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<b>Agenda</b>		<b>House Appropriations Committee</b>	
		March 13, 2012	
		Room 140, Main Capitol	
<b>Bill Number</b>	<b>Prime Sponsor</b>	<b>Amend-ments</b>	<b>Topic</b>
1. House Bill 1106	Moul		House Bill 1106 amends the Domestic Relations Code concerning willful failure to pay child support. It would take effect in 60 days.
2. House Bill 1841	Toohil		House Bill 1841 amends the Crimes Code concerning false reports to law enforcement authorities. It would take effect in 60 days.
3. House Bill 1842	Simmons		House Bill 1842 amends the Crimes Code concerning concealing the death of a child. It would take effect in 60 days.
4. House Bill 1852	Grove		House Bill 1852 amends the Unemployment Compensation (UC) Law to increase penalties for willful fraud. This legislation would take effect immediately.
5. House Bill 2125	Delozier		House Bill 2125 amends the Crimes Code concerning sentences for burglary, robbery, and theft. It would take effect in 60 days.

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**HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**  
**MINUTES**  
**March 13, 2012**

Committee Chairman William F. Adolph, Jr. called the meeting of the House Appropriations Committee to order on March 13, 2012 at 3:10 p.m. in Room 140, Main Capitol Building. All members were present except Representative O'Neill who was on official leave. Proxy votes were accepted from Representatives Scott Petri, Tina Pickett, Jeff Pyle, Paul Costa and Cherelle Parker.

Chairman Adolph presented the following list of Bills for consideration:

Bill Number – Printer's No.	Sponsor of Motion	Second	Type of Motion
House Bill 1106 Printer's No. 3003	Representative Causer	Representative Killion	Report as Committed.
House Bill 1841 Printer's No. 3198	Representative Causer	Representative Killion	Report as Committed.
House Bill 1842 Printer's No. 3199	Representative Causer	Representative Killion	Report as Committed.
House Bill 1852 Printer's No. 3200	Representative Causer	Representative Killion	Report as Committed.
House Bill 2125 Printer's No. 2955	Representative Causer	Representative Killion	Report as Committed.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:13 p.m.

Representative Maureen Gingrich, Secretary

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
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**Committee Attendance Record**DATE: March 13, 2012COMMITTEE: APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEEDATE: March 13, 2012 PLACE: 140 Main Capitol BuildingTIME CALLED TO ORDER: 3:10 p.m. TIME ADJOURNED: 3:13 p.m.

MAJORITY MEMBERS	PRES	ABS	ON LEAVE	MINORITY MEMBERS	PRES	ABS	ON LEAVE
Adolph, W., Chairman	X			Markosek, J. – Chairman	X		
Bear, J.	X			Bradford, M.	X		
Causer, M.	X			Brownlee, M.	X		
Christiana, J.	X			Conklin, H. S.	X		
Day, G.	X			Costa, P.	X		
Denlinger, G.	X			Kula, D.	X		
Ellis, B.	X			Mahoney, T.	X		
Gingrich, M.	X			O'Brien, M.	X		
Grell, G.	X			Parker, C.	X		
Killion, T.	X			Sabatina, J.	X		
Millard, D.	X			Samuelson, S.	X		
Mustio, M.	X			Smith, M.	X		
O'Neill, B.			X	Vitali, G.	X		
Peifer, M.	X			Waters, R.	X		
Perry, S.	X						
Petri, S.	X						
Pickett, T.	X						
Pyle, J.	X						
Quigley, T.	X						
Scavello, M.	X						
Sonney, C.	X						

Total Present 34Total Absent 0Total Absent with Leave 1*William F. Adolph Jr.*Majority Chairman *Joe Markosek*Minority Chairman *Maurice A. Gingrich*

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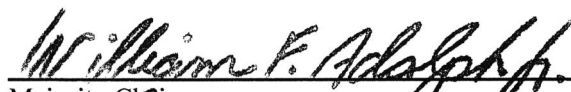
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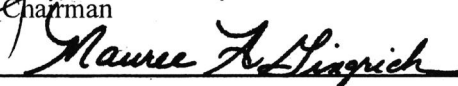
Committee	APPROPRIATIONS	Date & Time	March 13, 2012 at 3:10PM
Bill or Resolution No.	HOUSE BILL 1106 PN3003	Type of Motion	Re-report Bill As Committed
Maker of Motion	Representative Causer	Seconded by	Representative Killion
Brief Description	House Bill 1106 amends the Domestic Relations Code concerning willful failure to pay child support. It would take effect in 60 days.		

