04/01/2009—S Reported as amended. S First consideration.
04/28/2009—S Re-referred to Appropriations.

Bill: HB169 (PN1534)
Sponsors: Solobay (D48); Caltagirone (D127); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131); Brennan (D133) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of December 19, 1988 (P.L.1262, No.156), known as the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act, further providing for definitions, for permitted games of chance, for prize limits, for insured games, for limited sales, for recordkeeping, for eligible organizations' use of locations for conducting small games of chance, for separate individual prize limitations, for enforcement and for advertising.
Subjects: Gaming Oversight
Progress: 1stH: Consider
Status: 04/21/2009 – House Appropriations Committee
History: 03/04/2009—H Referred to Gaming Oversight.
04/20/2009—H Reported as amended. H First consideration. H Laid on the table.
04/21/2009—H Removed from table. H Re-committed to Appropriations.

Bill: HB1864 (PN2465)
Sponsors: Casorio (D56); Caltagirone (D127); Belfanti (D107); Costa, D. (D21); Geist (R79) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of June 23, 1931 (P.L.932, No.317), known as The Third Class City Code, providing for a probationary period for police officers and firefighters.
Subjects: Urban Affairs
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 07/16/2009 – House Urban Affairs Committee
History: 07/16/2009—H Referred to Urban Affairs.

Bill: HB1857 (PN2444)
Sponsors: McGeehan (D173); Solobay (D48); Brennan (D133); Josephs (D182); Keller, W. (D184) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of November 10, 1999 (P.L.491, No.45), known as the Pennsylvania Construction Code Act, further providing for legislative findings and purpose, for Uniform Construction Code Review and Advisory Council, for revised or successor codes and for changes in Uniform Construction Code.
Subjects: Labor Relations
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 07/14/2009 – House Labor Relations Committee
History: 07/14/2009—H Referred to Labor Relations.

Bill: SB1001 (PN1258)
Sponsors: Robbins (R50); Alloway (R33); Argall (R29); Earll (R49); Folmer (R48) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of November 10, 1999 (P.L.491, No.45), known as the Pennsylvania Construction Code Act, further providing for adoption of regulations, for changes in the Uniform Construction Code and for exemptions.
Subjects: Labor And Industry
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 07/06/2009 – Senate Labor and Industry Committee
History: 07/06/2009—S Referred to Labor and Industry.

Bill: HB1808 (PN2354)
Sponsors: Buxton (D103); Benninghoff (R171); Boyd (R43); Caltagirone (D127); Carroll (D118) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of November 10, 1999 (P.L.491, No.45), known as the Pennsylvania Construction Code Act, further providing for revised or successor codes.
Subjects: Labor Relations
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 07/01/2009 – House Labor Relations Committee

History: 07/01/2009—H Referred to Labor Relations.

Bill: HB1809 (PN2355)
Sponsors: Buxton (D103); Benninghoff (R171); Boyd (R43); Carroll (D118); Civera (R164) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of November 10, 1999 (P.L.491, No.45), known as the Pennsylvania Construction Code Act, further providing for adoption by regulations, for changes in Uniform Construction Code and for exemptions.
Subjects: Labor Relations
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 07/01/2009 – House Labor Relations Committee
History: 07/01/2009—H Referred to Labor Relations.

Bill: HB1810 (PN2356)
Sponsors: Fairchild (R85); Solobay (D48); Melio (D141); Gillespie (R47); Phillips (R108) and others
Summary: An Act amending Titles 4 (Amusements) and 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, consolidating statutory provisions relating to volunteer firefighters and grants to volunteer fire companies and volunteer services; making editorial changes; and making related repeals.
Subjects: Title 4 (Amusements); Title 35 (Health and Safety); Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 07/01/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 07/01/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HR391 (PN2351)
Sponsors: Cohen (D202); Melio (D141); Donatucci (D185); Freeman (D136); Caltagirone (D127) and others
Summary: A Resolution establishing and directing a select committee to examine matters relating to the shortage of health care professionals in this Commonwealth.
Subjects: Health And Human Services
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 07/01/2009 – House Health and Human Services Committee
History: 07/01/2009—H Referred to Health and Human Services.

Bill: HB1803 (PN2339)
Sponsors: Siproth (D189); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131); Brennan (D133); Caltagirone (D127) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, further providing for CPR instruction; providing for procedures regarding response to cardiac arrest, for donations for use related to CPR and automated external defibrillator instruction, for donations to school entities for use in CPR instruction and for a cardiovascular screening pilot program; repealing provisions relating to automated external defibrillation; and providing for availability of automated external defibrillator.
Subjects: Education
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 06/30/2009 – House Education Committee
History: 06/30/2009—H Referred to Education.

Bill: HB1789 (PN2320)
Sponsors: Solobay (D48); Everett (R84); Melio (D141); Adolph (R165); Bear (R97) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of July 9, 1990 (P.L.340, No.78), known as the Public Safety Emergency Telephone Act, further providing for definitions and for Wireless E-911 Emergency Services Fund; and imposing a prepaid wireless E-911 surcharge.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 06/29/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 06/29/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HB1790 (PN2321)
Sponsors: Solobay (D48); McGeehan (D173); Costa, D. (D21); Grucela (D137); Mann (D132) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of November 10, 1999 (P.L.491, No.45), known as the Pennsylvania Construction Code Act, providing for additional building requirements.
Subjects: Labor Relations

Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 06/29/2009 – House Labor Relations Committee
History: 06/29/2009—H Referred to Labor Relations.

Bill: HB1758 (PN2235)
Sponsors: Mann (D132); Gerber (D148); Adolph (R165); Barbin (D71); Belfanti (D107) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of June 24, 1976 (P.L.424, No.101), referred to as the Emergency and Law Enforcement Personnel Death Benefits Act, further providing for death benefit eligibility.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Related: 2009:SB498
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 06/22/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 06/22/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: SB975 (PN1189)
Sponsors: O'Pake (D11); Hughes (D7); Tartaglione (D2); Rafferty (R44); Fontana (D42) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for false alarms to agencies of public safety.
Subjects: Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses); Judiciary
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 06/22/2009 – Senate Judiciary Committee
History: 06/22/2009—S Referred to Judiciary.

