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LEGISLATURE	
1361 with LIV	<p>Language appropriating \$2 million for General Assembly operations. LEG70#71#0002D</p> <p><u>In addition to the amount hereinabove appropriated, there is appropriated ¹[\$2,000,000] \$1,000,000¹ for General Assembly operations.</u></p>
2095 with LIV	<p>Language appropriating \$2 million for Senate operations. LEG70#71#0001D</p> <p><u>In addition to the amount hereinabove appropriated, there is appropriated ¹[\$2,000,000] \$1,000,000¹ for Senate operations.</u></p>
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE	
1133 with LIV	<p>Language concerning “After the Bell” School Breakfast Aid AGR40#49S</p> <p>¹<u>[The amount appropriated hereinabove for “After the Bell” School Breakfast Aid shall be used by the Secretary of Agriculture, in consultation with the Commissioner of Education, to develop and administer an incentive fund that will provide a 10-cent per breakfast supplement to the existing federal reimbursement to school districts that (1) participate in the federal school breakfast program, and (2) meet the eligibility requirements established herein. A public school district with schools that participate in the federal school breakfast program that serve “breakfast after the bell” with at least 20 percent of its students eligible for free or reduced price breakfast shall be eligible for this additional reimbursement. The secretary in consultation with the commissioner shall prepare and issue a report not later than June 30 to the Governor and, pursuant to section 2 of P.L.1991, c.164 (C.52:14-19.1), to the Legislature on the annual cost of the incentive fund to the State, and the number and percentage of additional students participating in the “breakfast after the bell” program for each school district.]¹</u></p>
<p>EXPLANATION-- Matter enclosed in superscript numerals and bold-faced brackets '¹[thus]' is not enacted and is intended to be omitted as reflected in Governor’s Line-Item-Veto of June 30, 2016.</p>	

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	DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES
1054	<p>Language allocating increased Women’s Services funding CFS50#55G</p> <p><u>Of the amount hereinabove appropriated for Women's Services, the amounts allocated to the lead domestic violence agencies in the State and to the New Jersey Coalition for Battered Women and the amount allocated to the 21 county-based sexual violence service organizations and the New Jersey Coalition Against Sexual Assault shall be no less than the amounts allocated for FY 2015 to those agencies.</u></p>
2004	<p>Language allocating - Child Advocacy Center Competitive Grant Program CFS50#55G</p> <p><u>The amount hereinabove appropriated for the Child Advocacy Center Competitive Grant Program shall be distributed as grants pursuant to a competitive process to child advocacy centers or multi-disciplinary teams for construction of new centers, renovation of existing centers, technology improvements, operational costs, or any other purpose that would enhance effective and efficient operation of centers or teams consistent with National Children’s Alliance standards.</u></p>
	DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS
501 GBM with LIV	<p>Modifies language concerning Municipal Compliance with “Best Practice Inventory” and Penalties for Noncompliance CMA70#75S</p> <p>Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, the release of ¹[the final 5% or \$500, whichever is greater, of]¹ the total annual amount due for the current fiscal year from Consolidated Municipal Property Tax Relief Aid to municipalities is subject to the following condition: the municipality shall submit to the Director of the Division of Local Government Services a report describing the municipality’s compliance with the “Best Practices Inventory” established by the Director of the Division of Local</p>

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	<p>Government Services and shall receive at least a minimum score on such inventory as determined by the Director of the Division of Local Government Services; provided, however, that the director may take into account the particular circumstances of a municipality ¹[in computing such score]¹. In preparing the Best Practices Inventory, the director shall identify best municipal practices in the areas of general administration, fiscal management, and operational activities, as well as the particular circumstances of a municipality, in determining the minimum score acceptable for the release of ¹[the final 5% or \$500, whichever is greater, of]¹ the total annual amount due for the current fiscal year ¹], but in no event shall amounts be withheld with respect to municipal practices occurring prior to the issuance of the Best Practices Inventory unless related to a municipal practice identified in the Best Practices Inventory established in the previous fiscal year]¹.</p>
<p>1059 with LIV</p>	<p>Language increasing Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) Minimum Annual Benefit Payments to qualify for Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) CMA50#55D ¹ <u>[Notwithstanding the provisions of any law, rule or regulation to the contrary, every household in the State that is eligible to receive benefits under the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) established pursuant to the "Food and Nutrition Act of 2008," Pub.L.110-246 (7 U.S.C. s.2011 et seq.) shall receive a minimum annual energy assistance payment of \$21 in order to qualify the household for a heating and cooling standard utility allowance under the SNAP program, in accordance with 7 U.S.C. s.2014(e)(6)(C), unless a standard utility allowance would have been unavailable to the household under the State and federal criteria for SNAP and any applicable energy assistance programs that were in place as of July 1, 2013. This annual payment shall be disbursed in accordance with the provisions of the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP), established pursuant to Pub.L. 97-35, Title XXVI (42 U.S.C. s.8621 et seq.) or other energy assistance program for which the household is eligible, as applicable. Any costs associated with increasing LIHEAP payments first shall be charged to the unexpended balance of federal funds available for the LIHEAP program, to the extent permitted by federal law and regulation.]¹</u></p>

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1126	<p>Language concerning Volunteers of America - Re-entry Services CMA50#55G</p> <p><u>The amounts hereinabove appropriated for Volunteers of America - Re-entry Services shall be utilized to provide expanded re-entry services in Atlantic City and Trenton which shall include medication-assisted treatment for relapse prevention.</u></p>
1257	<p>Language concerning New Jersey Re-entry Corporation - One Stop Offender Re-Entry Services CMA50#55G</p> <p><u>The amount hereinabove appropriated for New Jersey Re-entry Corporation - One-Stop Offender Re-entry Services shall be utilized to provide One-Stop Re-entry services in Newark, Jersey City, Paterson, and Toms River which shall include medication-assisted treatment for relapse prevention.</u></p>
2348 with LIV	<p>Language concerning County of Bergen Local Heritage Tourism and Scenic Byways Pilot Program CMA50#55G</p> <p><u>¹[The amount appropriated hereinabove for County of Bergen Local Heritage Tourism and Scenic Byways Pilot Program shall be used to develop a pilot program that will unite local history groups under the leadership of the County of Bergen Department of Parks, Division of Cultural and Historic Preservation, to promote local heritage programs county-wide, including but not limited to promotion of local historic locations and assets owned and operated through the division.]¹</u></p>
2372 1 of 2	<p>Modifies language concerning CMPTR Aid payment dates CMA70#75PS</p> <p>The amount hereinabove appropriated for Consolidated Municipal Property Tax Relief Aid shall be distributed on the following schedule: on or before August 1, [40%] <u>45%</u> of the total amount due; September 1, 30% of the total amount due; October 1, [10%] <u>15%</u> of the total amount due; November 1, 5% of the total amount due; December [20] <u>1</u> for municipalities operating under a calendar fiscal year; [15%] <u>5%</u> of the total amount due; and June 1 for municipalities operating under the State fiscal year, [15%] <u>5%</u> of the total amount due; provided, however, that notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, the Director of Local</p>

