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**Pennsylvania Golf Course Owners Association**

**BILL REPORT** \*Please note that the bills with  next to them have received legislative action within the past 60 days\*


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HB 75      Godshall, Robert (R)      Amends the Public School Code, in terms & courses of study, further providing for dates and times of school terms, sessions and commencements.

**Companions:** HCO 118      Godshall, Robert (M)  
12-14-12 H Filed

**Bill History:** 01-22-13 H Rereferred to House Tourism and Recreational Development

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 HB 76      Cox, Jim (R)      Act providing for tax levies and information related to taxes; authorizing the imposition of a personal income tax or an earned income tax by a school district subject to voter approval; & repealing certain provisions of the Public School Code.

**Companions:** HCO 615      Cox, Jim (M)  
1-11-13 H Filed  
SB 76      Argall, David (Identical)  
10-15-13 S Public hearing held in committee Senate Finance

**Bill History:** 10-15-13 H Public hearing held in committee Senate Finance

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HB 100      Vitali, Greg (D)      Amends the Alternative Energy Portfolio Standards Act further providing for alternative energy portfolio standards and for portfolio requirements in other states.


**Companions:** HCO 171      Vitali, Greg (M)  
12-19-12 H Filed

**Bill History:** 02-25-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House

HB 102 O'Brien, Michael (D) Amends the Liquor Code further providing for enforcement.

**Companions:** HB 1519 O'Brien, Michael (Refiled from 11R Session)  
HCO 281 O'Brien, Michael (M)  
12-28-12 H Filed

**Bill History:** 01-14-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Liquor Control

 HB 125 Maloney, David (R) Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, further providing for exemptions and special provisions.

**Companions:** HB 2300 Maloney, David (Refiled from 11R Session)  
HB 221 DeLuca, Anthony (Related)  
1-22-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Local Government  
HCO 88 Maloney, David (M)  
12-13-12 H Filed  
SB 845 Browne, Patrick (Identical)  
4-11-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance  
SB 916 Tomlinson, Robert (Related)  
5- 6-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance

**Bill History:** 10-21-13 S Received in the Senate and referred to Senate Finance

HB 154 Petri, Scott (R) Act providing for acquisition of property by local government units to mitigate flood hazards.

**Companions:** HCO 825 Petri, Scott (M)  
1-17-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 01-17-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Environmental Resources and Energy

HB 208 Godshall, Robert (R) Amends Title 66 (Public Utilities), in restructuring of electric utility industry, further providing for additional alternative energy sources.

**Companions:** HCO 386 Godshall, Robert (M)  
1- 3-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 01-22-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Consumer Affairs

HB 235 DeLuca, Anthony (D) Amends Title 18 (Crimes) imposing penalties on employers who engage in the unlawful employment of aliens.