Bill: HR209 (PN1959)
Sponsors: Solobay (D48); Barrar (R160); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131); Boback (R117) and others
Summary: A Resolution directing the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee to examine the equity of the current formula for funding volunteer firefighters' relief associations.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 06/18/2009 – Laid on table in House
History: 03/27/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.
06/01/2009—H Reported as amended.
06/18/2009—H Laid on the table.
Scheduled: 07/22/2009—House Tabled Bill Calendar, 11:00a, House Chamber, Main Capitol.

Bill: HB1727 (PN2191)
Sponsors: Phillips (R108); Fairchild (R85); Boyd (R43); Barrar (R160); Belfanti (D107) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of July 15, 1976 (P.L.1036, No.208), known as the Volunteer Fire Company, Ambulance Service and Rescue Squad Assistance Act, further providing for assistance to volunteer fire companies, ambulance service and rescue squads.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 06/17/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 06/17/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HB1667 (PN2108)
Sponsors: Hanna (D76); Baker, M. (R68); Brennan (D133); Carroll (D118); Costa, D. (D21) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of February 14, 2008 (P.L.6, No.3), known as the Right-to-Know Law, in procedure, further providing for exceptions for public records.
Subjects: State Government
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 06/12/2009 – House State Government Committee
History: 06/12/2009—H Referred to State Government.

Bill: SB914 (PN1100)
Sponsors: Erickson (R26); Eichelberger (R30); Stout (D46); Wozniak (D35)
Summary: An Act amending the act of June 2, 1915 (P.L.736, No.338), known as the Workers' Compensation Act, further providing for the definition of "employee" and for the definition of "volunteer emergency service provider."

Subjects: Labor And Industry
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 06/05/2009 – Senate Labor and Industry Committee
History: 06/05/2009—S Referred to Labor and Industry.

Bill: HB1591 (PN1972)
Sponsors: Baker, M. (R68); Smith, S. H. (R66); Major (R111); Saylor (R94); Casorio (D56) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of February 14, 2008 (P.L.6, No.3), known as the Right-to-Know Law, further providing for the definition of "local agency."
Subjects: State Government
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 06/02/2009 – House State Government Committee
History: 06/02/2009—H Referred to State Government.

Bill: SB706 (PN1037)
Sponsors: Kasunic (D32); Costa, J. (D43); Fontana (D42); Kitchen (D3); Logan (D45) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of May 15, 1939 (P.L.134, No.65), referred to as the Fireworks Law, further imposing restrictions on displays of fireworks.
Subjects: Consumer Protection And Professional Licensure
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 05/27/2009 – Senate Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure Committee
History: 05/27/2009—S Referred to Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

Bill: SB709 (PN1039)
Sponsors: Kasunic (D32); Costa, J. (D43); Farnese (D1); Fontana (D42); Greenleaf (R12) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for fees for background checks.
Subjects: Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses); Judiciary
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 05/27/2009 – Senate Judiciary Committee
History: 05/27/2009—S Referred to Judiciary.

Bill: HB1522 (PN1889)
Sponsors: Burns (D72); Brown (D190); Bradford (D70); Brennan (D133); Donatucci (D185) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, prohibiting the retail sale and distribution of novelty lighters; and imposing a penalty.
Subjects: Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses); Consumer Affairs
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 05/26/2009 – House Consumer Affairs Committee
History: 05/26/2009—H Referred to Consumer Affairs.

Bill: HB1492 (PN1856)
Sponsors: Creighton (R37)
Summary: An Act amending the act of November 10, 1999 (P.L.491, No.45), known as the Pennsylvania Construction Code Act, providing for applicability to structures housing bed and breakfasts.
Subjects: Labor Relations
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 05/13/2009 – House Labor Relations Committee
History: 05/13/2009—H Referred to Labor Relations.

Bill: HB1505 (PN1865)
Sponsors: Hutchinson (R64); Solobay (D48); Roae (R6); Bear (R97); Belfanti (D107) and others
Summary: An Act establishing a grant program for municipal fire and emergency services organizations; and providing for grant funding.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Related: 2009:HB497; 2009:SB694
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 05/13/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 05/13/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: SB855 (PN1020)
Sponsors: Farnese (D1); Hughes (D7); Fontana (D42); Folmer (R48); Orié (R40) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for nonmedical good Samaritan civil immunity.
Subjects: Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure); Judiciary
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 05/11/2009 – Senate Judiciary Committee
History: 05/11/2009—S Referred to Judiciary.

Bill: SR108 (PN951)
Sponsors: Baker, L. (R20); Waugh (R28); Orié (R40); Pileggi (R9); Rafferty (R44) and others
Summary: A Resolution designating the week of May 17 through 23, 2009, as "Emergency Medical Services Week" in Pennsylvania and designating May 20, 2009, as "Emergency Medical Services Day for Children" in Pennsylvania.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 05/06/2009 – Adopted in Senate
History: 04/30/2009—S Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.
05/05/2009—S Reported as committed.
05/06/2009—S Adopted.

Bill: SB822 (PN959)
Sponsors: Stack (D5); Williams, A. (D8); Kitchen (D3); Stout (D46); Tartaglione (D2) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, authorizing a first responders tax credit for purposes of personal income tax.
Subjects: Finance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 05/01/2009 – Senate Finance Committee
History: 05/01/2009—S Referred to Finance.

Bill: HR219 (PN1399)
Sponsors: Payne (R106); Adolph (R165); ARGALL; Baker, M. (R68); Barrar (R160) and others
Summary: A Resolution designating the week of May 17 through 23, 2009, as "Emergency Medical Services Week" in Pennsylvania; designating May 21, 2009, as "Emergency Medical Services Day" in Pennsylvania; designating May 22, 2009, as "Moment of Silence Day" in Pennsylvania; and designating May 23, 2009, as "Emergency Medical Services Personnel Day" in Pennsylvania.
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 04/28/2009 – House Rules Committee
History: 04/03/2009—H Introduced as Noncontroversial Resolution Under Rule 35.
04/28/2009—H Re-committed to Rules.