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	<p>Government Services, in consultation with the Commissioner of Community Affairs and the State Treasurer, may direct the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting to provide such payments on an accelerated schedule if necessary to ensure fiscal stability for a municipality.</p>
<p>E3</p>	<p>Language appropriating funds from the Urban and Rural Centers Unsafe Buildings Demolition Revolving Loan Fund CMA40#41S <u>There is appropriated from the Urban and Rural Centers Unsafe Buildings Demolition Revolving Loan Fund established under P.L.1997, c.125 the sum of \$9,950,522.53, to be used for building demolition and disposal projects in the following municipalities in the following amounts: Brick Township: \$300,000; Camden City: \$3,000,000; Glassboro Borough: \$1,499,000; Gloucester City: \$856,329.53; Hillside Township: \$105,000; Irvington Township: \$600,000; Paterson City: \$1,987,343; Pemberton Township: \$260,000; Pleasantville City: \$289,850; Salem City: \$250,000; Vineland City: \$635,000; Winslow Township: \$168,000.</u></p>
<p>E27</p>	<p>Modifies language concerning short term loans to local government units CMA70#75PS The State Treasurer, in consultation with the Commissioner of Community Affairs, is empowered to direct the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting to transfer appropriations from any State department to any other State department as may be necessary, to provide a loan for a term not to exceed 180 days to a local government unit faced with a fiscal crisis, including but not limited to a potential default on tax anticipation notes <u>and on such other terms and conditions as may be required by the commissioner.</u></p>
<p>E28 with LIV</p>	<p>Language concerning Lead-Safe Home Renovation Pilot Program CMA40#41G <u>The amount hereinabove appropriated for the Lead-Safe Home Renovation Pilot Program may be transferred to the Revolving Housing Development and Demonstration Grant Fund for the purpose of remediating lead in dwellings statewide, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting. ¹[The commissioner shall provide a preliminary report, on or before October</u></p>

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	<p><u>1, of the fiscal year plan for the Lead-Safe Home Renovation Pilot Program to the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting and the Joint Budget Oversight Committee that delineates the purposes and projects eligible for funding from the program and shall provide to the director and the committee quarterly reports of the expenditures of the fiscal year appropriations for the program.]¹</u></p>
	<p>DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION</p>
1064	<p>Modifies language to restore funding for Nonpublic Nursing Services Aid EDU30#31S Notwithstanding the provisions of section 9 of P.L.1991, c.226 (C.18A:40-31), the amount hereinabove appropriated for Nonpublic Nursing Services Aid shall be made available to local school districts based upon the number of pupils enrolled in each nonpublic school on the last day prior to October 16, 2015 [and the rate per pupil shall be \$85].</p>
1065 with LIV	<p>Modifies language to restore funding for Nonpublic Technology Initiative Aid EDU30#31S Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, Nonpublic Technology Initiative Aid shall be paid to school districts and allocated for nonpublic school pupils at the rate of [\$20] ¹[\$34] \$26¹ per pupil in a manner that is consistent with the provisions of the federal and State constitutions.</p>
1066 with LIV	<p>Language distributing the appropriation for Adult Education Programs EDU30#31S ¹[The amount hereinabove appropriated for Adult Education Programs shall be distributed at a rate of \$1,500 per pupil for students enrolled on a full-time equivalent basis (as determined by the Commissioner of Education) in an approved adult high school, a postsecondary career and technical education program at a county vocational-technical school, or a non-credit career and technical education program that has been transferred to a county college from a county vocational school district pursuant to a formal resolution prior to the</p>

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	<p>effective date of this appropriations act. The per pupil amount shall be reduced proportionally if the amount appropriated is insufficient to provide full funding for all eligible enrolled students. The Commissioner of Education and the Commissioner of Labor and Workforce Development shall review all sources of federal and state funding for employment training programs, and shall make recommendations to the Legislature by May 1, 2017 regarding the availability of such funds to support these programs in future fiscal years.]¹</p>
<p>1067 with LIV</p>	<p>Language allocating \$75 per pupil for Nonpublic Security Aid EDU30#31S <u>From the amount hereinabove appropriated for Nonpublic Security Aid the Commissioner of Education shall provide State aid to each school district in an amount equal to ¹[\$75] \$50¹ multiplied by the number of nonpublic school students within the district identified by the district on or before November 5 for security services, equipment, or technology to ensure a safe and secure school environment for nonpublic school students.</u></p>
<p>2005 with LIV</p>	<p>Modifies language appropriating no less than \$550,000 of federal funds for Learning Ally EDUTOT Subject to the availability of federal funds, the Commissioner of Education shall enter into a contract with a nonprofit entity, having the largest library of audio textbooks, for the provision of products and services to public schools to assist students who are unable to use standard text due to a learning disability, visual impairment, or a physical disability. The products and services to be provided may include, but need not be limited to, accessible, human-narrated audiobooks that are available through both mainstream and specialized devices, software capable of recording and reporting data for instructional purposes, and professional development opportunities for instructional and support staff. Upon the certification of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting of the availability of federal funds for the performance of the terms of such contract for the 2016-2017 school year, there is appropriated an amount of federal funds ¹[<u>not less than \$550,000 and</u>]¹ not to exceed \$1,500,000 subject to the approval of the director.</p>

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<p>2007 with LIV</p>	<p>Language allocating \$25 million for expansion of Preschool Education Expansion Aid (PTRF) EDU30#31PS</p> <p><u>¹[From the amount hereinabove appropriated for Preschool Education Expansion Aid, the Commissioner of Education shall provide State aid to no more than 17 qualified districts for the purpose of providing free access to full-day preschool for all three- and four-year old children residing in the school district in accordance with the preschool quality standards adopted by the commissioner, including assistance to districts with the highest concentrations of at-risk pupils to prepare to operate full-day preschool programs. The commissioner shall determine which qualified districts shall receive Preschool Education Expansion Aid based on a district’s demonstration of its readiness to operate a preschool program consistent with the preschool quality standards, and shall give priority to qualified districts having the highest concentration of at-risk pupils, as defined pursuant to section 3 of P.L.2007, c.260 (C.18A:7F-45), among all qualified districts. The commissioner shall calculate the aid pursuant to the provisions of subsection a. of section 12 of P.L.2007, c.260 (C.18A:7F-54) based on the projected preschool enrollment. For the purposes of this provision, “qualified district” means a school district that: (1) pursuant to the provisions of section 12 of P.L.2007, c.260 (C.18A:7F-54), is to provide free access to full-day preschool to all three- and four-year old children who reside in the district; (2) does not receive any other State funding to provide such access to full-day preschool to all three- and four-year old children; (3) does not receive funds from a subgrant from the federal Preschool Development Grants program; and (4) has at least 75 resident four-year old children who reside in households in which the household income is no greater than 185 percent of the federal poverty guidelines.]¹</u></p>
<p>2032 with LIV</p>	<p>Language concerning Advanced Placement Exam Fee Waiver grants EDU30#34G</p> <p><u>The amount hereinabove appropriated for Advanced Placement Exam Fee Waiver shall supplement that portion of the Advanced Placement Exam Fee that is not currently funded by the Federal Advanced Placement Test Fee Program, The College Board Test Fee Waiver and School Test Processing Fee Waiver for students that qualify for the Free or Reduced Lunch Program ¹, and any remaining amounts shall be allocated to the Commissioner of Education who shall provide grants to assist public school districts to establish or expand Advanced Placement programs including expanding virtual and/or blended Advanced Placement efforts. In awarding these</u></p>

