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PA HOUSE BILL 2170

Making our Public Employee Relations Act more worker friendly

Introduced by Rep. Dan L. Miller and Rep. David M. Dellosa (Teamster)
Specifically, our bill would amend the Public Employee Relations Act (PERA) to:

- Mirror NLRB election timeframes to ensure timely votes;
- Install deadlines for the processing of petitions and other hearings similar to the NLRB;
- Provide greater flexibility to the PLRB in approving bargaining units that make sense along community of interest lines;
- Expand bargaining rights to more workplace issues for more public sector employees;
- Treat more public sectors equally by increasing bargaining topics

The PLRB's current timelines are simply out of date and these changes to the PERA will help make sure our public sector employees have more similar rights and protections as their federal counterparts.

Introduced as [HB2170](#)