Bill: SB797 (PN915)
Sponsors: Boscola (D18); Logan (D45); Tartaglione (D2); Fontana (D42); Erickson (R26) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of June 2, 1915 (P.L.736, No.338), known as the Workers' Compensation Act, further defining "occupational disease"; and further providing for the scope of "injury," "personal injury" and "injury arising in the course of his employment."
Subjects: Labor And Industry
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 04/23/2009 – Senate Labor and Industry Committee
History: 04/23/2009—S Referred to Labor and Industry.

Bill: SB798 (PN916)
Sponsors: Boscola (D18); Logan (D45); Tartaglione (D2); Fontana (D42); Erickson (R26) and others
Summary: An Act establishing the Municipal Firefighter Education and Training Program; providing for the powers and duties of the State Fire Commissioner; and prescribing penalties.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 04/23/2009 – Senate Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 04/23/2009—S Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HB1329 (PN1589)
Sponsors: Hanna (D76); Brennan (D133); Caltagirone (D127); Hennessey (R26); Hornaman (D3) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of December 19, 1988 (P.L.1262, No.156), known as the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act, further providing for definitions and eligible organizations.
Subjects: Gaming Oversight
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 04/22/2009 – House Gaming Oversight Committee
History: 04/22/2009—H Referred to Gaming Oversight.

Bill: HB1301 (PN1556)
Sponsors: Solobay (D48); White, J. (D46); Baker, M. (R68); Belfanti (D107); Boyd (R43) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in registration of vehicles, providing for In the Line of Duty plate.
Subjects: Title 75 (Vehicles); Transportation
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 04/21/2009 – House Transportation Committee
History: 04/21/2009—H Referred to Transportation.

Bill: HB1246 (PN1479)
Sponsors: Harper (R61); Barrar (R160); Beyer (R131); Boyd (R43); Clymer (R145) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of June 24, 1976 (P.L.424, No.101), referred to as the Emergency and Law Enforcement Personnel Death Benefits Act, further providing for death benefit eligibility; and repealing certain provisions of the Municipal Police Pension Law and the Municipal Pension Plan Funding Standard and Recovery Act.
Subjects: Finance
Related: 2009:SB369
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 04/13/2009 – House Finance Committee
History: 04/13/2009—H Referred to Finance.

Bill: SB772 (PN869)
Sponsors: Baker, L. (R20); Waugh (R28); O'Pake (D11); Boscola (D18); Browne (R16) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, further providing for the amount of the Volunteer Responder Retention and Recruitment Tax Credit.
Subjects: Finance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 04/08/2009 – Senate Finance Committee
History: 04/08/2009—S Referred to Finance.

Bill: SB773 (PN870)
Sponsors: Baker, L. (R20); Waugh (R28); O'Pake (D11); Boscola (D18); Browne (R16) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, providing for a tax credit for employers of volunteer firefighters and emergency medical services workers.
Subjects: Finance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 04/08/2009 – Senate Finance Committee
History: 04/08/2009—S Referred to Finance.

Bill: SB774 (PN871)
Sponsors: Waugh (R28); Baker, L. (R20); O'Pake (D11); Alloway (R33); Browne (R16) and others
Summary: An Act providing for a Postsecondary Education Tuition Reimbursement Program for volunteer firefighters, fire police and emergency services personnel.
Subjects: Education
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 04/08/2009 – Senate Education Committee
History: 04/08/2009—S Referred to Education.

Bill: SB775 (PN872)
Sponsors: Waugh (R28); Baker, L. (R20); O'Pake (D11); Alloway (R33); Browne (R16) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of May 15, 1939 (P.L.134, No.65), referred to as the Fireworks Law, providing for a public safety fee.
Subjects: Consumer Protection And Professional Licensure
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 04/08/2009 – Senate Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure Committee
History: 04/08/2009—S Referred to Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

Bill: SB738 (PN833)
Sponsors: Greenleaf (R12); Musto (D14); Waugh (R28); Fontana (D42); Tartaglione (D2) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in operation of vehicles, further providing for drivers of emergency vehicles.
Subjects: Title 75 (Vehicles); Transportation
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 04/03/2009 – Senate Transportation Committee
History: 04/03/2009—S Referred to Transportation.

Bill: SB690 (PN820)
Sponsors: Rafferty (R44); Orié (R40); Baker, L. (R20); Waugh (R28); Musto (D14) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 4 (Amusements) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in revenues, further providing for transfers from State Gaming Fund; and establishing the Pennsylvania Volunteer Fire and Emergency Services Retention Program Fund.
Subjects: Title 4 (Amusements); Community, Economic And Recreational Development
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 04/02/2009 – Senate Community, Economic and Recreational Development Committee
History: 04/02/2009—S Referred to Community, Economic and Recreational Development.

Bill: SB720 (PN810)
Sponsors: Gordner (R27); Alloway (R33); Boscola (D18); Costa, J. (D43); Earll (R49) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of December 20, 2001 (P.L.969, No.116), known as the Dormitory Sprinkler System Act, further providing for the sprinkler system program.
Subjects: Education
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 04/01/2009 – Senate Education Committee
History: 04/01/2009—S Referred to Education.

Bill: HB1142 (PN1354)
Sponsors: Solobay (D48); Barrar (R160); Belfanti (D107); Boyd (R43); Brennan (D133) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of July 31, 2003 (P.L.73, No.17), known as the Volunteer Fire Company and Volunteer Ambulance Service Grant Act, expanding the scope of the grant program; further providing for definitions, for the Volunteer Fire Company Grant Program, for the Volunteer Ambulance Service Grant Program and for allocation of appropriated funds; and repealing provisions relating to expiration of authority.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/27/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 03/27/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HB1143 (PN1355)
Sponsors: Solobay (D48); Barrar (R160); Belfanti (D107); Boyd (R43); Brennan (D133) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176), known as The Fiscal Code, further providing for the State Gaming Fund.
Subjects: Gaming Oversight
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/27/2009 – House Gaming Oversight Committee
History: 03/27/2009—H Referred to Gaming Oversight.

