

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Recent Actions during the 2016 Regular Session of the General Assembly

The following is a summary of recent actions of the General Assembly during the 2016 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>
2016 General Acts of Regular Session Enacted—Act 026 through 034					
026	May 17	HB0400	PN1957	Immediately*	Work Experience for High School Students with Disabilities Act—enactment
027	May 18	SB0811	PN0870	Immediately*	Capital Budget Act of 2015-2016—enactment
028	May 24	HB0944	PN2846	60 days	Community and Economic Improvement Act—omnibus
029	May 24	HB1200	PN2567	60 days	Cities authorized to build viaducts or bridges—repeal of certain provisions
030	May 24	HB1310	PN3320	60 days	Health and Safety (35 Pa.C.S.)—prohibited release of information
031	May 24	HB1574	PN3016	60 days	Antihazing Law—enforcement
032	May 24	HB1788	PN2734	60 days	Community and Economic Improvement Act—special financing assessments
033	May 25	SB0290	PN1751	Immediately*	Vehicle Code (75 Pa.C.S.)—omnibus amendments
034	May 25	SB1108	PN1752	Immediately*	Vehicle Code (75 Pa.C.S.)—omnibus amendments
2016 Vetoes of Regular Session of Bills—Veto 002					
002	May 18	HB0805	PN1843	Immediately*	Public School Code of 1949—omnibus amendments

* denotes an effective date with exceptions

Effective Dates of Statutes

The effective dates specified above 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 dates of statutes).

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Section 1106 of Title 1 of the *Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes* provides that the prothonotaries of each county shall file advance copies of statutes in their offices for public inspection until the *Laws of Pennsylvania* are generally available. Section 2406(h) of The Administrative Code of 1929 provides that the Department of General Services shall distribute advance sheets of the *Laws of Pennsylvania* to each law judge of the courts, to every county and public library of this Commonwealth and to each member of the General Assembly. These copies shall be furnished without charge. The Department shall also mail one copy of each law enacted during any legislative session to any person who pays to it the sum of \$25.

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