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NEWS RELEASE – Final Reapportionment Plan Approved for State House and Senate

The 2011 Pennsylvania Legislative Reapportionment Commission approved a Final Reapportionment Plan for the State House of Representatives and Senate on Monday, December 12, 2011. The Final Plan differs from the previously filed Preliminary Plan in several respects, including the following:

1. One Hundred and Twenty House districts were adjusted from the Preliminary Plan.

2. Twenty-Five Senate districts were adjusted from the Preliminary Plan.

3. House District 115 was relocated from Lackawanna and Wayne Counties to Monroe County.

4. Penn Hills in Allegheny County placed entirely in House District 32.

5. In House District 127, the proportionate voting age population of Hispanics/Latinos was increased from 47.17% to 50.60%.

6. Significant adjustments were made to the 15th, 31st and 48th Senate Districts.
The Final Reapportionment Plan was filed with the Secretary of the Commonwealth on December 12, 2011. Any aggrieved person may file an appeal directly to the Supreme Court within 30 days after the filing.

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