Bill: SB694 (PN773)
Sponsors: Waugh (R28); Boscola (D18); Alloway (R33); Baker, L. (R20); Browne (R16) and others
Summary: An Act establishing a grant program for municipal fire and emergency services organizations; and providing for grant funding.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Related: 2009:HB497; 2009:HB1505
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/27/2009 – Senate Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 03/27/2009—S Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HB1039 (PN1210)
Sponsors: Moul (R91); Costa, D. (D21); Creighton (R37); Dally (R138); Farry (R142) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of February 1, 1974 (P.L.34, No.15), known as the Pennsylvania Municipal Retirement Law, further providing for disability retirement of police officers.
Subjects: Finance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/23/2009 – House Finance Committee
History: 03/23/2009—H Referred to Finance.

Bill: HB1047 (PN1218)
Sponsors: Saylor (R94); Beyer (R131); Boyd (R43); Costa, D. (D21); Creighton (R37) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for penalties for injuring or tampering with fire apparatus, hydrants, etc., and for unauthorized use or opening of fire hydrants.
Subjects: Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses); Judiciary
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/23/2009 – House Judiciary Committee
History: 03/23/2009—H Referred to Judiciary.

Bill: HB1052 (PN1222)
Sponsors: Costa, D. (D21); Matzie (D16); DeLuca (D32); Deasy (D27); Thomas (D181) and others
Summary: An Act designating September 11 of each year as "Pennsylvania Emergency Responders' Day."
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/23/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 03/23/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: SB679 (PN742)
Sponsors: Wonderling (R24); Robbins (R50); Stout (D46); Tomlinson (R6); Orié (R40) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of December 3, 1959 (P.L.1688, No.621), known as the Housing Finance Agency Law, establishing the Firefighter Mortgage Assistance Program.
Subjects: Urban Affairs And Housing
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/23/2009 – Senate Urban Affairs and Housing Committee
History: 03/23/2009—S Referred to Urban Affairs and Housing.

Bill: SB682 (PN745)
Sponsors: Wonderling (R24); Orié (R40); Logan (D45); Kasunic (D32); Boscola (D18) and others
Summary: An Act requiring insurers that approve claims for emergency services to directly reimburse organizations that provide such services.
Subjects: Banking And Insurance
Related: 2009:HB160
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/23/2009 – Senate Banking and Insurance Committee
History: 03/23/2009—S Referred to Banking and Insurance.

Bill: SB658 (PN722)
Sponsors: Logan (D45); Tartaglione (D2); Kitchen (D3); Boscola (D18); Fontana (D42) and others

Summary: An Act requiring certain departments and institutions of the Commonwealth to establish fire response plans and conduct fire drills.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/20/2009 – Senate Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 03/20/2009—S Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: SB659 (PN723)
Sponsors: Logan (D45); Tartaglione (D2); Kitchen (D3); Fontana (D42); Stack (D5) and others
Summary: An Act requiring certain departments and facilities of the Commonwealth to provide 911 emergency service and make certain reports.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/20/2009 – Senate Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 03/20/2009—S Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: SB660 (PN724)
Sponsors: Logan (D45); Tartaglione (D2); Kitchen (D3); Boscola (D18); Fontana (D42) and others
Summary: An Act requiring certain departments and institutions of the Commonwealth to compile and disseminate reports on their records for fire safety.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/20/2009 – Senate Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 03/20/2009—S Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HB1003 (PN1165)
Sponsors: Saylor (R94); Benninghoff (R171); Beyer (R131); Evans, J. (R5); Everett (R84) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of July 10, 1981 (P.L.214, No.67), entitled "An act relating to the lawful conduct of bingo, prescribing penalties and making a repeal," further defining "bona fide member"; and further providing for rules for licensing and operation.
Subjects: Gaming Oversight
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/19/2009 – House Gaming Oversight Committee
History: 03/19/2009—H Referred to Gaming Oversight.

Bill: HB998 (PN1147)
Sponsors: Boyd (R43); Beyer (R131); Brooks (R17); Caltagirone (D127); Clymer (R145) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of November 13, 1995 (P.L.604, No.61), known as the State Fire Commissioner Act, further providing for Pennsylvania State Fire Academy.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/18/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 03/18/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HB999 (PN1148)
Sponsors: Boyd (R43); Baker, M. (R68); Bear (R97); Beyer (R131); Caltagirone (D127) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for vehicles exempt from registration.
Subjects: Title 75 (Vehicles); Transportation
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/18/2009 – House Transportation Committee
History: 03/18/2009—H Referred to Transportation.

Bill: HB946 (PN1084)
Sponsors: Yudichak (D119); Brennan (D133); Fleck (R81); Gibbons (D10); Grucela (D137) and others
Summary: An Act establishing a grant program for shared municipal services; conferring powers and duties upon the Department of Community and Economic Development; and making an appropriation.
Subjects: Commerce
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee

Status: 03/17/2009 – House Commerce Committee
History: 03/17/2009—H Referred to Commerce.

Bill: HB899 (PN1018)
Sponsors: Denlinger (R99); Belfanti (D107); Boyd (R43); Causer (R67); Clymer (R145) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of May 17, 1921 (P.L.682, No.284), known as The Insurance Company Law of 1921, further providing for prompt payment to health care providers of clean claims.
Subjects: Insurance
Related: 2009:HB1199
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/12/2009 – House Insurance Committee
History: 03/12/2009—H Referred to Insurance.

Bill: SB597 (PN647)
Sponsors: Dinniman (D19); Boscola (D18); Rafferty (R44); Ferlo (D38); Fontana (D42) and others
Summary: An Act providing for municipal volunteer emergency responder incentives.
Subjects: Finance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/12/2009 – Senate Finance Committee
History: 03/12/2009—S Referred to Finance.

Bill: HB876 (PN989)
Sponsors: Cutler (R100); Boyd (R43); Causer (R67); Denlinger (R99); Freeman (D136) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for visual signals and revolving blue lights.
Subjects: Title 75 (Vehicles); Transportation
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/11/2009 – House Transportation Committee
History: 03/11/2009—H Referred to Transportation.

