

29th sitting of the Sejm, 10–12 December 2012

THE SEJM RETURNED TO COMMITTEES

- Government draft budget for 2013;
- Government bill amending the act on public finance and the act on the goods and services tax;
- Government bill amending the act on greenhouse gas and other substance emission management system and the Environment Protection Law;
- Deputies' bill amending the act on the management of the State Treasury agricultural estate.

THE SEJM CONSIDERED IN THE SECOND READING

- Senate's bill amending the act on the local referendum (*Marshal of the Sejm postponed the third reading of the bill to the next sitting*);
- Deputies' bill amending the act on health care benefits provided out of public funds and the act on supporting the family and the system of foster care

(*Marshal of the Sejm postponed the third reading of the bill to the next sitting*);

- Deputies' draft resolution declaring 2013 the Year of Hipolit Cegielski (*Marshal of the Sejm postponed the vote in the second reading to the next sitting*).

THE SEJM CONSIDERED IN THE FIRST READING

- Citizens' bill amending the act on the system of education;
- Deputies' bill amending the Energy Law and some related acts (*Marshal of the Sejm postponed the vote on motions to reject the bills to the next sitting*).

THE SEJM CONSIDERED THE CURRENT INFORMATION on the corruption in the process of implementing the 370 million PLN-worth project "pl.ID – Polish ID card," which assumes i.a. the introduction of electronic identification documents.

30th sitting of the Sejm, 12–14 December 2012

THE SEJM PASSED THE ACTS

- the Budget Act for 2013;
- amending the act on public finance and the act on the goods and services tax;
- amending the act on greenhouse gas and other substance emission management system and the Environment Protection Law;
- amending the act on local government employees and some related acts;
- amending the act on the local referendum and the act on the commune government;
- amending the act on health care benefits provided out of public funds and the act on supporting the family and the system of foster care;
- amending the act on the management of the State Treasury agricultural estate.

THE SEJM ADOPTED RESOLUTIONS

- honouring the 200th anniversary of Hipolit Cegielski's birthday;
- concerning the additional election to the Tribunal of State;
- concerning changes within personal composition of the Sejm committees.

THE SEJM CONSIDERED THE SENATE'S RESOLUTIONS CONCERNING THE ACTS

- waste management act (*Some of the Senate's amendments were accepted*);
- amending the act on insurance activity (*Some of the Senate's amendments were accepted*).

THE SEJM REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE the Deputies' bill amending the Energy Law and some related acts (*The Sejm did not accept the motion to reject the bill submitted at the 29th sitting – 138 votes for, 259 – against, 138 – withheld*).

THE SEJM ACCEPTED INFORMATION of the Prime Minister on the state of negotiations of the legislation package related to the Common Agricultural Policy past 2013 in relation to the EU's new Financial Framework for the years 2014–2020 and on the methods of realisation of the resolution of the Sejm of 25 April 2012 on supporting the Government of the Republic of Poland and summoning the European Parliament to actively pursue the simplification of the Common Agricultural Policy, competitiveness and progress, as well as the introduction of equal and non-discriminating principles of the division of funds for direct farming subsidies between the Member States of the European Union, as well as on the approach to the issues related to agriculture and rural development adopted in the programme and legislative documents of the EU and the Government related to the financial perspective 2014–2020 as regards improving the quality of life in the rural areas (*The Sejm did not accept the motion to reject the information submitted at the 28th sitting – 176 votes for, 272 – against, 4 – withheld*).

THE SEJM ACCEPTED the report by the Chief Labour Inspector on the activity of the National Labour Inspectorate in 2011.

THE SEJM REJECTED IN THE FIRST READING

- Deputies' bill amending the act on the personal income tax (*of print no. 847*);
- Deputies' bill amending the act on the personal income tax (*of print no. 882*);
- Deputies' bill amending the act on the personal income tax (*of print no. 982*);
- Citizens' bill amending the act on the system of education (*The Sejm accepted the motion to reject the bill submitted at the 29th sitting – 213 votes for, 209 – against, 3 – withheld*).