**Companions:** HCO 29 DeLuca, Anthony (M)  
12-11-12 H Filed

**Bill History:** 01-22-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Judiciary

HB 301	Saylor, Stanley (R)	Amends the Tax Reform Code providing for a natural gas fleet vehicle tax credit; and imposing penalties.
<b>Companions:</b> HB 1083 Saylor, Stanley (Refiled from 11R Session) HCO 937 Saylor, Stanley (M) 1-23-13 H Filed		
<b>Bill History:</b> 04-24-13 S Received in the Senate and referred to Senate Finance		
HB 305	Denlinger, Gordon (R)	Amending the Tax Reform Code providing for a natural gas corridor tax credit.
<b>Companions:</b> HB 1087 Denlinger, Gordon (Refiled from 11R Session) HCO 937 Saylor, Stanley (M) 1-23-13 H Filed		
<b>Bill History:</b> 04-24-13 S Received in the Senate and referred to Senate Finance		
A HB 306	Pickett, Tina (R)	Amends the Alternative Fuels Incentive Act providing for keystone fuel incentives; & making editorial changes.
<b>Companions:</b> HB 1088 Pickett, Tina (Refiled from 11R Session) HCO 937 Saylor, Stanley (M) 1-23-13 H Filed		
<b>Bill History:</b> 11-12-13 H Set on the House Calendar		
HB 307	Evankovich, Eli (R)	Amends the Air Pollution Control Act providing for the Clean Vehicles Program.
<b>Companions:</b> HCO 937 Saylor, Stanley (M) 1-23-13 H Filed		
<b>Bill History:</b> 04-26-13 S Received in the Senate and referred to Senate Environmental Resources and Energy		
A HB 308	Saylor, Stanley (R)	Amends the Air Pollution Control Act further providing for defs. & for disposition of fees, fines & civil penalties; establishing the Keystone Vehicle Program; & making editorial changes.
<b>Companions:</b> HB 2251 Saylor, Stanley (Refiled from 11R Session) HCO 937 Saylor, Stanley (M) 1-23-13 H Filed		
<b>Bill History:</b> 11-12-13 H Set on the House Calendar		
HB 309	Grove, Seth (R)	Amends the Tax Reform Code providing for a natural gas vehicle tax credit.
<b>Companions:</b> HB 2620 Grove, Seth (Refiled from 11R Session) HCO 937 Saylor, Stanley (M) 1-23-13 H Filed		
<b>Bill History:</b> 04-24-13 S Received in the Senate and referred to Senate Finance		

**HB 343** Miller, Ron (R) Amends Title 27 (Environmental Resources), in conservation and natural resources, providing for water well construction standards.

**Companions:** **HCO 84** Miller, Ron (M)  
12-12-12 H Filed

**Bill History:** 11-12-13 H Set on the Tabled Calendar

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**HB 346** Tallman, Will (R) Amends the Pennsylvania Fair Dealership Law, further providing for definitions, for termination of dealer agreement; repealing provisions relating to coercion; & providing for violations of act, for warranty, & for waiver.

**Companions:** **HB 851** Tallman, Will (Refiled from 11R Session)  
**SB 1169** Waugh, Mike (Refiled from 11R Session)  
**HCO 238** Tallman, Will (M)  
12-20-12 H Filed

**Bill History:** 01-24-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Agriculture and Rural Affairs

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**HB 488** Kauffman, Rob (R) Amends Second Class Township Code, in corporate powers, further providing for appropriations for hospitals and tourist promotion agencies.

**Companions:** **HCO 760** Kauffman, Rob (M)  
1-15-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 06-25-13 S Rereferred to Senate Appropriations

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**HB 495** Boback, Karen (R) Act providing for erosion & sedimentation program to be administered by delegation agreements between Department of Environmental Protection & conservation districts.

**Companions:** **HB 1263** Boback, Karen (Refiled from 11R Session)  
**HCO 163** Boback, Karen (M)  
12-18-12 H Filed

**Bill History:** 02-04-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Environmental Resources and Energy

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**HB 573** Fleck, Michael (R) Amends Title 75 (Vehicles) further providing for definitions; and providing for regulation and operation of neighborhood electric vehicles.

**Companions:** **HB 849** Fleck, Michael (Refiled from 11R Session)  
**HCO 477** Fleck, Michael (M)  
1- 7-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 02-08-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Transportation

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**HB 632** Petri, Scott (R) Amends the Liquor Code further providing for limiting number of retail licenses to be issued in each county.

**Companions:** **HB 556** Petri, Scott (Refiled from 11R Session)  
**HB 623** Petri, Scott (Related)  
11-12-13 H Set on the Tabled Calendar  
**HCO 801** Petri, Scott (M)

1-16-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 02-08-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Liquor Control

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**A** HB 821 Harper, Kate (R) Amends Title 53 (Municipalities), in municipal authorities, further providing for purposes and powers.

