

P.L. 1997, CHAPTER 90, *approved May 8, 1997*
Senate, No. 1034 (*Second Reprint*)

1 AN ACT concerning joint and several liability and amending P.L.1995,
2 c.140.

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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. Section 3 of P.L.1995, c.140 is amended to read as follows:
8 3. This act shall take effect immediately ², shall apply to medical
9 malpractice causes of action filed on or after June 29, 1995.² and shall
10 apply to causes of action [filed] ¹[which accrue] ², other than medical
11 malpractice causes of action,² filed¹ on or after the ¹90th day following
12 ²[the¹ effective date of this act] June 29, 1995².
13 (cf: P.L.1995, c.140, s.3)

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15 2. This act shall take effect immediately ¹[and],¹ shall be
16 retroactive to June 29, 1995 ¹and shall only apply to pending actions
17 in which no final judgment has been rendered¹.

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22 Changes applicability of joint and several liability provisions.

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 SCM committee amendments adopted November 25, 1996.

² Assembly floor amendments adopted March 13, 1997.