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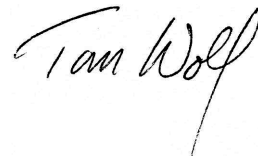
## GOVERNOR'S OFFICE

### Proclamation; House Bill No. 1332, Printer's No. 2272

I, Tom Wolf, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, have caused this Proclamation to issue and, in compliance with the provisions of Section 15 of Article IV of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, do hereby give notice that I have filed in the Office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, with my objections thereto, the following bill passed by both houses of the General Assembly at the Regular Session of 2021-2022:

House Bill No. 1332, Printer's No. 2272, entitled "An act [a]mending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L. 30, No. 14), entitled 'An act relating to the public school system, including certain provisions applicable as well to private and parochial schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto,' in terms and courses of study, providing for online curriculum availability."

*Given* under my hand and the Great Seal of the Commonwealth, at the County of Dauphin, this twenty second day of December, in the year of our Lord two thousand and twenty-one, and of the Commonwealth two hundred and forty-six.



*Governor*

Attest:

JONATHAN MARKS,  
*Deputy Secretary for Elections and Commissions*

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### Notice of Veto; House Bill No. 1332, Printer's No. 2272

December 22, 2021

To the Honorable House of Representatives  
of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 15 of the Pennsylvania Constitution, I am returning herewith, without my approval, House Bill 1332, Printer's Number 2272.

Under the guise of transparency, this legislation politicizes what is being taught in our public schools. State regulations adopted by the State Board of Education already require that public schools provide parents and guardians with course curriculum and instructional materials upon request. In addition, textbooks are adopted by school boards in meetings open to the public. Therefore, requiring all public schools to publish on their website the details of every textbook, course syllabus or written summary of each course, and the relevant academic standards for each course is not only duplicative, but overly burdensome. The onerous requirements of this bill fall on educators who should be focused on critical issues such as addressing learning loss, managing the impacts of the pandemic on students, and

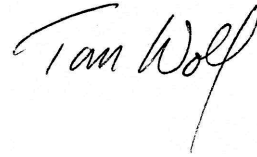
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working through staffing shortages. Many education stakeholder groups voiced significant concerns and opposition to this bill, including its underlying purpose, the lack of need, and its burdensome impact.

This legislation is a thinly veiled attempt to restrict truthful instruction and censor content reflecting various cultures, identities, and experiences. My Administration is committed to creating a safe learning environment for all students, and we will not take part in this dangerous and harmful imposition.

For the reasons set forth above, I must withhold my signature from House Bill 1332, Printer's Number 2272.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tom Wolf". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping tail on the letter "f".

*Governor*

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