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News From Around PA

Chris Abruzzo, secretary of the state Dept. of Environmental Protection resigned over pornographic emails found in his archived inbox from when he was chief of staff to then Attorney General Tom Corbett. Top DEP lawyer, Glenn Parno, has also resigned over the porn.

However, as the **Allentown Morning Call** notes, " Ms. Kane, a Democrat, has named eight men her office said received sexually explicit emails. All eight either work in Corbett's Republican administration or have criticized Ms. Kane's leadership style, prosecutorial decisions and her internal review of the grand jury investigation of (Jerry) Sandusky."

Not a lot of media coverage about this Democrat's involvement: **Pennsylvania Supreme Court Justice Seamus McCaffery** forwarded at least eight sexually explicit emails from his personal email account to an employee in the state attorney general's office. Chief Justice Ron Castille said " A judge could be in violation of judicial rules of conduct for sending pornographic emails on government-owned computers or personal computers."

Open homosexual State House member **Brian Sims** held a hearing in Philadelphia pushing for the passage of hate crimes legislation with "sexual orientation and gender identity" language.

Liberty Counsel was successful in defending **The Inne of the Abingtons** in Lackawanna County for refusing to allow a same-sex couple to hold their wedding on the premises. If HB or SB 300 passes this story would end differently.

For the month of October, **the rainbow flag** will fly alongside the American flag at the NE corner of Philly City

Hall to commemorate LGBT History Month and National Coming Out Day.

News from National Scene

PA Congressman **Robert Brady** announced plans to introduce legislation that will amend the Matthew Shepard hate-crimes law to extend coverage to LGBT individuals. In order to obtain a conviction under the current law, the government must prove that the crime was in or affected interstate or foreign commerce. Brady's bill would "rectify that nuance to treat sexual orientation and gender identity on par with other included characteristics like race and religion."

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