**Companions:** SB 1261 Erickson, Edwin (Refiled from 11R Session)  
HB 1252 Readshaw, Harry (Identical)  
4-23-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Local Government  
HCO1015 Harper, Kate (M)  
1-29-13 H Filed  
SB 351 Erickson, Edwin (Identical)  
7- 9-13 G Approved by the Governor (Act: 68)

**Bill History:** 11-12-13 H Set on the Tabled Calendar

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HB 833 Evans, Dwight (D) Amends Tax Reform Code providing for hotel & resort property construction & renovation tax credit.

**Companions:** HCO1172 Evans, Dwight (M)  
2- 8-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 03-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Finance

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HB 844 Boback, Karen (R) Amends the Liquor Code further providing for malt & brewed beverages retail licenses, for retail dispensers' restrictions on purchases and sales, & for unlawful acts relative to malt or brewed beverages and licensees.

**Companions:** HCO1160 Boback, Karen (M)  
2- 8-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 03-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Liquor Control

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HB 856 Davis, Tina (D) Act providing for hearing on purchase of wetlands; and for notice of purchase of wetlands.

**Companions:** HCO 793 Davis, Tina (M)  
1-16-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 03-11-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Environmental Resources and Energy

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**A** HB 871 Day, Gary (R) Amends Title 53 (Municipalities Generally), in other subjects of taxation, further providing for excise tax on hotel room rental.

**Companions:** HCO1009 Day, Gary (M)  
1-28-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 10-29-13 H Public hearing held in committee House Tourism and Recreational Development

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**A** HB 872 Day, Gary (R) Amends the Tax Reform Code, in sales and use tax, further providing for definitions.

**Companions:** [HCO1009](#)Day, Gary (M)  
1-28-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 10-29-13 H Public hearing held in committee House Tourism and Recreational Development

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[HB 873](#) [Day, Gary \(R\)](#) Amends the County Code, in fiscal affairs, further providing for authorization of certain hotel room rental taxes; & in grounds & buildings, further providing for certain hotel room rental taxes.

**Companions:** [HCO1009](#)Day, Gary (M)  
1-28-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 10-29-13 H Public hearing held in committee House Tourism and Recreational Development

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[HB 874](#) [Day, Gary \(R\)](#) Amends the Community and Economic Improvement Act further providing for definitions relating to tourism and marketing tax.

**Companions:** [HCO1009](#)Day, Gary (M)  
1-28-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 10-29-13 H Public hearing held in committee House Tourism and Recreational Development

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[HB 997](#) [Petri, Scott \(R\)](#) Amends the Engineer, Land Surveyor & Geologist Registration Law expanding scope of the act to include soil science; further providing for defs; & providing for procedure for licensing as professional soil scientist.

**Companions:** [HCO1444](#)Petri, Scott (M)  
3-11-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 03-14-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Professional Licensure

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[HB 1015](#) [Keller, Mark \(R\)](#) Amends the Tax Reform Code providing for a natural gas farm equipment conversion tax credit.

**Companions:** [HCO1015](#)Harper, Kate (M)  
1-29-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 03-18-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Finance

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[HB 1027](#) [Hanna, Mike \(D\)](#) Amends Title 75 (Vehicles), in snowmobiles and all-terrain vehicles, expanding the scope of the chapter to include modified golf carts.

**Companions:** [HB 2677](#) Hanna, Mike (Refiled from 11R Session)  
[HCO1351](#)Hanna, Mike (M)  
2-27-13 H Filed


**Bill History:** 03-19-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Transportation

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[HB 1062](#) [Moul, Dan \(R\)](#) Amends the Alternative Energy Portfolio Standards Act further providing for the definitions of "alternative energy sources" and "Tier II alternative energy source."

