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News From Around PA

Governor Tom Wolf has proposed a new 5 percent **severance tax** on the state's natural gas industry, saying it would raise \$1 billion. He said the "lion's share" would be used to fund education.

The State House approved a constitutional change for the second time **raising a judge's mandatory retirement age from 70 to 75**. If the Senate passes the proposed amendment this session, the language will appear on a ballot to receive final approval from voters.

Governor Wolf plans to replace Tom Corbett's Healthy PA with traditional **Medicaid expansion** by fall.

Bryn Mawr College has voted to admit "transgender

women and intersex individuals who live and identify as women at the time of application."

News from National Scene

The Human Rights Campaign, the largest homosexual lobby group in the US, is moving into high gear disseminating "LGBT" propaganda to children. HRC will sponsor "**Time to Thrive**" over the weekend of Feb. 13-15 in Portland, OR. It's a conference for educators who want kids to believe they were born homosexual or born in the wrong sex body. It is co-sponsored by the NEA and American Counseling Association.

Louisiana Senator David Vitter is asking Obama's nominee for US Attorney General, Loretta Lynch, why she let multiple bank employees who funneled millions of dollars to the Iranian government, Middle Eastern terrorists and Mexican drug cartels walk away without criminal prosecution. Vitter is asking that a vote on Lynch's nomination be delayed.

The US Supreme Court refused to stay the ruling of a

federal judge throwing out **Alabama's Marriage Protection Amendment**. Only Justices Clarence Thomas and Antonin Scalia dissented, noting "this Court's increasingly cavalier attitude toward the States."

The **Department of State** will announce the appointment of a special envoy to "advocate for the rights of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender people overseas. The appointee will be a current openly gay State Department officer."

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