### P.L. 2021, CHAPTER 74, approved April 30, 2021 Assembly, No. 5057 (First Reprint)

AN ACT concerning changes to the New Jersey Infrastructure Bank 1 2 and amending various parts of the statutory law. 3 4 **BE IT ENACTED** by the Senate and General Assembly of the State 5 of New Jersey: 6 7 1. Section 3 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-3) is amended to 8 read as follows: 9 3. As used in sections 1 through 27 of P.L.1985, c.334 10 (C.58:11B-1 through C.58:11B-27), sections 23 through 27 of P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 [et al.] , C.58:11B-20.1, 11 C.58:11B-21.1, C.58:11B-22.1, and C.58:11B-22.2), and sections 12 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 through 13 14 C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and C.58:11B-15 22.4): 16 "Aviation project" means a project to develop or improve county 17 or municipal airport facilities, or airport facilities owned or 18 operated by a regional transportation authority that is not a bi-state 19 authority, and related infrastructure or capital equipment, including, 20 but not limited to, any design, planning, acquisition, construction, reconstruction, relocation, installation, removal, repair, or 21 22 rehabilitation project that facilitates, increases the efficiency of, or 23 improves the capacity for inter-modal trade for commercial and 24 industrial facilities that are part of airport facilities. "Aviation 25 project" includes, but is not limited to, any project to develop or improve terminal facilities designed for public use and for the 26 27 transportation of persons or property, such as airports, runways, 28 berms, basins, storage places, sheds, warehouses, and related 29 infrastructure. 30 "Bonds" means bonds issued by the trust pursuant to P.L.1985, 31 c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.) or P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et 32 al.): 33 "Combined sewer overflow" means the discharge of untreated or 34 partially treated stormwater runoff and wastewater from a combined 35 sewer system into a body of water; 36 "Combined sewer system" means a sewer system designed to 37 carry sanitary wastewater at all times, which is also designed to 38 collect and transport stormwater runoff from streets and other 39 sources, thereby serving a combined purpose; 40 "Commissioner" means the Commissioner of the Department of 41 **Environmental Protection**;

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

Matter underlined <u>thus</u> is new matter. Matter enclosed in superscript numerals has been adopted as follows: <sup>1</sup>Assembly ATR committee amendments adopted December 10, 2020.

1 "Cost" means the cost of all labor, materials, machinery and 2 equipment, lands, property, rights and easements, financing 3 charges, interest on bonds, notes or other obligations, plans and 4 specifications, surveys or estimates of costs and revenues, 5 engineering and legal services, and all other expenses necessary or 6 incident to all or part of an environmental infrastructure project;

7 "Department" means the Department of Environmental 8 Protection;

9 "Environmental infrastructure project" means the acquisition, 10 construction, improvement, repair or reconstruction of all or part of 11 any structure, facility or equipment, or real or personal property 12 necessary for or ancillary to any: (1) wastewater treatment system 13 project, including any stormwater management or combined sewer 14 overflow abatement projects; or (2) water supply project, as 15 authorized pursuant to P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.) or 16 P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), including any water 17 resources project, as authorized pursuant to P.L.2003, c.162;

18 "Federal infrastructure bank program" means the United States 19 Department of Transportation State Infrastructure Bank Program 20 provided for in section 350 of Pub.L.104-59 and Pub.L.102-240 as 21 amended or superseded;

22 ["Planning, design, and construction loan" means a short-term or 23 temporary loan for eligible costs incurred in project planning, 24 engineering design, or construction issued before or during the 25 planning stage of a project;

26 "Local government unit" means (1) a State authority, county, 27 municipality, municipal, county or regional sewerage or utility 28 authority, municipal sewerage district, joint meeting, improvement 29 authority, or any other political subdivision of the State authorized 30 to construct, operate, and maintain wastewater treatment systems; 31 (2) a State authority, district water supply commission, county, 32 municipality, municipal, county or regional utilities authority, 33 municipal water district, joint meeting, or any other political 34 subdivision of the State authorized pursuant to law to operate or 35 maintain a public water supply system or to construct, rehabilitate, 36 operate, or maintain water supply facilities or otherwise provide 37 water for human consumption; [or] (3) a county, municipality, 38 municipal, county or regional transportation authority, or any other 39 political subdivision of the State authorized to construct, operate, 40 [and] or maintain public highways or transportation projects [as 41 defined pursuant to this section]; (4) a county, municipality, or 42 other political subdivision or instrumentality of the State, or a 43 municipal, county, or State authority that is not a bi-state authority, 44 authorized to construct, operate, or maintain ports or marine 45 projects; or (5) a county, municipality, municipal or regional 46 transportation authority, or other political subdivision or

