

[Second Reprint]  
SENATE, No. 228

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

PRE-FILED FOR INTRODUCTION IN THE 1996 SESSION

By Senators SACCO and EWING

1 AN ACT concerning <sup>1</sup>[public school curriculum and supplementing  
2 chapter 35 of Title 18A of the New Jersey Statutes] the  
3 construction of destructive devices and amending P.L.1983, c.229<sup>1</sup>.  
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5 **BE IT ENACTED** by the Senate and General Assembly of the State  
6 of New Jersey:

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8 <sup>1</sup>[1. a. No teaching staff member shall use any visual aid or instruct  
9 any student on the methods used to make any explosives, including any  
10 bomb, shell or similar device filled with one or more explosives, or  
11 knowingly permit any student to view any visual aid or receive  
12 information on the methods used to make any explosives, including  
13 any bomb, shell or similar device filled with one or more explosives.  
14 b. Any person who violates the provisions of this act shall be guilty  
15 of a crime of the fourth degree.]<sup>1</sup>  
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17 <sup>1</sup>1. Section 1 of P.L.1983, c.229 (C. 2C:39-14) is amended to read  
18 as follows:

19 1. a. Any person who teaches or demonstrates to any other  
20 person the use, application, or making of any firearm, explosive or  
21 destructive device, or technique capable of causing injury or death to  
22 a person, knowing or having reason to know or intending that it will  
23 be employed for use in, or in furtherance of, an illegal activity is guilty  
24 of a crime of the second degree.

25 b. Any person who assembles with one or more persons for the  
26 purpose of training with, practicing with, or being instructed in the use  
27 of any firearm, explosive or destructive device, or technique capable  
28 of causing injury or death to a person, intending to unlawfully employ  
29 it for use in, or in furtherance of, an illegal activity is guilty of a crime  
30 of the second degree.

31 c. <sup>2</sup>[Any person who teaches a student enrolled in a public or

**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:

<sup>1</sup> Senate SED committee amendments adopted March 7, 1996.

<sup>2</sup> Senate floor amendments adopted March 18, 1996.

1 private elementary or secondary school how to construct a destructive  
2 device is guilty of a crime of the fourth degree] No teaching staff  
3 member, in the course of his professional duties, shall provide  
4 instruction on how to create a destructive device to a student enrolled  
5 in a public or private elementary or secondary school, for purposes  
6 other than as a part of the approved curriculum. Any person who  
7 violates this subsection is guilty of a crime of the fourth degree<sup>2</sup>. The  
8 provisions of this subsection shall not be construed to infringe on the  
9 rights of law enforcement officers in the performance of their duties.<sup>1</sup>  
10 (cf: P.L.1988, c.76, s.1)

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12 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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17 Prohibits instruction to students on methods to make destructive  
18 devices.