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	<p><u>grants the commissioner shall give preference to schools in which at least 40% of students qualify for the Free or Reduced Lunch Program or are presently offering four or fewer Advanced Placement courses and can establish unmet Advanced Placement potential as demonstrated by current PSAT / NMSQT data and other key measures. The grants may be used for the following purposes, including, but not limited to: providing additional academic support to students as well as outreach and recruitment of students; expanding access to the AP Insight Program; scholarships for teachers to participate in endorsed AP Summer Institutes or other beneficial professional development opportunities; and Advanced Placement course start-up costs, including, but not limited to: curriculum materials, necessary laboratory equipment and other supplies or materials required for the offering of Advanced Placement courses. The commissioner shall develop additional grant-eligibility criteria and shall award funds to applying school districts accordingly.]¹</u></p>
<p>2290 with LIV</p>	<p>Language allocating Programmatic Stabilization Aid EDU30#31PS</p> <p>¹<u>[The amount hereinabove appropriated for Programmatic Stabilization Aid shall be used by the Commissioner of Education to provide State aid to a school district, other than a school district that participates in the interdistrict public school choice program, that: 1) between October 2010 and October 2014, experienced an increase in its actual resident enrollment of at least 4.5%, 2) between the 2013 - 2014 school year and the 2015 - 2016 school year, experienced a decrease in its equalized valuation, as defined pursuant to section 3 of P.L.2007, c.260 (C.18A:7F-45), of at least 21%, and 3) the school district's State aid growth limit, as calculated by the Department of Education in the 2013-2014 school year, equaled 20%. Programmatic Stabilization Aid shall be allocated to an eligible school district based on the district's share of, among all districts that are eligible to receive Programmatic Stabilization Aid, the sum of Equalization Aid, Special Education Categorical Aid, Security Aid, Transportation Aid, and Adjustment Aid awarded in fiscal year 2016.]¹</u></p>

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<p>2373</p>	<p>Modifies language requiring JBOC notice of Emergency Fund (Dept. of Education) EDU30#31S Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, <u>following notification to the Joint Budget Oversight Committee</u> there are appropriated to the Emergency Fund account such additional amounts as may be required to fund approved applications for emergency aid following district needs assessments conducted by the Department of Education, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.</p>
<p>2375</p>	<p>Language allocating appropriation for County Vocational School District Partnership Grant Program EDU30#33S <u>The amount hereinabove appropriated for County Vocational School District Partnership Grant Program shall be allocated for grants to county vocational school districts to partner with urban districts, other school districts, county colleges, and other entities to create high-quality career and technical education programs in existing facilities. The Commissioner of Education shall award grants, within the limit of available State appropriations, to selected county vocational school districts to be used to support the development and implementation of a career and technical education program. The commissioner shall determine the amount of each grant awarded under the program and may award multi-year grants.</u></p>

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<p>2810</p>	<p>Deletes language concerning Opportunity Scholarship Demonstration Program EDU30#34G [The amount hereinabove appropriated for the Opportunity Scholarship Demonstration Program for the 2016-2017 school year is subject to the following conditions: the Commissioner of Education shall establish, implement, and oversee a pilot program to provide expanded educational opportunities for a limited number of pupils from families with limited financial resources who are enrolled in selected chronically failing schools by providing scholarships not to exceed \$10,000 per student to enable them to enroll in a different school selected by their parents or guardians; provided, however, that in order to be eligible to receive a scholarship pursuant to this paragraph, a student shall be from a household with an income that does not exceed 1.85 times the official federal poverty level for the school year and be enrolled in a chronically failing school as selected and determined by the Commissioner of Education. The Commissioner of Education shall be responsible for establishing written eligibility criteria for scholarships and for selecting one or more public or nonpublic schools located in this State to provide an approved program of instruction to students receiving scholarships under this program. Such written eligibility criteria and other relevant information concerning the utilization of these scholarship funds shall be publicly available and published on the Department’s Internet website.]</p>
<p>E4</p>	<p>Modifies language concerning allocation of State Facilities Education Act funding to the Juvenile Justice Commission EDUTOT Notwithstanding the provisions of “The State Facilities Education Act of 1979,” (SFEA) P.L.1979, c.207 (C.18A:7B-1 et al.) or any law or regulation to the contrary, funding forwarded to the Juvenile Justice Commission pursuant to subsection c. of section 6 of P.L.1979, c.207 (C.18A:7B-2) may be used to support the costs of SFEA students enrolled in a [vocational education program] <u>career and technical education program</u>, [or] an adult education assessment program[.], <u>or a post-secondary dual and concurrent enrollment education program.</u></p>

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<p>E8 with LIV</p>	<p>Language allocating funding to support the testing of school drinking water for lead EDU 30 #31 PS <u>Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, the amount hereinabove appropriated for Lead Testing for Schools is subject to the following condition: amounts shall be paid to school districts, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting, based on approved applications for reimbursement of the costs of testing school drinking water pursuant to program requirements established by the department, which shall be effective upon filing with the Office of Administrative Law.</u> <u>¶[The commissioner shall provide a preliminary report, on or before October 1, of the fiscal year plan for Lead Testing for Schools to the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting and the Joint Budget Oversight Committee that delineates the program requirements and shall provide to the director and the committee quarterly reports of the expenditures of the fiscal year appropriations for the program.]¹</u></p>
<p>DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION</p>	
<p>503 GBM with LIV</p>	<p>Deletes language allocating Recreational Land Development and Conservation- Constitutional Dedication Appropriation ENV40#42D <u>¶[Of the amount hereinabove appropriated for the Recreational Land Development and Conservation - Constitutional Dedication account, such amounts of the appropriation as are to be determined by the Commissioner of Environmental Protection shall be allocated for costs associated with the administration of the program pursuant to the amendments effective July 1, 2015 to Article VIII, Section II, paragraph 6 of the State Constitution, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.]¹</u></p>
<p>505 GBM with LIV</p>	<p>Deletes language concerning Recreational Land Development and Conservation- Constitutional Dedication Appropriation ENV40#42 C <u>¶[The amounts hereinabove appropriated for Recreational Land Development and Conservation - Constitutional Dedication shall be provided from revenue received from the Corporation Business Tax, pursuant to the “Corporation Business Tax Act (1945),” P.L.1945, c.162 (C.54:10A-1 et seq.), as dedicated by Article VIII, Section II, paragraph 6 of the State Constitution.]¹</u></p>

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<p>506 GBM with LIV</p>	<p>Deletes language allocating Recreational Land Development and Conservation- Constitutional Dedication Appropriation to Palisades Interstate Park Commission ENV40#42C ¹[Of the amount hereinabove appropriated for the Recreational Land Development and Conservation - Constitutional Dedication account, an amount not to exceed \$525,000 is appropriated to the Palisades Interstate Park Commission for costs associated with the capital improvement of recreational land, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.]¹</p>
<p>1359</p>	<p>Language allocating Parks Management appropriations for Lake Hopatcong weed control ENV40#42D <u>From the amounts appropriated hereinabove for Parks Management, the commissioner shall allocate such amounts as may be necessary to develop and implement a program for weed control at Lake Hopatcong.</u></p>
<p>2034 1 of 2</p>	<p>Modifies language to re-allocate Parks Management funding from CBT revenue to Clean Energy Fund ENV40#42D <u>[The amounts hereinabove] Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, there is appropriated \$19,972,000 from the Clean Energy Fund for Parks Management.</u>[- Constitutional Dedication shall be provided from revenue received from the Corporation Business Tax, pursuant to the “Corporation Business Tax Act (1945),” P.L.1945, c.162 (C.54:10A-1 et seq.), as dedicated by Article VIII, Section II, paragraph 6 of the State Constitution.]</p>
<p>2034 with LIV 2 of 2</p>	<p>Modifies language concerning Open Space, Farmland and Historic Preservation - Constitutional Dedication (Shift to Reserve for subsequent appropriations) ENV40#42C: ¹[Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, the amount hereinabove appropriated for the Open Space, Farmland and Historic Preservation - Constitutional Dedication Capital Construction appropriation is established pursuant to]¹<u>[The Department of Environmental Protection, the Department of Agriculture, and the Department of Community Affairs shall provide technical and</u></p>