Bill: HB758 (PN848)
Sponsors: Petri (R178); Caltagirone (D127); Creighton (R37); Geist (R79); Hennessey (R26) and others
Summary: An Act establishing an emergency uniform numbering system for public schools.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/06/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 03/06/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HB764 (PN854)
Sponsors: Petri (R178); Beyer (R131); Clymer (R145); O'Brien, M. (D175); O'Neill (R29) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, further providing for special occasion permits.
Subjects: Liquor Control
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/06/2009 – House Liquor Control Committee
History: 03/06/2009—H Referred to Liquor Control.

Bill: HB766 (PN856)
Sponsors: Petri (R178); Beyer (R131); Caltagirone (D127); Clymer (R145); O'Brien, M. (D175) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, providing for reporting requirements.
Subjects: Liquor Control
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/06/2009 – House Liquor Control Committee
History: 03/06/2009—H Referred to Liquor Control.

Bill: SB578 (PN608)
Sponsors: Piccola (R15); Rafferty (R44); Orié (R40); Brubaker (R36); Erickson (R26) and others

Summary: An Act amending Title 4 (Amusements) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in gaming, further providing for legislative intent; further defining "bureau"; defining "division"; further providing for Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board, for applicability of other statutes, for general and specific powers and for code of conduct; repealing provisions relating to licensed gaming entity application appeals from board; further providing for license or permit application hearing process, for board minutes and records, for regulatory authority of board, for collection of fees and fines, for slot machine license fee and for license or permit prohibition; providing for license disqualification criteria; further providing for slot machine license application, for slot machine license application character requirements, for additional slot machine license requirements, for licensing of principals and for licensing of key employees; repealing provisions relating to alternative Category 1 licensing standards; further providing for occupation permit application; repealing provisions relating to alternative manufacturer licensing standards; further providing for slot machine accounting controls and audits, for license renewals, for duty of licensees, key employees and gaming employees, for gross terminal revenue deductions and for itemized budget reporting; repealing provisions relating to investigations and enforcement; establishing and providing for the powers and duties of the Division of Gaming Enforcement; providing for criminal investigations and proceedings, for inspection, seizure and warrants and for information sharing and enforcement referral; further providing for prohibited acts and penalties and for duty to provide certain information; and repealing provisions relating to exclusive jurisdiction of Supreme Court.

Subjects: Title 4 (Amusements); Community, Economic And Recreational Development
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/06/2009 – Senate Community, Economic and Recreational Development Committee
History: 03/06/2009—S Referred to Community, Economic and Recreational Development.

Bill: HB725 (PN811)
Sponsors: Watson (R144); Fairchild (R85); Melio (D141); Murt (R152); Rohrer (R128) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of July 3, 1985 (P.L.164, No.45), known as the Emergency Medical Services Act, further providing for the definition of "emergency medical services"; and providing for the definition of "emergency medical services agency."

Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/05/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 03/05/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: SB77 (PN586)
Sponsors: Greenleaf (R12); Fontana (D42); Erickson (R26); Stout (D46); Tomlinson (R6) and others
Summary: An Act establishing a tuition credit program for certain members of volunteer fire companies, volunteer ambulance services and volunteer rescue squads and their dependent children and spouses.

Subjects: Education
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/05/2009 – Senate Education Committee
History: 03/05/2009—S Referred to Education.

Bill: SB78 (PN587)
Sponsors: Greenleaf (R12); Tartaglione (D2); Fontana (D42); Erickson (R26); Stout (D46) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of December 16, 1998 (P.L.980, No.129), known as the Police Officer, Firefighter, Correction Employee and National Guard Member Child Beneficiary Education Act, extending benefits to certain surviving spouses; further providing for title of act, for short title, for definitions, for Postsecondary Educational Gratuity Program, for report to General Assembly and for retroactivity.

Subjects: Education
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/05/2009 – Senate Education Committee
History: 03/05/2009—S Referred to Education.

Bill: SB79 (PN588)
Sponsors: Greenleaf (R12); Erickson (R26); Stout (D46); Tomlinson (R6); Pippy (R37) and others
Summary: An Act establishing the Volunteer Emergency Service Personnel Educational Assistance and Loan Forgiveness Program.

Subjects: Education
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/05/2009 – Senate Education Committee

History: 03/05/2009—S Referred to Education.

Bill: HB682 (PN755)
Sponsors: Swanger (R102); Adolph (R165); Argall (R29); Baker, M. (R68); Bear (R97) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, excluding the sale of tangible personal property by volunteer fire companies from the sales and use tax.
Subjects: Finance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/03/2009 – House Finance Committee
History: 03/03/2009—H Referred to Finance.

Bill: SB498 (PN505)
Sponsors: Stack (D5); Hughes (D7); Fontana (D42); Boscola (D18); O'Pake (D11) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of June 24, 1976 (P.L.424, No.101), referred to as the Emergency and Law Enforcement Personnel Death Benefits Act, further providing for death benefit eligibility.
Subjects: Labor And Industry
Related: 2009:HB1758
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 03/02/2009 – Senate Labor and Industry Committee
History: 03/02/2009—S Referred to Labor and Industry.

Bill: HB656 (PN718)
Sponsors: Dally (R138); Beyer (R131); Boyd (R43); Brennan (D133); Clymer (R145) and others
Summary: An Act providing for certain emergency services reimbursements.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/27/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 02/27/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HB662 (PN724)
Sponsors: Sonney (R4); Beyer (R131); Brennan (D133); DeLuca (D32); Evans, J. (R5) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of December 19, 1988 (P.L.1262, No.156), known as the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act, further providing for licensing of eligible organizations to conduct games of chance.
Subjects: Gaming Oversight
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/27/2009 – House Gaming Oversight Committee
History: 02/27/2009—H Referred to Gaming Oversight.

Bill: HB622 (PN681)
Sponsors: Pallone (D54); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131); Brennan (D133); Caltagirone (D127) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of December 19, 1988 (P.L.1262, No.156), known as the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act, further providing for legislative intent and for the definition of "license"; providing for poker tournaments; further providing for licensing of eligible organizations to conduct games of chance, for revocation of licenses, for local option, for advertising, for certain persons prohibited from having an interest in poker tournaments and for penalties; and making editorial changes.
Subjects: Gaming Oversight
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/26/2009 – House Gaming Oversight Committee
History: 02/26/2009—H Referred to Gaming Oversight.

