

SENATE, No. 2155

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

INTRODUCED JUNE 5, 1997

By Senator MARTIN

1 AN ACT concerning the State Highway System, amending P.L.1965,  
2 c.60, and repealing P.L.1955, c.255, P.L.1967, c.87, P.L.1967,  
3 c.142 and P.L.1971, c.287.

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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 1. Section 1 of P.L.1965, c.60 (C.27:6-1) is amended to read as  
9 follows:

10 1. The State Highway Commissioner is authorized, as soon as  
11 practical, to add to the State Highway system a new route, designated  
12 as Route 90 Freeway, beginning at a point in or near the proposed new  
13 bridge over the Delaware river in the township of Pennsauken in  
14 Camden county, and extending generally [southeasterly to a point on  
15 Route 73 east of the New Jersey Turnpike in Burlington county]  
16 easterly to Route 73.

17 (cf: P.L.1965, c.60, s.1)

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19 2. P.L.1955, c.255, P.L.1967 c.87, P.L.1967, c.142 and P.L.1971,  
20 c.287 are repealed.

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22 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

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STATEMENT

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27 This bill dedesignates three unbuilt routes on the State Highway  
28 System and changes the end limits on another route. The purpose of  
29 these measures is to allow the Commissioner of Transportation to sell  
30 or otherwise dispose of various parcels of land associated with unbuilt  
31 portions of these routes. Various parcels of land associated with the  
32 unbuilt routes and route segments affected by this bill were originally  
33 acquired by the Department of Transportation for highway  
34 construction purposes.

**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 The unbuilt routes which are dedesignated by repealing their  
2 authorizing statutes are Route 31 Freeway (P.L.1955, c.255), Route  
3 75 Freeway (P.L.1967, c.87) and Route 178 Freeway (P.L.1967, c.142  
4 and P.L.1971, c.287). The route which has its end limit changed to  
5 eliminate an unbuilt portion is Route 90 Freeway.

6 The parcels of land affected by the legislation are located as  
7 follows: in the City of Newark approximately 4 acres of land  
8 previously allocated for the Route 75 Freeway; in the municipalities of  
9 Lawrence, Ewing and Hopewell in the county of Mercer,  
10 approximately 120 acres of land previously allocated for Route 169 or  
11 31 Freeway; and in the municipalities of Hanover and Morris in the  
12 county of Morris, approximately 23 acres of land previously allocated  
13 for Route 178 Freeway. The authorizing statutes for these routes are  
14 repealed by this bill. In addition, approximately 76 acres of land in the  
15 municipalities of Moorestown and Cinnaminson in the county of  
16 Burlington, previously allocated for Route 90 Freeway pursuant to  
17 P.L.1965, c.60, are affected by this bill.

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Dedesignates or alters certain routes in State Highway System.