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	<p><u>administrative assistance to the Legislature in the implementation of Article VIII, Section II, paragraph 6 of the State Constitution. The departments may recover appropriate administrative costs for providing this assistance from amounts to be appropriated for the implementation of the Constitutional dedication.]¹ [</u>, and is subject to the following conditions: (1) 60.5% of the appropriation shall be allocated to the Department of Environmental Protection, and the Commissioner of the Department of Environmental Protection shall establish, implement and oversee a program to provide funding, including loans or grants, for the preservation, including acquisition, development, and stewardship, of lands for recreation and conservation purposes, including lands that protect water supplies and lands that have incurred flood or storm damage or are likely to do so, or that may buffer or protect other properties from flood or storm damage, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting; (2) 36.5% of the appropriation shall be allocated and transferred to the Department of Agriculture, and the Secretary of the Department of Agriculture shall establish, implement and oversee a program to provide funding, including loans and grants, for the preservation and stewardship of land for agricultural or horticultural use and production, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting; and (3) 3% of the appropriation shall be allocated and transferred to the Department of Community Affairs, and the Commissioner of the Department of Community Affairs shall establish, implement and oversee a program to provide funding, including loans and grants, for the preservation and stewardship of land for historic preservation, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.]</p>
E31	<p>Language appropriating unexpended balances in the Diesel Risk Mitigation Fund-Constitutional Dedication account ENV40#45G <u>Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, the unexpended balances at the end of the preceding fiscal year in the Diesel Risk Mitigation Fund – Constitutional Dedication account are appropriated to be used in a manner consistent with the requirements of the constitutional dedication of the corporation business tax as dedicated by Article VIII, Section II, paragraph 6 of the State Constitution as follows: 5% for water resources monitoring and planning; 9% for private underground storage tank remediation; 10% for hazardous substance discharge remediation loans and grants; 5% for hazardous substance discharge remediation; and 71% for acquisition, development and stewardship.</u></p>

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	DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
<p>508 GBM with LIV</p>	<p>Modifies Charity Care language to Reduce funding to \$302 million HEA20#22G Notwithstanding the provisions of section 3 of P.L.2004, c.113 (C.26:2H--18.59i) or any law or regulation to the contrary, the appropriation for Health Care Subsidy Fund Payments is subject to the following conditions: the distribution of Charity Care funding shall be calculated in the following manner: (a) source data for the most recent census data shall be from the 2013 5--Year American Community Survey; (b) source data used shall be from calendar years (CY) 2014 for documented charity care claims data and hospital-specific gross revenue for charity care patients and shall include all adjustments and void claims related to CY 2014 and any prior year submitted claims, as submitted by each acute care hospital or determined by the Department of Health (DOH); (c) source data used for CY 2014 documented charity care for each hospital's total gross revenue for all patients shall be from the CY 2014 Acute Care Hospital Cost Report as defined by Form E4, Line 1, Column E data and shall be according to the DOH advance submission request dated February 5, 2015, as submitted by each acute care hospital by March 13, 2015, and source data used for Medicare Cost Report data shall be from CY 2013; (d) in the event that an eligible hospital failed to submit by March 13, 2015, its total gross revenue for all patients from the CY 2014 Acute Care Hospital Cost Report as defined by Form E4, Line 1, Column E data according to the DOH advance submission request dated February 5, 2015, source data from CY 2013 shall be used for hospital--specific gross revenue for charity care patients and for hospital total gross revenue for all patients as defined by Form E4, Line 1, Column E; (e) the hospital-specific reimbursed documented charity care shall be permitted to decline to 2%, rather than be limited to no less than 43%; (f) for each eligible hospital, except those designated 96% by their hospital--specific reimbursed documented charity care, a proportionate decrease shall be applied to its calculated subsidy based on its percentage of total subsidy such that the total calculated subsidy for all hospitals shall equal ¹[\$352,000,000] <u>\$302,000,000</u>¹ ; and (g) the resulting value will constitute each eligible hospital's SFY 2017 charity care subsidy allocation.</p>

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<p>1340 with LIV</p>	<p>Language allocating appropriation for Local Health Officer Training-Zika Virus Prevention HEA20#21G <u>¹[The amount hereinabove appropriated for Local Health Officer Training-Zika Virus Prevention shall be allocated by the commissioner to establish and implement a training program for municipal and county health officers for Zika virus prevention measures.]¹</u></p>
<p>1119</p>	<p>Language allocating funds for Cancer Institute of New Jersey- University Hospital Cancer Center Services HEA 20#21G <u>The amount hereinabove appropriated for Cancer Institute of New Jersey- University Hospital Cancer Center Services is allocated to the Cancer Institute of New Jersey for the expansion of National Cancer Institute-designated Cancer Center services at University Hospital in Newark to attract clinical trials and advanced cancer care and prevention strategies to the Greater Newark Area with the goal of ensuring parity among cancer patients, including the underserved and underinsured populations.</u></p>
<p>1139 with LIV</p>	<p>Language to allocate appropriation for the ALS Association HEA20#21G <u>¹[Of the amount hereinabove appropriated for the ALS Association to provide support services to New Jersey residents, 50 percent shall be allocated to the Greater Philadelphia Chapter of the ALS Association to serve residents in southern New Jersey and 50 percent shall be allocated to the Greater New York Chapter of the ALS Association to serve residents in central and northern New Jersey.]¹</u></p>
<p>DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES</p>	
<p>2371 with LIV</p>	<p>Language authorizing advance payment to nursing facility for delayed Medicaid eligibility determination HUM20#24#7540#G <u>¹[Notwithstanding the provision of any law or regulation to the contrary, beginning not later than July 1, 2016, the Commissioner of Human Services may make an advance payment to a nursing facility licensed pursuant to P.L.1971, c.136 (C.26:2H-1 et seq.), at the facility's request, whenever the facility is providing uncompensated services to one or more residents whose eligibility for Medicaid has not been</u></p>

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	<p><u>determined more than 90 days after an application has been filed. Any such advance payment shall be made with State funding only and shall not exceed fifty percent of the estimated amount due for the uncompensated services. No later than 30 days after any such application is granted and payment has been made to the facility, or after any such application has been denied, the commissioner shall provide reimbursement for any balance due to the facility, or recover any advance payments made on behalf of an applicant deemed ineligible for Medicaid by reducing any payments due to the facility.]¹</u></p>
<p>1079 with LIV</p>	<p>Language increasing minimum personal needs allowances to \$50 HUMTOT ¹<u>[Notwithstanding the provisions of section 1 of P.L.1985, c.286 (C.30:4D-6a) and section 3 of P.L.1973, c.496 (C.44:7-87) or the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, the minimum monthly personal needs allowance provided to persons residing in nursing facilities, State or county psychiatric hospitals, and State Developmental Centers who are eligible for Medicaid or SSI benefits shall be \$50. To effectuate the purposes of this provision, amounts may be transferred from General Medical Services appropriations to other accounts in the department.]¹</u></p>
<p>1081 with LIV 1 of 2</p>	<p>Language to increase client benefit levels for Work First New Jersey HUM 50#53#7550S ¹<u>[The amounts hereinabove appropriated for Work First New Jersey - Client Benefits are subject to the following condition: effective July 1, 2016, the maximum benefit levels provided to Work First New Jersey- TANF recipients shall be increased by 10 percent over the benefit levels established pursuant to N.J.A.C. 10:90-3.3.]¹</u></p>
<p>1081 with LIV 2 of 2</p>	<p>Language to increase client benefit levels for General Assistance HUM 50#53#7550S ¹<u>[The amounts hereinabove appropriated for Payments for Cost of General Assistance are subject to the following condition: effective July</u></p>