**Companions:** [HB 1822](#)Moul, Dan (Refiled from 11R Session)  
[HCO 354](#) Moul, Dan (M)  
1- 2-13 H Filed


**Bill History:** 04-02-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Consumer Affairs

HB 1065	Saylor, Stanley (R)	Amends the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act expanding the scope of the act to include certain retail licensees; & further providing for distribution of proceeds.
<b>Companions:</b>		<a href="#">HCO1210</a> Saylor, Stanley (M) 2-12-13 H Filed
<b>Bill History:</b>		04-02-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Gaming Oversight
HB 1073	Moul, Dan (R)	Amends the Alternative Energy Portfolio Standards Act, further providing for definitions.
<b>Companions:</b>		<a href="#">HB 1692</a> Moul, Dan (Refiled from 11R Session) <a href="#">HCO 360</a> Moul, Dan (M) 1- 2-13 H Filed
<b>Bill History:</b>		04-02-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Consumer Affairs
HB 1107	Murt, Thomas (R)	Amends the Fiscal Code further providing, in Local Government Capital Project Loan Fund provisions, for assistance to municipalities.
<b>Companions:</b>		<a href="#">HB 1509</a> Murt, Thomas (Refiled from 11R Session) <a href="#">HCO1502</a> Murt, Thomas (M) 3-14-13 H Filed
<b>Bill History:</b>		04-03-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Finance
HB 1151	Miller, Ron (R)	Amends the Alternative Energy Portfolio Standards Act further providing for definitions.
<b>Companions:</b>		<a href="#">HB 2554</a> Miller, Ron (Refiled from 11R Session) <a href="#">HCO 554</a> Miller, Ron (M) 1- 9-13 H Filed <a href="#">SB 1015</a> Folmer, Mike (Identical) 6-17-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Environmental Resources and Energy
<b>Bill History:</b>		04-09-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Environmental Resources and Energy
HB 1152	Miller, Ron (R)	Amends the County Code, in fiscal affairs, further providing for authorization of excise tax; & providing for hotel room rental tax in certain third class counties.
<b>Companions:</b>		<a href="#">HB 2239</a> Miller, Ron (Refiled from 11R Session) <a href="#">HCO 516</a> Miller, Ron (M) 1- 8-13 H Filed
<b>Bill History:</b>		04-09-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Tourism and Recreational Development
 HB 1171	Dunbar, George (R)	Amends the Alternative Energy Investment Act repealing provisions relating to the Alternative Energy Production Tax Credit Program.
<b>Companions:</b>		<a href="#">HCO1410</a> Dunbar, George (M)

3- 6-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 11-12-13 H Set on the Tabled Calendar

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 [HB 1189](#) [Grove, Seth \(R\)](#) Amends the Local Tax Enabling Act providing for optional property tax elimination.

**Companions:** [HCO1515](#) Grove, Seth (M)  
8-22-13 H Memo has been removed

**Bill History:** 10-10-13 S Received in the Senate and referred to Senate Finance


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[HB 1206](#) [Kauffman, Rob \(R\)](#) Act prohibiting the Commonwealth & local government units from taking certain actions relating to implementation of Agenda 21 that infringe upon or restrict private property rights.

**Companions:** [HCO1616](#) Kauffman, Rob (M)  
3-27-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 04-16-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Local Government


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 [HB 1215](#) [Stern, Jerry \(R\)](#) Act establishing the PA Tourism Commission; providing for powers & duties of the PA Tourism Commission; establishing the Tourism Promotion Trust Fund; & repealing the Travel and Tourism Act.

**Companions:** [HB 2056](#) Stern, Jerry (Refiled from 11R Session)  
[HCO1007](#) Stern, Jerry (M)  
1-28-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 10-15-13 S Received in the Senate and referred to Senate Community, Economic & Recreational D


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 [HB 1216](#) [Stern, Jerry \(R\)](#) Amends the Tax Reform Code providing for the tourism marketing and promotion tax credit.

**Companions:** [HB 2640](#) Stern, Jerry (Refiled from 11R Session)  
[HCO1006](#) Stern, Jerry (M)  
1-28-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 10-10-13 S Received in the Senate and referred to Senate Finance

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 [HB 1230](#) [Ross, Chris \(R\)](#) Amends the Real Estate Tax Sale Law, in sale of property, providing for additional costs for rehabilitation and maintenance.