Bill: HB628 (PN687)
Sponsors: Mensch (R147); Adolph (R165); Argall (R29); Baker, M. (R68); Barrar (R160) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, further providing for taxpayer eligibility; and making a related repeal.
Subjects: Finance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/26/2009 – House Finance Committee
History: 02/26/2009—H Referred to Finance.

Bill: HB634 (PN693)
Sponsors: Watson (R144); Melio (D141); Petri (R178); O'Neill (R29); DeLuca (D32) and others
Summary: An Act establishing the Volunteer First Responder Loan Forgiveness Program; and providing for the powers and duties of the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency, the State Fire Commissioner and the Director of the Emergency Medical Services Office in the Department of Health.
Subjects: Education
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/26/2009 – House Education Committee
History: 02/26/2009—H Referred to Education.

Bill: HB615 (PN671)
Sponsors: Boyd (R43); Belfanti (D107); Benninghoff (R171); Caltagirone (D127); Causer (R67) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, further defining "installment sales method of reporting" for purposes of the personal income tax; and providing for exclusion of fire departments from requirements to pay realty transfer tax.
Subjects: Finance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/24/2009 – House Finance Committee
History: 02/24/2009—H Referred to Finance.

Bill: HB550 (PN599)
Sponsors: Payne (R106); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131); Boyd (R43); Fleck (R81) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for arson endangering property.
Subjects: Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses); Judiciary
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/23/2009 – House Judiciary Committee
History: 02/23/2009—H Referred to Judiciary.

Bill: SB291 (PN292)
Sponsors: Erickson (R26); Vance (R87); White, M. (R21); Rafferty (R44); Washington (D4) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of November 29, 1990 (P.L.585, No.148), known as the Confidentiality of HIV-Related Information Act, further providing for legislative intent, for consent to HIV-related tests and for counseling.
Subjects: Public Health And Welfare
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/20/2009 – Senate Public Health and Welfare Committee
History: 02/20/2009—S Referred to Public Health and Welfare.

Bill: SB343 (PN341)
Sponsors: Greenleaf (R12); Stout (D46); Kitchen (D3); Orié (R40); Alloway (R33) and others
Summary: An Act providing for the prevention, detection, treatment and follow-up of cases of hepatitis B among State and local law enforcement officers, firefighters, paramedics, emergency medical technicians, ambulance attendants, first responders and health professionals.
Subjects: Public Health And Welfare
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/20/2009 – Senate Public Health and Welfare Committee
History: 02/20/2009—S Referred to Public Health and Welfare.

Bill: SB344 (PN342)
Sponsors: Greenleaf (R12); Musto (D14); Washington (D4); O'Pake (D11); Stout (D46) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in accidents and accident reports, further establishing a duty to stop vehicles at accident scenes; providing an exception from the duty for emergency vehicles; and prescribing a penalty.
Subjects: Title 75 (Vehicles); Transportation
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/20/2009 – Senate Transportation Committee
History: 02/20/2009—S Referred to Transportation.

Bill: SB353 (PN351)
Sponsors: Greenleaf (R12); Kitchen (D3); Tartaglione (D2); Washington (D4); Tomlinson (R6) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of December 19, 1990 (P.L.1200, No.202), known as the Solicitation of Funds for Charitable Purposes Act, further providing for exemptions from registration of charitable organizations.
Subjects: State Government
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/20/2009 – Senate State Government Committee
History: 02/20/2009—S Referred to State Government.

Bill: HB532 (PN582)
Sponsors: Cruz (D180); Youngblood (D198); O'Brien, M. (D175); Siproth (D189); McGeehan (D173) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in miscellaneous offenses, providing for the offense of wireless communications device use while dispensing liquid fuel.
Subjects: Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses); Judiciary
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/19/2009 – House Judiciary Committee
History: 02/19/2009—H Referred to Judiciary.

Bill: HB538 (PN587)
Sponsors: Shapiro (D153); Boback (R117); Bradford (D70); Brennan (D133); Briggs (D149) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in general provisions, further providing for definitions; and, in rules of the road in general, prohibiting interactive wireless communications devices.
Subjects: Title 75 (Vehicles); Transportation
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/19/2009 – House Transportation Committee
History: 02/19/2009—H Referred to Transportation.

Bill: SB245 (PN249)
Sponsors: Gordner (R27); Baker, L. (R20); O'Pake (D11); Pileggi (R9); Wonderling (R24) and others
Summary: 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 exclusions.
Subjects: Finance
Related: 2009:HB599
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/19/2009 – Senate Finance Committee
History: 02/19/2009—S Referred to Finance.

Bill: SB270 (PN274)
Sponsors: Costa, J. (D43); Orié (R40); Stout (D46); Fontana (D42); Tartaglione (D2) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of May 25, 1933 (P.L.1050, No.242), referred to as the Second Class City Firemen Relief Law, further providing for requirements of membership, for married persons and pensions to surviving spouses and for eligibility of surviving spouses; and making editorial changes.
Subjects: Finance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/19/2009 – Senate Finance Committee
History: 02/19/2009—S Referred to Finance.

Bill: SB271 (PN275)
Sponsors: Costa, J. (D43); Orié (R40); Stout (D46); Fontana (D42); Tartaglione (D2) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of May 28, 1915 (P.L.596, No.259), referred to as the Second Class City Employe Pension Law, further providing for pensions for surviving spouses.
Subjects: Finance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/19/2009 – Senate Finance Committee
History: 02/19/2009—S Referred to Finance.

Bill: HB469 (PN521)
Sponsors: Hanna (D76); Brennan (D133); Carroll (D118); Causer (R67); Creighton (R37) and others
Summary: An Act providing for reimbursement to certain emergency services providers of the cost of responding to a request for emergency services on certain State-owned lands.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/18/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 02/18/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HB492 (PN544)
Sponsors: Smith, K. (D112); Belfanti (D107); Brennan (D133); Buxton (D103); Caltagirone (D127) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, providing for measures to detect and track potential and existing public health emergencies, for declaring state of public health emergency, for control of property and persons during state of public health emergency and for public information regarding and planning for public health emergencies; and establishing the Public Health Emergency Planning Commission.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/18/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 02/18/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HB497 (PN549)
Sponsors: Sturla (D96); Solobay (D48); Melio (D141); DeWeese (D50); Beyer (R131) and others
Summary: An Act establishing a grant program for municipal fire and emergency services organizations; and providing for grant funding.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Related: 2009:SB694; 2009:HB1505
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/18/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 02/18/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HB380 (PN431)
Sponsors: Baker, M. (R68); Pickett (R110); Hutchinson (R64); Barrar (R160); Beyer (R131) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, authorizing a tax credit for a member of a volunteer emergency service organization who purchases fire equipment with personal income.
Subjects: Finance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/13/2009 – House Finance Committee
History: 02/13/2009—H Referred to Finance.