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	<p><u>1, 2016, the maximum benefit levels provided to Work First New Jersey - General Assistance recipients shall be increased by 10 percent over the benefit levels established pursuant to N.J.A.C. 10:90-3.5.]¹</u></p>
<p>1082 with LIV 1 of 2</p>	<p>Modifies language concerning Medical Coverage-Community Based Long Term Care Recipients (assisted living per diems) HUM 20#24#7540G Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, the amounts hereinabove appropriated to the General Medical Services program classification are subject to the following condition: assisted living facilities, comprehensive personal care homes and assisted living programs shall [be reimbursed at the rates received on June 30, 2016] <u>receive a per diem rate, respectively, of no less than ¹[\$75] \$73.13¹, ¹[\$65] \$63.13¹, and ¹[\$55] \$53.13¹ as reimbursement for each NJ FamilyCare beneficiary under their care.</u></p>
<p>1082 with LIV 2 of 2</p>	<p>Modifies language to provide increased reimbursement for nursing homes. HUM 20#24#7540G Notwithstanding the provisions of chapter 85 of Title 8 of the New Jersey Administrative Code or any other law or regulation to the contrary and subject to any required federal approval, the amounts hereinabove appropriated within the General Medical Services program classification are subject to the following conditions: (1) Class I (private), Class II (county), and Class III (special care) nursing facilities being paid on a fee-for-service basis, shall be reimbursed at the rate received on June 30, 2016 <u>¹[plus a per diem adjustment that shall be calculated based upon an additional \$5,250,000 in State and \$5,250,000 in federal appropriations]</u>¹. Further, no Class I, II, and III nursing facilities being paid on a fee-for-service basis shall receive any additional per diem rate adjustment, with the exception of the provider tax add-on payments; (2) nursing facilities that are being paid by a Managed Care Organization (MCO) for custodial care through a provider contract that includes a negotiated rate shall receive that negotiated rate; (3) any Class I and Class III that is being paid by an MCO for custodial care through a provider contract but has not yet negotiated a rate shall receive the equivalent fee-for-service per diem reimbursement rate as it received as of June 30, 2016 <u>¹[plus a per diem adjustment that shall be calculated based upon an additional \$5,250,000 in State and \$5,250,000 in federal appropriations]</u>¹ and any Class II nursing facility that is being paid by an MCO but has not yet negotiated a rate shall receive the equivalent fee-for-service per diem reimbursement rate received on</p>

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	<p>June 30, 2016, had it been a Class I nursing facility ¹<u>plus a per diem adjustment that shall be calculated based upon an additional \$5,250,000 in State and \$5,250,000 in federal appropriations</u>¹; (4) monies designated pursuant to subsection c. of section 6 of P.L.2003, c.105 (C.26:2H-97) for distribution to nursing facilities, less the portion of those funds to be paid as pass-through payments in accordance with paragraph (1) of subsection d. of section 6 of P.L.2003, c.105 (C.26:2H-97), shall be combined with amounts hereinabove appropriated for the General Medical Services program classification for the purpose of calculating NJ FamilyCare reimbursements for nursing facilities; and (5) for the purposes of this paragraph, a nursing facility's per diem reimbursement rate or negotiated rate shall not include, if the nursing facility is eligible for reimbursement, the difference between the full calculated provider tax add-on and the quality-of-care portion of the provider tax add-on, which difference shall be payable as an allowable cost pursuant to subsection d. of section 6 of P.L.2003, c.105 (C.26:2H-97). Provided, further, that on or before September 15, 2016, the Department shall calculate and disseminate to the MCOs the amount of the add-on payable during the year starting October 1, 2016 as an allowable cost, as well as the list of nursing facilities that will receive this add-on, and the MCOs shall adjust the rates paid to nursing facilities accordingly; the add-ons calculated for FY 2016 shall be applied from July 1, 2016, through September 30, 2016 and the first add-on shall be applied to fee-for-service per diem reimbursement rates effective October 1, 2016.</p>
<p>2006 with LIV</p>	<p>Language reinstating General Assistance Emergency Assistance Program (Reinstates Emergency Rental Assistance Pilot Program) HUM50#53#7550PS ¹<u>[The amounts hereinabove appropriated for Income Maintenance Management are conditioned upon the following: the commissioner shall reinstate the Emergency Rental Assistance Pilot Program consistent with N. J.A.C. 10:90-6.9 et seq.]</u>¹</p>
<p>2336 with LIV</p>	<p>Language requiring use of real-time verification systems for program eligibility determinations. HUMTOT ¹<u>[The amounts hereinabove appropriated to the Department of Human Services are conditioned upon the following: the Department of Human Services shall, to the extent possible, utilize automated commercial wage verification services for the purposes of acquiring necessary real-time employment and income information to help determine program eligibility.]</u>¹</p>

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<p>2044</p>	<p>Modifies language to increase hourly fee-for-service rate for personal care assistant services. HUM20#24#7540G Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, and subject to the notice provisions of 42 C.F.R. s.447.205, of the amount hereinabove appropriated for General Medical Services program classification, personal care assistant services shall be authorized prior to the beginning of services by the Director of the Division of Disability Services. The hourly rate for fee-for-service personal care services shall be [\$15.50] <u>\$18.00</u>.</p>
<p>2146 with LIV</p>	<p>Language concerning Work First New Jersey- Client Benefits (repeals family cap) HUM50#53PS ¹<u>[Notwithstanding section 7 of P.L.1997, c.38 (C.44:10-61) or any other law or regulation to the contrary, the level of cash assistance benefits payable to an assistance unit with dependent children shall increase as a result of a child having been born to the assistance unit while the assistance unit is receiving assistance.]¹</u></p>
<p>2374 1 of 2</p>	<p>Modifies language concerning allocation of Medicaid recoveries to county welfare agencies. HUM20#24#7540G Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, all object accounts appropriated in the General Medical Services program classification shall be conditioned upon the following provision: when any action by a county welfare agency, whether alone or in combination with the Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services, results in a recovery of improperly granted medical assistance, the Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services may reimburse the county welfare agency in the amount of [50%] <u>25%</u> of the [non-federal share] <u>gross recovery</u>.</p>
<p>2374</p>	<p>Modifies language concerning allocation of Medicaid recoveries to county welfare agencies. HUM20#26D</p>