**Companions:** [SB 936](#) Eichelberger, John (Identical)  
5-31-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance

**Bill History:** 11-12-13 H Set on the Tabled Calendar

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[HB 1268](#) [Kortz, Bill \(D\)](#) Amends Titles 27 (Environmental Resources) & 42 (Judiciary) further providing for participation in environmental law or regulation; &, in particular rights & immunities, providing for participation in law or regulation related to public interest.

**Companions:** [HCO 999](#) Kortz, Bill (M)  
1-25-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 04-30-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Judiciary

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[HB 1324](#) [Briggs, Tim \(D\)](#) Act providing for minimum energy efficiency standards for certain



appliances & equipment; for powers & duties of DEP & Attorney General; & establishing the Appliance Energy Efficiency Fund.

**Companions:** [HB 1432](#) Briggs, Tim (Refiled from 11R Session)  
[HCO1676](#) Briggs, Tim (M)  
4- 5-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 05-06-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Environmental Resources and Energy

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[HB 1339](#) [Galloway, John \(D\)](#) Act providing for the Property Assessed Clean Energy Program; and authorizing municipalities and municipal authorities to provide clean energy financing to residential and commercial property owners.

**Companions:** [HB 1667](#) Galloway, John (Refiled from 11R Session)  
[HCO1130](#) Galloway, John (M)  
2- 5-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 05-07-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Environmental Resources and Energy

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[HB 1437](#) [Adolph, William \(R\)](#) Act to provide from the General Fund for the expenses of the Executive, Legislative & Judicial Departments, the public debt & the public schools for the fiscal year July 1, 2013, to June 30, 2014.

**Bill History:** 06-30-13 G Approved by the Governor (Act: A)

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[HB 1459](#) [Simmons, Justin \(R\)](#) Amends the Pennsylvania Pesticide Control Act further providing for definitions and providing for notification.

**Companions:** [HCO1899](#) Simmons, Justin (M)  
5-10-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 05-30-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Agriculture and Rural Affairs

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[HB 1461](#) [Killion, Thomas \(R\)](#) Amends the Tax Reform Code providing for a waterfront development tax credit.

**Companions:** [HCO1868](#) Killion, Thomas (M)  
5- 6-13 H Filed  
[SB 968](#) Vulakovich, Randy (Identical)  
11- 8-13 S Public hearing held in committee  
Senate Finance

**Bill History:** 05-30-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Finance


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[HB 1486](#) [Miller, Ron \(R\)](#) Amends the County Code further providing for authorization of excise tax in certain counties with tourist promotion agencies.

**Companions:** [HCO1793](#) Miller, Ron (M)  
4-23-13 H Filed


**Bill History:** 07-31-13 H Discussed in public hearing ...House Tourism and Recreational Development

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 [HB 1502](#) [Ellis, Brian \(R\)](#) Amends the Child Labor Act further providing for definitions and for definitions and for occupations and establishment.

**Companions:** [HCO1551](#) Ellis, Brian (M)  
3-19-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 10-30-13 S Received in the Senate and referred to Senate Labor and Industry

 **HB 1523** Toepel, Marcy (R) Amends the Act authorizing the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the local government units thereof to preserve, acquire or hold land for open space uses further providing for local taxing options.

**Companions:** [HCO 594](#) Toepel, Marcy (M)  
1-10-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 10-10-13 S Received in the Senate and referred to Senate Local Government

**HB 1565** Hahn, Marcia (R) Amends the Clean Streams Law further providing for potential pollution.

**Companions:** [HCO1957](#) Hahn, Marcia (M)  
5-30-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 06-20-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Environmental Resources and Energy

**HB 1568** Sonney, Curt (R) Act providing for county property tax reduction.


**Companions:** [HCO2013](#) Sonney, Curt (M)  
6-11-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 06-20-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Finance

**HB 1616** Daley, Peter (D) Act providing for small disaster assistance to individuals, businesses and municipalities; imposing surcharges on insurers; establishing a fund; and conferring powers and duties on the DCED, PEMA, DPW and PHFA.