Yeas 34      Nays 0      Not Voting 1      Passed X      Failed \_\_\_\_\_

MAJORITY MEMBERS				MINORITY MEMBERS			
	AYE	NAY	NV		AYE	NAY	NV
Adolph, William F. - Chairman	X			Markosek, Joseph F. - Chairman	X		
Bear, John C.	X			Bradford, Matthew D.	X		
Causer, Martin T.	X			Brownlee, Michelle F.	X		
Christiana, Jim	X			Conklin, H. S.	X		
Day, Gary	X			Costa, Paul	P		
Denlinger, Gordon	X			Kula, Deberah	X		
Ellis, Brian L.	X			Mahoney, Tim	X		
Gingrich, Mauree	X			O'Brien, Michael H.	X		
Grell, Glen R.	X			Parker, Cherelle L.	P		
Killion, Thomas H.	X			Sabatina, John P.	X		
Millard, David R.	X			Samuelson, Steve	X		
Mustio, T. M.	X			Smith, Matthew	X		
O'Neill, Bernie			X	Vitali, Greg	X		
Peifer, Michael	X			Waters, Ronald G.	X		
Perry, Scott	X						
Petri, Scott A.	P						
Pickett, Tina	P						
Pyle, Jeffrey P.	P						
Quigley, Thomas J.	X						
Scavello, Mario M.	X						
Sonney, Curtis G.	X						

  
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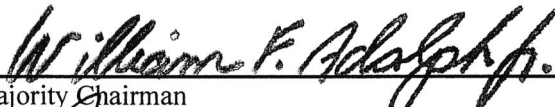
Committee	APPROPRIATIONS	Date & Time	March 13, 2012 at 3:10PM
Bill or Resolution No.	HOUSE BILL 1841 PN3198	Type of Motion	Re-report Bill As Committed
Maker of Motion	Representative Causer	Seconded by	Representative Killion

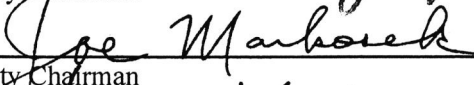
Brief Description


House Bill 1841 amends the Crimes Code concerning false reports to law enforcement authorities. It would take effect in 60 days.

Yeas 34      Nays 0      Not Voting 1      Passed X      Failed \_\_\_\_\_

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Adolph, William F. - Chairman	X			Markosek, Joseph F. - Chairman	X		
Bear, John C.	X			Bradford, Matthew D.	X		
Causer, Martin T.	X			Brownlee, Michelle F.	X		
Christiana, Jim	X			Conklin, H. S.	X		
Day, Gary	X			Costa, Paul	P		
Denlinger, Gordon	X			Kula, Deberah	X		
Ellis, Brian L.	X			Mahoney, Tim	X		
Gingrich, Mauree	X			O'Brien, Michael H.	X		
Grell, Glen R.	P			Parker, Cherelle L.	P		
Killion, Thomas H.	X			Sabatina, John P.	X		
Millard, David R.	X			Samuelson, Steve	X		
Mustio, T. M.	X			Smith, Matthew	X		
O'Neill, Bernie			X	Vitali, Greg	X		
Peifer, Michael	X			Waters, Ronald G.	X		
Perry, Scott	X						
Petri, Scott A.	P						
Pickett, Tina	P						
Pyle, Jeffrey P.	P						
Quigley, Thomas J.	X						
Scavello, Mario M.	X						
Sonney, Curtis G.	X						