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2 of 2	When any action by a county welfare agency, whether alone or in combination with the Department of Human Services, results in a recovery of improperly granted medical assistance, the Department of Human Services may reimburse the county welfare agency in the amount of [50%] <u>25%</u> of the [non-federal share] <u>gross recovery</u> .
E1	<p>Language allocating funds for Accountable Care Organizations HUM 20#24# 7540D <u>Of the amounts hereinabove appropriated for Services Other Than Personal, an amount not to exceed \$1,500,000, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting, is allocated for support of efforts by the New Jersey approved Accountable Care Organizations (ACOs) to provide intensive management of high utilization Medicaid recipients with the goal of improving health outcomes and patient satisfaction while lowering costs; provided, however, that payments to an individual ACO shall not exceed \$1,000,000 in State and matching federal funds per ACO and shall be made available to reimburse each approved ACO for administrative expenses.</u></p>
E2	<p>Language concerning reimbursement for specialized hospitals HUM 20# 24#7540G <u>Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, payments from appropriations hereinabove in the General Medical Services program classification for special hospital prospective per diem reimbursements for Medicaid fee-for-service recipients are subject to the following condition: subject to the approval of any required State plan amendment by the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services special hospitals licensed pursuant to P.L. 1971, c.136 (C.26:2H-1 et seq.) with more than 60 but less than 102 special beds shall be reimbursed at a prospective per diem rate for Medicaid fee-for-service recipients established by the Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services. The base year prospective per diem rate shall be equal to the per diem rate in effect and paid on June 30, 2015 and may be updated by the economic factor specified in N.J.A.C. 10:52-5.13, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting. Provided, however, in the event that the number of licensed beds decreases by 20% or more, the prospective per diem rate may be renegotiated. Any Medicaid cost reports not final settled for Medicaid fee-for-service</u></p>

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	<p><u>reimbursement prior to July 1, 2016 shall be prospectively settled based on the per diem rate in effect and paid on June 30,2015, adjusted to deflate to the applicable cost report year.</u></p>
	<p align="center">DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT</p>
<p>1360 with LIV</p>	<p>Language allocating appropriation for Workplace Standards Salaries and Wages for NJ Prevailing Wage Act enforcement costs. LAB50#54D ¹<u>[Of the amount hereinabove appropriated for Workplace Standards Salaries and Wages, an amount not less than \$250,000 shall be allocated for the costs of additional staff assigned to enforce the provisions of the “New Jersey Prevailing Wage Act,” P.L.1963, c.150 (C.34:11-56.25 et seq.).]</u>¹</p>
<p>1083</p>	<p>Modifies language appropriating additional \$5 million for Vocational Rehabilitation Services. LAB50#54G In addition to the amount hereinabove appropriated for Vocational Rehabilitation Services, there is appropriated an additional \$5,000,000 from the Workforce Development Partnership Fund for Extended Employment (Center based jobs), Extended Employment Transportation, and Long-Term Follow Along Services , <u>which shall be allocated in the same amounts as in Fiscal Year 2016. Further, there is appropriated an additional \$5,000,000 from the Workforce Development Partnership Fund, of which \$3,600,000 shall be allocated for the Extended Employment client slots transferred to the Department of Labor and Workforce Development from the Department of Human Services, and \$1,400,000 shall be allocated for Extended Employment Transportation.</u> Of the amounts hereinabove appropriated for Vocational Rehabilitation Services, an amount not less than [\$6,168,000] <u>\$9,768,000</u> shall be allocated for the Extended Employment client slots transferred to the Department of Labor and Workforce Development from the Department of Human Services and shall be paid in twelve equal monthly payments of \$814,000, commencing July 2016. <u>These funds shall be contracted in July and the first payment shall be paid to providers in July 2016.</u></p>

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	<p>Of the amounts hereinabove appropriated for Vocational Rehabilitation Services, an amount not less than \$24,012,000 shall be allocated for the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Extended Employment client slots <u>and shall be paid in twelve equal monthly payments of \$2,001,000, commencing July 2016. These funds shall be contracted in July and the first payment shall be paid to providers in July 2016.</u></p>
<p>2003 with LIV</p>	<p>Language appropriating \$3.5 million from the State Disability Benefits Fund for Family Leave Insurance Program outreach LAB50#53D ¹<u>[In addition to the amount hereinabove appropriated for State Disability Insurance Plan, there is appropriated \$3,500,000 from the State Disability Benefits Fund for the Family Leave Insurance Program for education and community outreach, of which not less than \$2,000,000 shall be allocated to community-based organizations.]¹</u></p>
	<p>DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY</p>
<p>2113 with LIV</p>	<p>Language allocating appropriation to Board of Nursing for Home Health Aide processing backlog LPS80#82D ¹<u>[The amount hereinabove appropriated for Board of Nursing - Home Health Aide Application Backlog, shall be expended by the board during the fiscal year, for the cost of staff assigned to processing home health aide applications, additional supplemental staff, and/or expenses necessary to process home health aide applications.]¹</u></p>
<p>2013 with LIV</p>	<p>Language allocating appropriation for Homeland Security Grants (non-UASI) LPS10#19S ¹<u>[The amount hereinabove appropriated for Homeland Security Grants shall be allocated by the Office of Homeland Security and Preparedness to nonprofit organizations for purposes consistent with the Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI), Pub.L. 107-296, (6 U.S.C. s.603) in locations not eligible for UASI funding in amounts not to exceed \$75,000 per grantee and subject to a 25% match from grantee</u></p>

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	<u>funds.]¹</u>
	DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS
2273 with LIV	<p>Language concerning expenditures of State funds for the retention of federal military installations MVA10#14D</p> <p><u>¹[The amount hereinabove appropriated for Administration and Support Services is conditioned on the following: any professional services contract awarded by the department for preservation of New Jersey federal military installations shall be based upon the degree of experience of the contractor in advocating against the closure of federal military installations.]¹</u></p>
	DEPARTMENT OF STATE
2346 with LIV	<p>Language allocating \$17.8 million from Tuition Aid Grant program to reduce differential between public and private institutions STA30#36#2405G</p> <p>Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, the amounts provided hereinabove for Tuition Aid Grants shall provide awards to all qualified applicants at levels not to exceed 2% above those levels provided by the Higher Education Student Assistance Authority in the prior fiscal year ¹, <u>provided however, that the Higher Education Student Assistance Authority shall use \$17,817,000 to increase the value of grants awarded to all qualified applicants attending a public institution of higher education or to extend grant eligibility to all qualified applicants attending a public institution of higher education and classified in a New Jersey Eligibility Index category that was ineligible to receive a grant in the prior academic year, provided further, that the authority shall first use a portion of the \$17,817,000 to avoid reducing the value of grants awarded to all qualified applicants attending an independent institution of higher education below the value of grants awarded in the prior fiscal year.]¹</u> The unexpended balances reappropriated to the Tuition Aid Grant account shall be available to fund increases in the number of applicants qualifying for full-time Tuition Aid</p>

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	<p>Grant awards, to fund increases in award amounts, and to fund shifts in the distribution of awards that result in an increase in program costs.</p>
<p>1363</p>	<p>Language shifting 100 State-funded positions from Cooper Medical School to Rowan University STA30#36#2445G For the purpose of implementing the appropriations act for the current fiscal year, the number of State-funded positions at Rowan University shall be [1,549] <u>1,649</u>. For the purpose of implementing the appropriations act for the current fiscal year, the fringe benefits for [205] <u>105</u> positions at Cooper Medical School of Rowan University are funded by the State.</p>
<p>2048</p>	<p>Language increasing allocation for the New Jersey Small Business Development Centers STA70#74D Of the amount hereinabove appropriated to the Business Action Center, an amount up to [\$250,000] <u>\$500,000</u> is appropriated for New Jersey Small Business Development Centers, pursuant to a spending plan approved by the Secretary of State.</p>