**Companions:** [HCO1301](#) Daley, Peter (M)  
2-22-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 07-15-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Veterans Affairs & Emergency Prepare

 **HB 1635** Stern, Jerry (R) Act providing for dedication of portion of sales and use tax; and establishing the Tourism, Museum and Arts Trust Fund.


**Companions:** [HCO1979](#) Stern, Jerry (M)  
6- 4-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 09-17-13 H Discussed in public hearing ...House Appropriations

 **HB 1677** Heffley, Doyle (R) Amends Title 53 (Municipalities Generally), in assessments of persons and property, further providing for limitations.

**Companions:** [HCO2138](#) Heffley, Doyle (M)  
7-19-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 10-21-13 S Received in the Senate and referred to Senate Finance

 **HB 1682** Evankovich, Eli (R) Amends the Tax Reform Code, in employment incentive payments, further providing for scope of article, for definitions and for employment incentive payments; providing for amount.

**Companions:** [HCO2044](#) Evankovich, Eli (M)  
6-18-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 09-09-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Finance

**A** [HB 1685](#) [Benninghoff, Kerry \(R\)](#) Amends the Taxpayer Relief Act, in taxation by school districts, further providing for adoption of further referendum and for disposition of income tax revenue and property tax reduction allocation.

**Companions:** [HCO2231](#) Benninghoff, Kerry (M)  
9- 5-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 11-12-13 H Set on the House Calendar

**A** [HB 1693](#) [Brownlee, Michelle \(D\)](#) Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania, in taxation, further providing for exemptions and special provisions.

**Companions:** [HB 389](#) Parker, Cherelle (Related)  
2- 6-13 H Rereferred to House Urban Affairs  
[HCO2196](#) Brownlee, Michelle (M)  
8-22-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 09-23-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Finance

**A** [HB 1784](#) [Metcalf, Daryl \(R\)](#) Act imposing limitations on political subdivisions relating to the increase of real property taxes.

**Companions:** [HCO2076](#) Metcalf, Daryl (M)  
6-21-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 10-22-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Finance

**A** [HB 1795](#) [Snyder, Pam \(D\)](#) Amends the County Code further providing for authorization of hotel tax.

**Companions:** [HCO2323](#) Snyder, Pam (M)  
9-26-13 H Filed

**Bill History:** 10-22-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Tourism and Recreational Development

[HR 426](#) [Miller, Ron \(R\)](#) Resolution directing the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee to review the Commonwealth's program for beneficial use of sewage sludge by land application.

**Companions:** [HR 28](#) Miller, Ron (Refiled from 11R Session)  
[HCO 221](#) Miller, Ron (M)  
12-26-12 H Filed

**Bill History:** 09-03-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Environmental Resources and Energy

**A** [SB 76](#) [Argall, David \(R\)](#) Act providing for tax levies & information related to taxes; authorizing the imposition of a personal income tax or an earned income tax by a school district subject to voter approval; & repealing certain provisions of the Public School Code.

**Companions:** [HB 76](#) Cox, Jim (Identical)  
10-15-13 H Public hearing held in committee  
Senate Finance  
[SCO](#) Argall, David (M)

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1-22-13 S Filed

**Bill History:** 10-15-13 S Public hearing held in committee Senate Finance

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SB 83 Greenleaf, Stewart (R) Amends Title 75 (Vehicles), in special vehicles & pedestrians, providing for regulation & operation of neighborhood electric vehicles; &, in inspection of vehicles, for operation of vehicle without official certificate of inspection.