  
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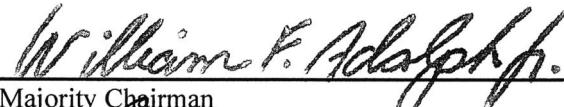
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Committee	APPROPRIATIONS	Date & Time	March 13, 2012 at 3:10PM
Bill or Resolution No.	HOUSE BILL 1842 PN3199	Type of Motion	Re-report Bill As Committed
Maker of Motion	Representative Causer	Seconded by	Representative Killion
Brief Description	House Bill 1842 amends the Crimes Code concerning concealing the death of a child. It would take effect in 60 days.		

Yeas 34      Nays 0      Not Voting 1      Passed X      Failed \_\_\_\_\_

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AYE	NAY	NV		AYE	NAY	NV	
X			Adolph, William F. - Chairman	X			Markosek, Joseph F. - Chairman
X			Bear, John C.	X			Bradford, Matthew D.
X			Causer, Martin T.	X			Brownlee, Michelle F.
X			Christiana, Jim	X			Conklin, H. S.
X			Day, Gary	P			Costa, Paul
X			Denlinger, Gordon	X			Kula, Deberah
X			Ellis, Brian L.	X			Mahoney, Tim
X			Gingrich, Mauree	X			O'Brien, Michael H.
P			Grell, Glen R.	P			Parker, Cherelle L.
X			Killion, Thomas H.	X			Sabatina, John P.
X			Millard, David R.	X			Samuelson, Steve
X			Mustio, T. M.	X			Smith, Matthew
		X	O'Neill, Bernie	X			Vitali, Greg
X			Peifer, Michael	X			Waters, Ronald G.
X			Perry, Scott				
P			Petri, Scott A.				
P			Pickett, Tina				
P			Pyle, Jeffrey P.				
X			Quigley, Thomas J.				
X			Scavello, Mario M.				
X			Sonney, Curtis G.				

  
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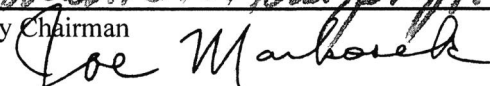
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Committee	<u>APPROPRIATIONS</u>	Date & Time	<u>March 13, 2012 at 3:10PM</u>
Bill or Resolution No.	<u>HOUSE BILL 1852 PN3200</u>	Type of Motion	<u>Re-report Bill As Committed</u>
Maker of Motion	<u>Representative Causer</u>	Seconded by	<u>Representative Killion</u>
Brief Description	House Bill 1852 amends the Unemployment Compensation (UC) Law to increase penalties for willful fraud. This legislation would take effect immediately.		

Yeas 34      Nays 0      Not Voting 1      Passed X      Failed \_\_\_\_\_

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Adolph, William F. - Chairman	X			Markosek, Joseph F. - Chairman	X		
Bear, John C.	X			Bradford, Matthew D.	X		
Causer, Martin T.	X			Brownlee, Michelle F.	X		
Christiana, Jim	X			Conklin, H. S.	X		
Day, Gary	X			Costa, Paul	P		
Denlinger, Gordon	X			Kula, Deberah	X		
Ellis, Brian L.	X			Mahoney, Tim	X		
Gingrich, Mauree	X			O'Brien, Michael H.	X		
Grell, Glen R.	P			Parker, Cherelle L.	P		
Killion, Thomas H.	X			Sabatina, John P.	X		
Millard, David R.	X			Samuelson, Steve	X		
Mustio, T. M.	X			Smith, Matthew	X		
O'Neill, Bernie			X	Vitali, Greg	X		
Peifer, Michael	X			Waters, Ronald G.	X		
Perry, Scott	X						
Petri, Scott A.	P						
Pickett, Tina	P						
Pyle, Jeffrey P.	P						
Quigley, Thomas J.	X						
Scavello, Mario M.	X						
Sonney, Curtis G.	X						