Bill: HB436 (PN480)
Sponsors: Petri (R178); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131); Denlinger (R99); Geist (R79) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of December 19, 1990 (P.L.1200, No.202), known as the Solicitation of Funds for Charitable Purposes Act, defining "youth athletic organization"; and providing for exemptions.
Subjects: Finance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/13/2009 – House Finance Committee
History: 02/13/2009—H Referred to Finance.

Bill: HB325 (PN357)
Sponsors: Miller (R93); Baker, M. (R68); Boyd (R43); Caltagirone (D127); Carroll (D118) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, further providing for exclusions from sales tax and for exemption certificates.
Subjects: Finance
Related: 2009:SB639
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/10/2009 – House Finance Committee
History: 02/10/2009—H Referred to Finance.

Bill: HB327 (PN359)
Sponsors: Miller (R93); Beyer (R131); Caltagirone (D127); Causer (R67); Gingrich (R101) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of December 19, 1988 (P.L.1262, No.156), known as the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act, further providing for the definition of "games of chance"; and providing for the definition of "vertical wheel game."
Subjects: Gaming Oversight
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/10/2009 – House Gaming Oversight Committee
History: 02/10/2009—H Referred to Gaming Oversight.

Bill: HB257 (PN277)
Sponsors: Haluska (D73); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131); Boyd (R43); Buxton (D103) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of December 29, 1972 (P.L.1701, No.364), known as the Health Maintenance Organization Act, providing for submittal of claims for payment.
Subjects: Insurance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/05/2009 – House Insurance Committee
History: 02/05/2009—H Referred to Insurance.

Bill: HB234 (PN244)
Sponsors: Pickett (R110); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131); Caltagirone (D127); Fabrizio (D2) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in local organizations and services, further providing for local coordinator of emergency management.
Subjects: Title 35 (Health and Safety); Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/04/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 02/04/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HB243 (PN253)
Sponsors: McCall (D122); Barbin (D71); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131); Brennan (D133) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of December 19, 1988 (P.L.1262, No.156), known as the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act, providing for Texas Hold'em tournaments.
Subjects: Gaming Oversight
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/04/2009 – House Gaming Oversight Committee
History: 02/04/2009—H Referred to Gaming Oversight.

Bill: HB251 (PN261)
Sponsors: Pickett (R110); Turzai (R28); Baker, M. (R68); Bear (R97); Belfanti (D107) and others
Summary: 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 exemption certificates.
Subjects: Finance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/04/2009 – House Finance Committee
History: 02/04/2009—H Referred to Finance.

Bill: HB177 (PN176)
Sponsors: Moul (R91); Argall (R29); Barrar (R160); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, further providing for firefighter and emergency service training.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/02/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 02/02/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HB178 (PN177)
Sponsors: Moul (R91); Beyer (R131); Boyd (R43); Creighton (R37); DePasquale (D95) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of December 19, 1990 (P.L.1200, No.202), known as the Solicitation of Funds

for Charitable Purposes Act, further providing for exemptions from registration.

Subjects: Finance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 02/02/2009 – House Finance Committee
History: 02/02/2009—H Referred to Finance.

Bill: HB118 (PN114)
Sponsors: Marsico (R105); Perry (R92); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131); Brennan (D133) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of December 19, 1988 (P.L.1262, No.156), known as the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act, further providing for definitions, for prize limits, for insured games, for limited sales, for recordkeeping, for eligible organizations' use of locations for conducting small games of chance, for separate individual prize limitations, for enforcement and for advertising.
Subjects: Gaming Oversight
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 01/30/2009 – House Gaming Oversight Committee
History: 01/30/2009—H Referred to Gaming Oversight.

Bill: HB145 (PN141)
Sponsors: Solobay (D48); Baker, M. (R68); Barrar (R160); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing, in provisions relating to the Governor and disaster emergencies, for general authority of Governor.
Subjects: Title 35 (Health and Safety); Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 01/30/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 01/30/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HB150 (PN146)
Sponsors: Solobay (D48); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131); Brennan (D133); Caltagirone (D127) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 71 (State Government) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, defining "Commonwealth firefighter or firefighter instructor"; and further defining "superannuation age."
Subjects: Title 71 (State Government); Finance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 01/30/2009 – House Finance Committee
History: 01/30/2009—H Referred to Finance.

Bill: HB151 (PN147)
Sponsors: Solobay (D48); Barrar (R160); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131); Boyd (R43) and others
Summary: An Act amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for the definition of "emergency vehicle."
Subjects: Title 75 (Vehicles); Transportation
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 01/30/2009 – House Transportation Committee
History: 01/30/2009—H Referred to Transportation.

Bill: HB158 (PN154)
Sponsors: Solobay (D48); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131); Brennan (D133); Caltagirone (D127) and others
Summary: An Act requiring the Department of Health to establish bloodborne pathogen standards for emergency services personnel and public employees; establishing the Bloodborne Pathogen Fund; and repealing an act relating to bloodborne pathogen standards.
Subjects: Health And Human Services
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 01/30/2009 – House Health and Human Services Committee
History: 01/30/2009—H Referred to Health and Human Services.

Bill: HB160 (PN156)
Sponsors: Solobay (D48); Beyer (R131); Boyd (R43); Brennan (D133); Buxton (D103) and others
Summary: An Act requiring insurers that approve claims for emergency services to directly reimburse organizations that provide such services.

Subjects: Insurance
Related: 2009:SB682
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 01/30/2009 – House Insurance Committee
History: 01/30/2009—H Referred to Insurance.