**Companions:** SCO 76 Greenleaf, Stewart (M)  
12- 4-12 S Filed

**Bill History:** 03-14-13 H Received in the House and referred to House Transportation

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SB 113 Greenleaf, Stewart (R) Amends Title 48 (Lodging and Housing) consolidating statutory provisions on hotels; and making related repeals.

**Companions:** SCO 223 Greenleaf, Stewart (M)  
12-12-12 S Filed

**Bill History:** 01-09-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Urban Affairs and Housing

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SB 196 White, Donald (R) Amends the PA Infrastructure Investment Authority Act further providing for defs., for financial assistance and for annual report.

**Companions:** SB 152 White, Donald (Refiled from 11R Session)  
SCO 356 White, Donald (M)  
12-24-12 S Filed

**Bill History:** 06-19-13 G Approved by the Governor (Act: 16 )

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SB 227 Kitchen, Shirley (D) Amends the Alternative Energy Investment Act further providing for pollution control technology projects; & providing for energy service project grants, for green work force training & for a transfer of funds.

**Companions:** SB 687 Kitchen, Shirley (Refiled from 11R Session)  
SCO 840 Kitchen, Shirley (M)  
3- 7-13 S Filed

**Bill History:** 04-03-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Labor and Industry

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SB 287 Erickson, Edwin (R) Act updating storm water planning requirements by counties; authorizing counties to regulate storm water within a watershed-based planning area; formation of water resources management; imposing duties and conferring powers.

**Companions:** SB 452 Erickson, Edwin (Refiled from 11R Session)  
SCO 146 Erickson, Edwin (M)  
12- 7-12 S Filed

**Bill History:** 01-24-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Environmental Resources and Energy

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SB 467 Stack, Michael (D) Amends the Municipal Claim & Tax Lien Law further providing for authorization to municipalities to impose tax liens on any property throughout this Commonwealth and on the funds in certain bank accounts.

**Companions:** HB 388 Parker, Cherelle (Identical)  
11-12-13 S Set on the Senate Calendar  
SCO 689 Stack, Michael (M)  
2- 8-13 S Filed

**Bill History:** 04-03-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Urban Affairs and Housing

SB 504 Dinniman, Andrew (D) Amends the Administrative Code, in powers & duties of Department of Environmental Protection, further providing for cooperation with municipalities.

**Companions:** SCO 561 Dinniman, Andrew (M)  
1-23-13 S Filed

**Bill History:** 02-26-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Environmental Resources and Energy

SB 599 Erickson, Edwin (R) Amends the Local Option Small Games of Chance Act expanding the scope of the act to include certain retail licensees; and further providing for distribution of proceeds.

**Companions:** SCO 573 Erickson, Edwin (M)  
1-25-13 S Filed

**Bill History:** 03-08-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance

SB 738 Yaw, Gene (R) Act providing for distribution system extension and expansion plans to increase natural gas usage in this Commonwealth.

**Companions:** SCO 79 Yaw, Gene (M)  
12- 5-12 S Filed

**Bill History:** 06-13-13 H Received in the House and referred to House Environmental Resources and Energy


SB 739 Yaw, Gene (R) Amends the Alternative Energy Investment Act further providing for Commonwealth Financing Authority.

**Bill History:** 06-12-13 H Received in the House and referred to House Environmental Resources and Energy

SB 741 Eichelberger, John (R) Act authorizing countywide implementation of taxes; providing for levying among municipalities; requiring reduction of other taxes; & providing for the powers of DCED, the Dept. of Revenue and the State Treasurer

**Companions:** SCO 361 Eichelberger, John (M)  
12-27-12 S Filed

**Bill History:** 03-26-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance

 SB 814 Gordner, John (R) Amends the Board of Vehicles Act defining "out-of-State recreational vehicle dealer"; further defining "recreational vehicle show"; further providing for grounds for disciplinary proceedings and for

requirements.