  
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Committee	<u>APPROPRIATIONS</u>	Date & Time	<u>March 13, 2012 at 3:10PM</u>
Bill or Resolution No.	<u>HOUSE BILL 2125 PN2955</u>	Type of Motion	<u>Re-report Bill As Committed</u>
Maker of Motion	<u>Representative Causer</u>	Seconded by	<u>Representative Killion</u>
Brief Description	<u>House Bill 2125 amends the Crimes Code concerning sentences for burglary, robbery, and theft. It would take effect in 60 days.</u>		

Yeas 34      Nays 0      Not Voting 1      Passed X      Failed \_\_\_\_\_

MAJORITY MEMBERS				MINORITY MEMBERS			
AYE	NAY	NV		AYE	NAY	NV	
X			Adolph, William F. - Chairman	X			Markosek, Joseph F. - Chairman
X			Bear, John C.	X			Bradford, Matthew D.
X			Causer, Martin T.	X			Brownlee, Michelle F.
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X			Sonney, Curtis G.				

*William F. Adolph*

Majority Chairman

*Joe Marbone*

Minority Chairman

*Mauree A. Gingrich*

Secretary

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**OFFICIAL LEAVE REQUEST FORM**

I, Bernie O'Neill, hereby request an official leave of  
NAME  
absence from the meeting/hearing of the Appropriations,  
COMMITTEE  
to be held on March 13, 2012 at \_\_\_\_\_.  
DATE TIME

I will be absent for the following reasons:

Schedule conflict  
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March 13, 2012  
DATE

  
SIGNATURE

**\*\*Submit this form to the Majority Committee Chairman prior to the Committee meeting.**

# HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE PROXY FORM

## Submission of Proxy

On this day of Scott A. Petri, I hereby submit my proxy to: *(Check one)*

March 13, 2012

(X) William F. Adolph, Jr., Majority Chair or ( ) Joseph F. Markosek, Minority Chair

to be voted on all bills, resolutions, amendments and procedural matters offered on the Committee agenda, or for other legislative business which may come before the Committee.

## Specific Voting Instructions

I hereby direct my proxy to be voted:

X in the same manner as the designated Chair.

\_\_\_\_\_ in the same manner as Representative \_\_\_\_\_ for as long as he/she is present at the meeting. If my designee leaves the meeting, I do \_\_\_\_\_ do not \_\_\_\_\_ direct my proxy to be voted in the same manner as the designated Chair.

\_\_\_\_\_ on the following specified bills, amendments and resolutions:

_____ Y / N / Abstain	_____ Y / N / Abstain
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**SCOTT A. PETRI**

Member's Printed Name

Scott A. Petri  
Member's Signature

**Contact Number(s) for Member (REQUIRED)**

**HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**  
**PROXY FORM**

**Submission of Proxy**

On this day of 3/13, I hereby submit my proxy to: (**Check one**)  
(**date**)

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Tina Piccetti

Member's Printed Name

Tina Piccetti

Member's Signature

[REDACTED]

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**Contact Number(s) for Member (*REQUIRED*)**



**HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**  
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On this day of 13 MAR, I hereby submit my proxy to: (**Check one**)  
(  ) (date)

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Jeffrey P. Ryke  
Member's Printed Name

J. P. Ryke  
Member's Signature

**Contact Number(s) for Member (*REQUIRED*)**

**HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**  
**PROXY FORM**

**Submission of Proxy**

On this day of 13TH MARCH I hereby submit my proxy to: *(Check one)*  
*(date)*

( ) William F. Adolph, Jr., Majority Chair or (✓) Joseph F. Markosek, Minority Chair

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       on the following specified bills, amendments and resolutions:

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Paul Costa  
Member's Printed Name

Paul Costa  
Member's Signature

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**Contact Number(s) for Member (REQUIRED)**

**HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**  
**PROXY FORM**

**Submission of Proxy**

On this day of 3/13/12, I hereby submit my proxy to: **(Check one)**  
(date)

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Cherelle L. Parker

Member's Printed Name

Cherelle L. Parker

Member's Signature

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Contact Number(s) for Member (**REQUIRED**)