Bill: HB163 (PN159)
Sponsors: Solobay (D48); Belfanti (D107); Caltagirone (D127); Carroll (D118); Geist (R79) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of June 23, 1931 (P.L.932, No.317), known as The Third Class City Code, further providing for tax levies.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 01/30/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 01/30/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: SB121 (PN94)
Sponsors: Musto (D14); Fontana (D42); Tartaglione (D2); Rafferty (R44); Logan (D45) and others
Summary: An Act providing for flammability and labeling standards for certain upholstered furniture, mattresses, box springs and other bedding products, for duties of the Department of Labor and Industry and for enforcement.
Subjects: Labor And Industry
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 01/30/2009 – Senate Labor and Industry Committee
History: 01/30/2009—S Referred to Labor and Industry.

Bill: SB129 (PN102)
Sponsors: Erickson (R26); Robbins (R50); Musto (D14); Tartaglione (D2); Fontana (D42) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of June 24, 1976 (P.L.424, No.101), referred to as the Emergency and Law Enforcement Personnel Death Benefits Act, further providing for eligibility for benefits for members of certain ambulance services or rescue squads.
Subjects: Labor And Industry
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 01/30/2009 – Senate Labor and Industry Committee
History: 01/30/2009—S Referred to Labor and Industry.

Bill: SB158 (PN128)
Sponsors: Tomlinson (R6); Wonderling (R24); Gordner (R27); Greenleaf (R12); Baker, L. (R20) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of May 17, 1921 (P.L.682, No.284), known as The Insurance Company Law of 1921, providing for joint payment for emergency service organization.
Subjects: Banking And Insurance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 01/30/2009 – Senate Banking and Insurance Committee
History: 01/30/2009—S Referred to Banking and Insurance.

Bill: HB86 (PN78)
Sponsors: Fairchild (R85); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131); Boyd (R43); Clymer (R145) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of December 7, 1990 (P.L.639, No.165), known as the Hazardous Material Emergency Planning and Response Act, further providing for certified hazardous material response teams.
Subjects: Veterans Affairs And Emergency Preparedness
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 01/28/2009 – House Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness Committee
History: 01/28/2009—H Referred to Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness.

Bill: HB91 (PN83)
Sponsors: Conklin (D77); Mann (D132); Casorio (D56); Walko (D20); Kortz (D38) and others
Summary: An Act amending the act of December 19, 1988 (P.L.1262, No.156), known as the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act, further providing for definitions, for prize limits and for special permits relating to card game contests.

Subjects: Gaming Oversight
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 01/28/2009 – House Gaming Oversight Committee
History: 01/28/2009—H Referred to Gaming Oversight.

Bill: HB103 (PN96)
Sponsors: O'Brien, D. (R169); Adolph (R165); Barrar (R160); Brennan (D133); Cohen (D202) and others
Summary: An Act prohibiting any municipal pension or retirement system in a city of the first or second class from denying certain benefits to surviving spouses of firefighters or certain employees upon a subsequent remarriage of the surviving spouse; and making related repeals.
Subjects: Finance
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 01/28/2009 – House Finance Committee
History: 01/28/2009—H Referred to Finance.

Bill: SB24 (PN8)
Sponsors: Kitchen (D3); Fontana (D42); Washington (D4); Rafferty (R44); Kasunic (D32) and others
Summary: An Act providing for requirements relating to portable fire extinguishers and for enforcement and penalties.
Subjects: Urban Affairs And Housing
Progress: 1stH: Referred to Committee
Status: 01/20/2009 – Senate Urban Affairs and Housing Committee
History: 01/20/2009—S Referred to Urban Affairs and Housing.

Bill: HR358 (PN2164)
Sponsors: Solobay (D48); Baker, M. (R68); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131); Brennan (D133) and others
Summary: A Resolution designating the week of June 14 through 20, 2009, as "Fire/Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Safety, Health and Survival Week" in Pennsylvania, encouraging Pennsylvania Fire and EMS departments to participate in the event and calling for renewed efforts to reduce firefighter and EMS provider fatalities and injuries and to establish safety as a priority for fire service and EMS programs in this Commonwealth.
Progress: Introduced
Status: 06/16/2009 – Adopted in House
History: 06/16/2009—H Introduced as Noncontroversial Resolution Under Rule 35. H Adopted (195-0).

Bill: HR167 (PN1120)
Sponsors: Payne (R106); Adolph (R165); Baker, M. (R68); Barrar (R160); Belfanti (D107) and others
Summary: A Resolution designating May 23, 2009, as the "Twelfth Annual National Moment of Silence Day" in Pennsylvania and urging emergency medical service providers and agencies throughout this Commonwealth to observe a special moment of silence in honor of those emergency medical service personnel who have died in the line of duty.
Progress: Introduced
Status: 05/12/2009 – Adopted in House
History: 03/18/2009—H Introduced as Noncontroversial Resolution Under Rule 35.
05/12/2009—H Adopted (194-0).

Bill: HR281 (PN1708)
Sponsors: Payne (R106); Adolph (R165); Baker, M. (R68); Barrar (R160); Bear (R97) and others
Summary: A Resolution designating the week of May 17 through 23, 2009, as "Emergency Medical Services Week" in Pennsylvania; designating May 21, 2009, as "Emergency Medical Services Day" in Pennsylvania; designating May 22, 2009, as "Emergency Medical Services Personnel Day" in Pennsylvania; and designating May 23, 2009, as "Moment of Silence Day" in Pennsylvania.
Progress: Introduced
Status: 05/12/2009 – Adopted in House
History: 04/30/2009—H Introduced as Noncontroversial Resolution Under Rule 35.
05/12/2009—H Adopted (194-0).

Bill: HR112 (PN782)
Sponsors: Solobay (D48); Baker, M. (R68); Belfanti (D107); Beyer (R131); Boback (R117) and others

Summary: A Resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to recognize the dedication and sacrifice of firefighters by establishing a National Firefighters' Day.

Progress: Introduced

Status: 03/10/2009 – Adopted in House

History: 03/04/2009—H Introduced as Noncontroversial Resolution Under Rule 35.
03/10/2009—H Adopted (192-0).