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Introducer(s):

Committee on Children

Title: AN ACT REQUIRING CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF TWELVE TO WEAR PERSONAL FLOTATION DEVICES ON DOCKS, WHARFS AND PIERS.

Statement of Purpose: To require children under the age of twelve to wear personal flotation devices while on any dock, wharf or pier.

Bill History:

02-19-2026 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Committee on Children

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03-03-2026 JOINT FAVORABLE

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03-11-2026 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, HOUSE

03-11-2026 HOUSE CALENDAR NUMBER 40

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Co-sponsor(s):

Rep. Joseph P. Gresko, 121st Dist. Sen. Jason Perillo, 21st Dist.

Rep. Ben McGorty, 122nd Dist.