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Recent Actions during the 2019 Regular Session of the General Assembly

The following is a summary of recent actions of the General Assembly during the 2019 Regular Session:

<i>Doc. No.</i>	<i>Date of Action</i>	<i>Bill Number</i>	<i>Printer's Number</i>	<i>Effective Date</i>	<i>Subject Matter</i>
2019 General Acts of Regular Session Enacted—Act 006 through 013					
006	Jun 12	HB0275	PN0246	60 days	Municipalities Financial Recovery Act—program objectives, authorization and limitation of status
007	Jun 12	SB0115	PN0659	60 days	Public School Code of 1949—cardiopulmonary resuscitation education
008	Jun 12	SB0441	PN0439	60 days	Sgt. Christopher M. Wrinkle and Tosca Memorial Bridge—designation
009	Jun 19	HB0619	PN0614	Immediately	June 19 as “Juneteenth National Freedom Day”—designation and holiday observance
010	Jun 21	HB0223	PN1975	Immediately	Conveyance—Commonwealth property in Asylum Township, Bradford County, to French Azilum, Inc.
011	Jun 21	SB0043	PN0020	60 days	J. Edward “Hutch” Hutchinson Memorial Bypass—designation
012	Jun 28	HB0033	PN2182	Immediately*	Human Services Code—omnibus amendments
013	Jun 28	HB0262	PN2266	Immediately*	Tax Reform Code of 1971—omnibus amendments
2019 Appropriation Acts of Regular Session Enacted—Act 001A through 015A					
001A	Jun 28	HB0790	PN2215	Immediately*	General Appropriation Act of 2019—enactment
002A	Jun 28	HB1350	PN2233	Immediately*	Pennsylvania State University—education, general expenses and Agricultural College Land Scrip Fund
003A	Jun 28	HB1351	PN2234	Immediately*	University of Pittsburgh—education, general expenses and rural education outreach
004A	Jun 28	HB1352	PN2235	Immediately*	Temple University—education and general expenses
005A	Jun 28	HB1353	PN2236	Immediately*	Lincoln University—education and general expenses
006A	Jun 28	HB1354	PN2237	Immediately*	University of Pennsylvania—veterinary activities and Center for Infectious Diseases
007A	Jun 28	SB0235	PN0986	Immediately*	Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs—operation of professional licensure boards
008A	Jun 28	SB0236	PN0987	Immediately*	Department of Labor and Industry and Department of Community and Economic Development—expenses for Workers’ Compensation Act, Pennsylvania Occupational Disease Act and Office of Small Business Advocate
009A	Jun 28	SB0237	PN0988	Immediately*	Office of Small Business Advocate—operation
010A	Jun 28	SB0238	PN0989	Immediately*	Office of Consumer Advocate—operation
011A	Jun 28	SB0239	PN0990	Immediately*	Public School Employees’ Retirement Board—administrative expenses, etc.
012A	Jun 28	SB0240	PN0991	Immediately*	State Employees’ Retirement Board—administrative expenses, etc.
013A	Jun 28	SB0241	PN1016	Immediately*	Philadelphia Parking Authority—operation
014A	Jun 28	SB0242	PN0993	Immediately*	Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission—operation
015A	Jun 28	SB0243	PN0994	Immediately*	Gaming Control Appropriation Act of 2019—enactment
2019 Joint Resolutions of Regular Session Passed—JR 001					
001	Jun 19	HB0276	PN0284		Constitution of Pennsylvania—rights of victims of crime
2019 Vetoes of Regular Session of Bills—Veto 001					
001	Jun 18	HB0800	PN1676		Public School Code of 1949—limitations

* denotes an effective date with exceptions

Effective Dates of Statutes

The effective dates specified for laws and appropriation acts were contained in the applicable law or appropriation act. Where no date is specified or where the effective date specified is prior to the date of enactment, the effective date is 60 days after final enactment except for statutes making appropriations or affecting budgets of political subdivisions. See 1 Pa.C.S. §§ 1701—1704 (relating to effective date of statutes).

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