



Z wielkim smutkiem przyjęliśmy wiadomość o śmierci

## Jerzego Wojciecha Popkowskiego

wybitnego znawcy prawa parlamentarnego,  
wieloletniego pracownika Kancelarii Sejmu,  
w tym zastępcy szefa Kancelarii Sejmu

Bliskim  
wyrazy głębokiego współczucia składają

Szef Kancelarii Sejmu  
oraz pracownicy KS

## 26<sup>th</sup> sitting of the Sejm, 15–16 November 2012

### THE SEJM PASSED THE ACTS

- on the reduction of particular administrative burdens within the economy;
- amending the act on family benefits and some related acts;
- amending the act on tonnage tax and some related acts;
- ratifying the Protocol between the Republic of Poland and the Kingdom of Norway amending the Convention between the Republic of Poland and the Kingdom of Norway for the avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income drawn up in Warsaw on 9 September 2009, signed in Oslo on 5 July 2012.

**THE SEJM REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE** the Committee bill amending the Road Traffic Act and the Code of Petty Offences.

### THE SEJM RETURNED TO COMMITTEES

- Government bill amending the act on the goods and services tax and some related acts;
- Government bill amending the act on investment funds and the act on the financial market supervision;
- Government draft waste management act.

### THE SEJM CONSIDERED THE SENATE'S RESOLUTIONS CONCERNING THE ACTS

- amending the act on passport documents (*The Senate's amendments were accepted*);
- amending the act on the agricultural counselling units (*The Senate's amendments were accepted*);
- amending the Telecommunications Law and some related acts (*Some of the Senate's amendments were accepted*);

- amending the act on mining waste and some related acts (*The Senate's amendments were accepted*).

**THE SEJM ADOPTED THE RESOLUTION** concerning the participation of the Republic of Poland in the works of the European Union in the period January–June 2012 (during the Danish Presidency). (*In the resolution, the Sejm accepted the information of the Council of Ministers pertaining thereto, considered by the Sejm at the previous sitting.*)

**THE SEJM CONSIDERED THE CURRENT INFORMATION** concerning the ineffective and improper pedagogical supervision, on which the level of education and security within Polish schools depends, in the context of the results of the audit conducted by the Supreme Audit Office.

**THE SEJM REJECTED** the Government information on the plans for liquidation of some of the district courts. (*The Sejm considered the information at the previous sitting.*)



## 27<sup>th</sup> sitting of the Sejm, 21–23 November 2012

### THE SEJM PASSED THE ACTS

- amending the act on investment funds and the act on the financial market supervision;
- amending the act on the goods and services tax and some related acts;
- Waste Management Act;
- Postal Law;
- amending particular acts as regards the raising of the retirement age;
- amending the act on population records, identification documents and some related acts;
- amending the act on the State Emergency Medical Services;
- amending the act on particular principles for preparing the realisation of investments in the area of public roads;
- amending the act on insurance activity.

### THE SEJM REFERRED TO COMMITTEES

- Government bill amending the Labour Code;
- Deputies' bill amending the Civil Code.

### THE SEJM ADOPTED RESOLUTIONS

- concerning negotiations of the European Union Multiannual Financial Framework in the years 2014–2020 (from the print no. 897);
- concerning establishing the 18 of April the Day of Comatose Patients;
- concerning honouring the 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the foundation of the Council to Aid Jews "Żegota";
- concerning honouring the 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the expulsions from the Zamość Region;
- concerning the election of the personal composition of the Administration and Digitalisation Committee and changes within personal composition of the Sejm Committees;
- concerning granting the permission by the Sejm of the Republic of Poland to bring Deputy Antoni Macierewicz to criminal accountability (*The Sejm granted the permission to bring Deputy Antoni Macierewicz to criminal accountability*).

**THE SEJM RETURNED TO THE COMMITTEE** the Deputies' draft resolution concerning establishing 2013 the Year of the January Uprising Remembrance.

### THE SEJM REJECTED IN THE SECOND READING

the Deputies' bill amending the act on the teachers' compensation benefits.

**THE SEJM REJECTED IN THE FIRST READING** the Deputies' bill amending the Code of Administrative Procedure.

### THE SEJM CONSIDERED IN THE SECOND READING

- the Government bill amending the Water Act and some related acts;
- Deputies' draft resolution concerning negotiations of the European Union Multiannual Financial Framework in the years 2014-2020 (from the print no. 845). (*The draft was withdrawn by its sponsors.*)

**THE SEJM CONSIDERED THE CURRENT INFORMATION** concerning a prevention programme as regards the increased activity of extreme right groups and the escalation of incidents of xenophobic and nationalistic nature.

**THE SEJM ACCEPTED** the document "State of road traffic safety. Activities realised as regards the road traffic safety in 2011 and recommendations for the year 2012" submitted by the Prime Minister.