**Companions:** [SCO 384](#) Gordner, John (M)  
1- 3-13 S Filed

**Bill History:** 11-12-13 S Set on the Senate Calendar

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[SB 838](#) [Alloway, Richard \(R\)](#) Amends the County Code, in fiscal affairs, providing for authorization of five percent hotel tax in certain counties of the fourth class.

**Companions:** [SCO 858](#) Alloway, Richard (M)  
3-12-13 S Filed

**Bill History:** 07-31-13 S Discussed in public hearing ...House Tourism and Recreational Development

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[SB 869](#) [Tomlinson, Robert \(R\)](#) Amends the Real Estate Licensing & Registration Act further providing for the definition of "comparative market analysis," for continuing education, for qualifications for license & for comparative market analysis disclosure.

**Companions:** [SCO 881](#) Tomlinson, Robert (M)  
3-15-13 S Filed

**Bill History:** 06-18-13 S Laid on the table

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[SB 948](#) [Stack, Michael \(D\)](#) Amends Title 53 (Municipalities Generally), in assessments of persons and property, further providing for limitations with respect to the homestead property exclusion.

**Companions:** [SCO1022](#) Stack, Michael (M)  
4-26-13 S Filed

**Bill History:** 06-11-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance


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[SB 965](#) [Boscola, Lisa \(D\)](#) Amends Title 18 (Crimes & Offenses) further providing for cruelty to animals.

**Companions:** [HB 15](#) Goodman, Neal (Related)  
1-29-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Judiciary  
[SB 510](#) Browne, Patrick (Related)  
2-14-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Judiciary  
[SCO1050](#) Boscola, Lisa (M)  
5- 6-13 S Filed

**Bill History:** 05-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Judiciary

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 [SB 968](#) [Vulakovich, Randy \(R\)](#) Amends the Tax Reform Code providing for a waterfront development tax credit.

**Companions:** [HB 1461](#) Killion, Thomas (Identical)  
5-30-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Finance  
[SCO1023](#) Vulakovich, Randy (M)  
4-26-13 S Filed

**Bill History:** 11-08-13 S Public hearing held in committee Senate Finance

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SB 994 Vogel, Jr., Elder (R) Act providing for the creation of a major watershed improvement program, for est. of a verified TMDL credit program, powers of DEP & PENNVEST & for completion of a study by LBFC.

**Companions:** [SCO1028](#) Vogel, Jr., Elder (M)  
4-30-13 S Filed

**Bill History:** 07-03-13 S Laid on the table

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SB 1013 Scarnati, Joseph (R) Amends Title 4 (Amusements) further providing for Pennsylvania Gaming Economic Development and Tourism Fund.

**Bill History:** 07-03-13 S Laid on the table


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SB 1015 Folmer, Mike (R) Amends the Alternative Energy Portfolio Standards Act providing for definitions.

**Companions:** [HB 2554](#) Miller, Ron (Refiled from 11R Session)  
[SB 1568](#) Folmer, Mike (Refiled from 11R Session)  
[HB 1151](#) Miller, Ron (Identical)  
4- 9-13 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Environmental Resources and Energy  
[SCO1101](#) Folmer, Mike (M)  
5-20-13 S Filed

**Bill History:** 06-17-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Environmental Resources and Energy

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 SB 1149 Brubaker, Michael (R) Amends Title 3 (Agriculture), in fertilizer, further providing for labels & labeling & for disposition of funds; and providing for fertilizer for use on turf.

**Companions:** [SCO 953](#) Brubaker, Michael (M)  
4- 9-13 S Filed

**Bill History:** 10-29-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Agriculture and Rural Affairs

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SR 39 Alloway, Richard (R) Resolution directing LBFC to conduct a study of the establishment, implementation and administration of fees for the consumptive use and degradation of water.

**Companions:** [SCO 652](#) Alloway, Richard (M)  
2- 5-13 S Filed

**Bill History:** 03-13-13 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Environmental Resources and Energy