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Temporary waiver granted for 10-day rule in Pennsylvania

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Gov. Tom Wolf has granted a [temporary waiver](#) of the 10-day rule.

The length of time a funeral home may retain a body is automatically extended to 30 days, until the COVID-19 emergency ends. If a funeral home believes it will hold a body for more than 30 days, the funeral home must seek

permission from the Funeral Board in the same manner as under the 10-day rule.

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