

ASSEMBLY, No. 2922

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

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1 AN ACT concerning paid leave of absence for National Guard duty and
2 amending N.J.S.38A:4-4.

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4 **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
5 *of New Jersey:*

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7 1. N.J.S.38A:4-4 is amended to read as follows:

8 38A:4-4. (a) All officials and employees of this State or of any
9 board or commission of the State or of any county, school district or
10 municipality who are members of the organized militia of this State or
11 of another state shall be entitled to leave of absence from their
12 respective duties without loss of pay or time on all days during which
13 they shall be engaged in active duty, active duty for training or other
14 duty ordered by the Governor of this State or of another state;
15 provided, however, that the leaves of absence for active duty or active
16 duty for training shall not exceed 90 days in the aggregate in any one
17 year.

18 (b) Leave of absence for such military duty shall be in addition to
19 the regular vacation allowed such officers and employees by the State,
20 county or municipal law, ordinance, resolution, or regulation.

21 (cf: N.J.S.38A:4-4)

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23 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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STATEMENT

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28 At present, New Jersey public employees who are members of this
29 State's National Guard are entitled to a paid leave of absence for active
30 duty or active duty for training in connection with their National
31 Guard service. New Jersey public employees who are member's of
32 another state's National Guard are not entitled to such a paid leave of
33 absence. This bill would extend a paid leave of absence for National

EXPLANATION - Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and intended to be omitted in the law.

Matter underlined thus is new matter.

1 Guard service to public employees who are members of another state's
2 National Guard.

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7 Provides for paid leave of absence for duty with another state's

8 National Guard.