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<p>2299</p>	<p>Language protecting the allocation of funding to Rutgers- Camden and Rutgers- Newark STA30#36#2410G <u>Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, the amount appropriated hereinabove for Rutgers, The State University Institutional Support is subject to the following conditions: (a) if State funded appropriations for Institutional Support, and the sum of all anticipated Receipts from Tuition Increase, General Services Income, Auxiliary Funds Income, Special Funds Income and Employee Fringe Benefits for Rutgers – Camden are anticipated during the fiscal year to total less than \$157,677,000, the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting shall determine the amount of the difference between that anticipated total and \$157,677,000, and transfer from the State General Fund appropriation for Rutgers –New Brunswick to the State General Fund appropriation for Rutgers – Camden, for additional State funded Institutional Support for Rutgers – Camden for the fiscal year, the amount of that difference, with notice thereof provided by the director to the Legislative Budget and Finance Officer; (b) if State funded appropriations for Institutional Support, and the sum of all anticipated Receipts from Tuition Increase, General Services Income, Auxiliary Funds Income, Special Funds Income and Employee Fringe Benefits for Rutgers– Newark are anticipated during the fiscal year to total less than \$360,034,000, the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting shall determine the amount of the difference between that anticipated total and \$360,034,000, and transfer from the State General Fund appropriation for Rutgers –New Brunswick to the State General Fund appropriation for Rutgers – Newark, for additional State funded Institutional Support for Rutgers – Newark for the fiscal year, the amount of that difference, with notice thereof provided by the director to the Legislative Budget and Finance Officer; and (c) the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting shall be provided access by Rutgers to all financial reports and information necessary to enable the director to calculate the transfer amounts, if any, and provided further, however, that in no circumstance shall a transfer of appropriations by the director occur which interferes with or violates any bond covenants or disclosure responsibilities.</u></p>
<p>E33</p>	<p>Language appropriating \$1.5 million to create database of research conducted by higher education institutions STA30#36D <u>In addition to the amounts hereinabove appropriated for Statewide Planning and Coordination for Higher Education there is appropriated an amount not to exceed \$1,500,000, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting, for the purpose of supporting the creation and maintenance by the Economic Development Authority, in collaboration with the Secretary of Higher Education, of a searchable database of research being conducted across the State by higher education institutions, for use as an economic tool in attracting and retaining businesses in New Jersey.</u></p>

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	
510 GBM with LIV	<p>Modifies language concerning Revision to Transportation Trust Fund Debt Service Appropriations for Federal Subsidies TRA60#61C</p> <p>Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, in the event that some of the amounts hereinabove appropriated are not required to pay amounts due under the State contract between the State Treasurer and the New Jersey Transportation Trust Fund Authority for the Prior Bonds as the result of the receipt of federal subsidies for debt service on the Prior Bonds, or other obligations issued by the New Jersey Transportation Trust Fund Authority in connection with the Prior Bonds the amount hereinabove appropriated ¹[from the sales and use tax revenues in clause (iii) of the first paragraph above]¹ shall be reduced by such corresponding amount.</p>
511 GBM with LIV	<p>Modifies language concerning Revision to Transportation Trust Fund Debt Service Appropriations for Refunding Savings TRA60#61C</p> <p>Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, in the event that some of the amounts hereinabove appropriated are not required to pay amounts due under the State contract between the State Treasurer and the New Jersey Transportation Trust Fund Authority for the Prior Bonds or the State contract between the State Treasurer and the New Jersey Transportation Trust Fund Authority for the Transportation Program Bonds as the result of refundings, restructurings, lowered interest rates, or any other action which reduces the amounts required to make the payments under such State contracts, the amount hereinabove appropriated ¹[from the sales and use tax revenues in clause (iii) of the first paragraph above]¹ for the Transportation Program Bonds or the Prior Bonds shall be reduced by such corresponding amounts.</p>
1085 with LIV	<p>Language concerning Supplementary County Highway Aid TRA60#61C</p> <p>¹<u>[The amount appropriated hereinabove for Supplementary County Highway Aid shall be allocated in order that each county allocation from Supplementary County Highway Aid and from the revenues and other funds of the New Jersey Transportation Trust Fund Authority for the county aid program shall not be less than the aid received by each county in FY 2013 under the county aid program, provided</u></p>

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	<p><u>however, if the amount appropriated for Supplementary County Highway Aid is insufficient for this purpose the aid that would have been received by each county pursuant to this provision shall be proportionately reduced.]¹</u></p>
E23	<p>Modifies language to increase appropriation from Clean Energy Fund to NJ Transit TRA60#62G Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, in addition to the amount hereinabove appropriated for New Jersey Transit Corporation, there is appropriated [\$62,089,000] <u>\$82,089,000</u> from the Clean Energy Fund for utility costs associated with New Jersey Transit Corporation operations.</p>
E32 with LIV	<p>Modifies language concerning Transportation Trust Fund Debt Service appropriations TRA60#61C The amount hereinabove appropriated for the Transportation Trust Fund Subaccount for Debt Service for Prior Bonds and for the Transportation Trust Fund Subaccount for Debt Service for Transportation Program Bonds shall be provided from revenues ¹[from (i) motor fuel taxes, which are hereby]¹ appropriated for such purposes pursuant to Article VIII, Section II, paragraph 4 of the State Constitution ¹]; (ii) \$218,064,000 from the petroleum products gross receipts tax, which is hereby appropriated for such purposes pursuant to Article VIII, Section II, paragraph 4 of the State Constitution; and (iii) [\$546,217,000] <u>\$551,767,000</u> from the sales and use tax which is hereby appropriated for such purposes pursuant to Article VIII, Section II, paragraph 4 of the State Constitution]¹.</p>
	<p>DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY</p>
502 GBM with LIV	<p>Modifies Language concerning Municipal Compliance with “Best Practice Inventory” and Penalties for Noncompliance TRE70#75S Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, the release of ¹[the final 5% or \$500, whichever is greater, of]¹ the total annual amount due for the current fiscal year from the Energy Tax Receipts Property Tax Relief Fund to municipalities is subject to the following condition: the municipality shall submit to the Director of the Division of Local Government Services a report describing the municipality’s compliance with the “Best Practices Inventory” established by the Director of the Division of Local</p>

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	<p>Government Services and shall receive at least a minimum score on such inventory as determined by the Director of the Division of Local Government Services; provided, however, that the director may take into account the particular circumstances of a municipality ¹[in computing such score]¹. In preparing the Best Practices Inventory, the director shall identify best municipal practices in the areas of general administration, fiscal management, and operational activities, as well as the particular circumstances of a municipality, in determining the minimum score acceptable for the release of ¹[the final 5% or \$500, whichever is greater, of]¹ the total annual amount due for the current fiscal year ¹], but in no event shall amounts be withheld with respect to municipal practices occurring prior to the issuance of the Best Practices Inventory unless related to a municipal practice identified in the Best Practices Inventory established in the prior fiscal year]¹.</p>
<p>2370 with LIV</p>	<p>Modifies language to mandate Homestead credit/rebate payments in August TRE70#75PG</p> <p>The amount hereinabove appropriated for the Homestead Benefit Program shall be available to provide homestead benefits only to eligible homeowners pursuant to the provisions of section 3 of P.L.1990, c.61 (C.54:4-8.59) as amended by P.L.2004, c.40 and by P.L.2007, c.62, as may be amended from time to time except that, notwithstanding the provisions of such laws to the contrary: (i) residents who are 65 years of age or older at the close of the tax year, or residents who are allowed to claim a personal deduction as a blind or disabled taxpayer pursuant to subsection b. of N.J.S.54A:3-1, with (a) gross income in excess of \$150,000 for tax year 2014 are excluded from the program; (b) gross income in excess of \$100,000 but not in excess of \$150,000 for tax year 2014 are eligible for a benefit in the amount of 5% of the first \$10,000 of property taxes paid, and (c) gross income not in excess of \$100,000 for tax year 2014 are eligible for a benefit in the amount of 10% of the first \$10,000 of property taxes paid; (ii) residents who are not 65 years of age or older at the close of the tax year, or residents who are not allowed to claim a personal deduction as a blind or disabled taxpayer pursuant to subsection b. of N.J.S.54A:3-1, with (a) gross income in excess of \$75,000 for tax year 2014 are excluded from the program; (b) gross income in excess of \$50,000 but not in excess of \$75,000 for tax year 2014 are eligible for a benefit in the amount of 6.67% of the first \$10,000 of property taxes paid; and (c) gross income not in excess of \$50,000 for tax year 2014 are eligible for a benefit in the amount of 10% of the first \$10,000 of property taxes paid. These benefits listed pursuant to this paragraph will be calculated based on the 2006</p>

