

Agenda

House Appropriations Committee February 3, 2015 Room 140, Main Capitol

Bill Number	Prime Sponsor	Amendments	Topic
1. House Bill 49	Sainato		House Bill 49 extends the \$100,000 death benefit that is currently available to other emergency responders under Act 101 of 1976 to members of the Pennsylvania Civil Air Patrol (CAP).
2. House Bill 131	Barrar		House Bill 131 amends Act 287 of 1982 to provide reduced tuition rates at community colleges and state related/state-owned institutions for veterans, their spouses and dependent children.
3. House Bill 152	Tallman		House Bill 152 amends the Emergency and Law Enforcement Personnel Death Benefits Act by extending the filing period for the benefit from 90 days to 3 years; which will put the state's filing period in line with the federal government's death benefit program.
4. House Bill 157	Heffley		House Bill 157 amends Chapter 75 of Title 51 (Military Affairs) by requiring certain Commonwealth agencies to strongly consider a veteran's military education, training and experience, for the purpose of receiving possible waivers from requirements for professional credentials.