## SENATE STATE GOVERNMENT, WAGERING, TOURISM & HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMITTEE

## STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 3672

## STATE OF NEW JERSEY

**DATED: JUNE 3, 2021** 

The Senate State Government, Wagering, Tourism and Historic Preservation Committee reports favorably Senate Bill No. 3672.

Under current law, a person must pass the civil service examination prior to becoming eligible for employment as an entrylevel county correctional police officer.

Under this bill, the Civil Service Commission will exempt from the examination any person for an entry-level county correctional police officer position who has successfully completed a full Basic Course for Police Officers training course at a school approved and authorized by the New Jersey Police Training commission.

Also, the bill permits a county correctional facility to hire a person exempt from the requirement to take an examination for an entry-level position upon adoption of a resolution by the governing body authorizing such hiring by the correctional facility and the adoption of a conflict of interest and nepotism policy.