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	<p>property tax amounts assessed or as would have been assessed on the October 1, 2014 principal residence of eligible applicants. The total homestead benefit provided to an eligible applicant in a given State fiscal year shall not exceed the homestead rebate amount paid to such eligible applicant for tax year 2006, absent a change in an applicant’s filing characteristics. The homestead benefit shall be paid in [May, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting] ¹[August of Fiscal Year]¹ 2017. If the amount hereinabove appropriated for the Homestead Benefit Program is not sufficient, there is appropriated from the Property Tax Relief Fund such additional amounts as may be required to provide such homestead benefits, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.</p>
<p>1188 with LIV</p>	<p>Modifies language to authorize State appropriations for Meadowlands adjustment payments TRE70#75S Pursuant to section 85 of P.L.2015, c.19 (C.5:10A-85), receipts derived from the 3% Meadowlands regional hotel use assessment are appropriated for deposit into the intermunicipal account established pursuant to section 53 of P.L.2015, c.19 (C.5:10A-53), and shall be used to pay Meadowlands adjustment payments to municipalities in the Meadowlands district pursuant to the “Hackensack Meadowlands Agency Consolidation Act,” P.L.2015, c.19 (C.5:10A-1 et seq.), subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting. ¹[<u>Provided further, if the amount deposited into the intermunicipal account is insufficient, there are appropriated to the intermunicipal account established by section 53 of P.L.2015, c.19 (C.5:10A-53), such amounts as are necessary to pay each constituent municipality the meadowlands adjustment payment calculated pursuant to section 59 of P.L.2015, c.19 (C.5:10A-59), as shall be determined by the State Treasurer.</u>]¹</p>
<p>1345 with LIV</p>	<p>Modifies language imposing income cap on Senior and Disabled Citizens’ Property Tax Freeze (PTRF) lower than statutory cap TRE70#75PG Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, the amount hereinabove appropriated for Senior and Disabled Citizens’ Property Tax Freeze is subject to the following condition: eligibility for the property tax reimbursement program shall be determined pursuant to section 1 of P.L.1997, c.348 (C.54:4-8.67), except that any citizen with an annual income of more than</p>

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	[\$70,000] ¹ [\$87,007] <u>\$70,000</u> ¹ shall not be eligible to receive a property tax reimbursement benefit payment in the current fiscal year.
2372 2 of 2	<p>Modifies language concerning Energy Tax Receipts Property Tax Relief Aid Fund payments TRE 70#75S</p> <p>Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph (1) of subsection c. of section 2 of P.L.1997, c.167 (C.52:27D-439) or any other law or regulation to the contrary, the amount hereinabove appropriated for Energy Tax Receipts Property Tax Relief Fund payments shall be distributed on the following schedule: on or before August 1, [40%] <u>45%</u> of the total amount due; September 1, 30% of the total amount due; October 1, [10%] <u>15%</u> of the total amount due; November 1, 5% of the total amount due; December [20] <u>1</u> for municipalities operating under a calendar fiscal year, [15%] <u>5%</u> of the total amount due; and June 1 for municipalities operating under the State fiscal year, [15%] <u>5%</u> of the total amount due; provided, however, that notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the contrary, the Director of Local Government Services, in consultation with the Commissioner of Community Affairs and the State Treasurer, may direct the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting to provide such payments on an accelerated schedule if necessary to ensure fiscal stability for a municipality.</p>
E25	<p>Language transferring \$5.35 million from Trust Fund for the Support of Public Broadcasting to the General Fund TRE70#76D</p> <p><u>Notwithstanding the provisions of section 22 of P.L.2010, c. 104 (C.48:23-29) or any other law or regulation to the contrary, \$5,350,000 received by the New Jersey Public Broadcasting Authority from T-Mobile USA, Inc. pursuant to the Concurrent Operations and Interference Avoidance Agreement and deposited into the Trust Fund for the Support of Public Broadcasting is appropriated from the trust fund for deposit into the General Fund as State revenue.</u></p>
	INTERDEPARTMENTAL ACCOUNTS
1088 with LIV	<p>Language to provide funding for Community Provider Contract Adjustments IDA7074#9420G</p>

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	<p><u>¹[Of the amount hereinabove appropriated for Community Provider Contract Adjustments, amounts shall be transferred to departments and divisions contracting with community care providers in order to provide an upward contract adjustment effective January 1, 2017 for such providers, which shall be provided as payments to direct care workers. Contract adjustments shall be prorated to all such eligible providers proportional to their annual contract base. No later than January 1, 2017, the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting shall submit a report to the Joint Budget Oversight Committee, detailing, for each department and division: the specific community care providers that will receive an upward contract adjustment in FY2017; for each provider receiving an upward adjustment, the contract base dollar amount upon which each contract adjustment was calculated and the dollar amount of the upward contract adjustment to be received in FY2017; the sum of the contract bases of all community providers receiving an upward adjustment; an explanation of how the amounts associated with the upward contract adjustment were calculated; and the manner in which the department or division administering each contract will ensure that the contract adjustment will be used to provide increased payments to direct care workers.]¹</u></p>
	<p>GENERAL PROVISIONS</p>
<p>1329</p>	<p>Language concerning State employee health benefits XGP <u>87. The State Health Benefits Program Plan Design Committee and the School Employees' Health Benefits Program Plan Design Committee may review potential cost-savings for FY 2017 State health benefits of \$250,000,000.</u></p>
<p>2269</p>	<p>Language allocating funds to match federal grants for Innovative Medicines Manufacturing Institute XGP <u>88. There shall be allocated \$1,000,000 from funds available to the Commissioner of the Department of Labor and Workforce Development, including, but not limited to, the Workforce Development Partnership Fund, and further, there is appropriated an amount not to exceed</u></p>

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	<p><u>\$4,000,000 received from the New Jersey Economic Development Authority, as may be authorized by the authority, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting, and contingent upon approval of an application made by the New Jersey Innovation Institute for designation as an Innovative Medicines Manufacturing Institute (IMMI) under the National Network for Manufacturing Innovation (NNMI) pursuant to a federal funding opportunity released by the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) on February 19, 2016, for the purpose of providing the State of New Jersey's non-federal matching funds requirement under the designation.</u></p>
<p>2001 with LIV</p>	<p>Language prohibiting expenditure of appropriations to contest US EPA Clean Power Plan regulations XGP ¹[89. Notwithstanding the provisions of any law, rule, or regulation to the contrary, no amounts appropriated to any department or other State agency shall be used in any manner, to oppose, contest, stay, or otherwise delay the application, implementation, and enforcement of the United States Environmental Protection Agency’s “Carbon Pollution Emission Guidelines for Existing Stationary Sources: Electric Utility Generating Units,” 80 Fed. Reg. 64662 et seq. (October 23, 2015) as applied to this State.]¹</p>