

P.L. 1997, CHAPTER 44, *approved March 27, 1997*
Senate, No. 605 (*First Reprint*)

1 AN ACT concerning radon testing at child care centers, and
2 supplementing Title 26 of the Revised Statutes.

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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. a. ¹[The] Within six months of the effective date of this act, the¹
8 owner of any building in which a child care center licensed pursuant to
9 the provisions of P.L.1983, c.492 (C.30:5B-1 et seq.) is located shall
10 test or cause to be tested the space in the building in which the child
11 care center is located for the presence of radon gas and radon
12 progeny¹. The test shall be conducted¹ at least once every five years.
13 ¹If the building has been tested less than five years prior to the
14 effective date of this act, then the test shall be performed within five
15 years of that test and once every five years thereafter.¹

16 b. The provisions of section 4 of P.L.1986, c.83 (C.26:2D-73) to
17 the contrary notwithstanding, any owner of a building who tests for
18 the presence of radon gas and radon progeny pursuant to this act ¹or
19 who has performed the test within five years prior to the effective date
20 of this act¹ shall post, within 30 days of the completion of the testing
21 procedures, ¹or within 30 days of the effective date of this act if the
22 test has been performed prior thereto.¹ the results of the test, and any
23 measures taken or proposed to mitigate the presence of radon gas or
24 radon progeny, at a location in the building which is readily visible to
25 persons having responsibility for any child that attends the child care
26 center¹.¹

27 ¹[c. The provisions of section 9 of P.L.1986, c.83 (C.26:2D-78) to
28 the contrary notwithstanding, the Department of Environmental
29 Protection shall provide the results of any test for the presence of
30 radon gas or radon progeny conducted pursuant to this act to any
31 person upon a request therefor.]¹

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.

Matter enclosed in superscript numerals has been adopted as follows:

¹ Senate SEN committee amendments adopted October 28, 1996.

1 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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6 Requires radon testing and posting and public availability of results at

7 child care centers.