1 instrumentality of the State authorized to construct, operate, or 2 maintain airports or aviation projects; 3 "Marine project" means a project to develop or improve public 4 port or terminal facilities, and related infrastructure or capital 5 equipment, including, but not limited to, any design, planning, 6 acquisition, construction, reconstruction, relocation, installation, 7 removal, repair, or rehabilitation project that facilitates, increases 8 the efficiency of, or improves the capacity for inter-modal trade and 9 cargo movement for commercial or industrial facilities that are part 10 of port or terminal facilities. "Marine project" includes, but is not 11 limited to, dredging, soil hardening, and paving of the port 12 facilities, and ferry terminal facilities designed for public use and 13 the transportation of persons or property such as water craft, docks, 14 wharves, piers, slips, storage places, sheds, warehouses, and related 15 infrastructure. "Marine project" shall not include any project that 16 relates to or supports recreational or commercial boating activities. 17 "New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Financing Program" 18 means the financing program to fund environmental infrastructure 19 projects; 20 "New Jersey Transportation Infrastructure Financing Program" 21 means the financing program to fund transportation [infrastructure] 22 projects, aviation projects, and marine projects; 23 "Notes" means notes issued by the trust pursuant to P.L.1985, 24 c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), 25 or sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 26 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and 27 C.58:11B-22.4); 28 ["Onsite septic system ordinance or regulation" means an 29 ordinance adopted by a municipality or county or regulation 30 adopted by a regional planning agency establishing the 31 requirements for construction, maintenance and repair of onsite 32 wastewater treatment and disposal systems; 33 "Onsite wastewater treatment and disposal system" means an on-34 site system designed to treat and dispose of domestic sewage; 35 "Other assistance" means forms of financial assistance, in 36 addition to loans, authorized by the New Jersey Infrastructure Bank 37 from the State Transportation Infrastructure Bank Fund, the 38 wastewater treatment system general loan fund, or the water supply 39 facilities general loan fund, including, but not limited to, use of 40 funds to: provide credit enhancements; serve as a capital reserve for 41 bond or other debt instrument financing; subsidize interest rates; 42 ensure the issuance of letters of credit and credit instruments; 43 finance purchase and lease agreements with respect to transit 44 projects; and provide bond or other debt financing instrument 45 security; 46 "Planning, design, and construction loan" means a short-term or 47 temporary loan for eligible costs incurred in project planning, engineering design, or construction issued before or during the
 planning stage of a project;

"Project" means the acquisition, construction, improvement, 3 4 repair or reconstruction of all or part of any structure, facility, or 5 equipment, or real or personal property necessary for or ancillary to 6 any: (1) wastewater treatment system project, including any 7 stormwater management or combined sewer overflow abatement 8 projects; (2) water supply project, as authorized pursuant to 9 P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.) or P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10 10.1 et al.), including any water resources project, as authorized 11 pursuant to P.L.2003, c.162; or (3) transportation project , aviation 12 project, or marine project authorized pursuant to sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 through C.58:11B-13 14 10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and C.58:11B-22.4);

15 "Public highway" means public roads, streets, expressways, 16 freeways, parkways, motorways and boulevards, including bridges, 17 tunnels, overpasses, underpasses, interchanges, express bus 18 roadways, bus pullouts and turnarounds, park-ride facilities, traffic 19 circles, grade separations, traffic control devices, the elimination or 20 improvement of crossings of railroads and highways, whether at-21 grade or not at-grade, bicycle and pedestrian pathways and 22 pedestrian and bicycle bridges, and any property, rights of way, 23 easements and interests therein needed for the construction, 24 improvement, and maintenance of highways;

25 "Public water utility" means any investor-owned water company26 or small water company;

"Small water company" means any company, purveyor or entity,
other than a governmental agency, that provides water for human
consumption and which regularly serves less than 1,000 customer
connections, including nonprofit, noncommunity water systems
owned or operated by a nonprofit group or organization;

32 "Stormwater management system" means any equipment, plants, 33 structures, machinery, apparatus, management practices, or land, or 34 any combination thereof, acquired, used, constructed, implemented 35 or operated to prevent nonpoint source pollution, abate improper 36 cross-connections and interconnections between stormwater and 37 sewer systems, minimize stormwater runoff, reduce soil erosion, or 38 induce groundwater recharge, or any combination thereof;

39 "Transportation project" means <u>a</u> capital [projects] <u>project</u> for 40 public highways, approach roadways and other necessary land-side 41 improvements, ramps, signal systems, roadbeds, transit lanes or 42 rights of way, pedestrian walkways and bridges connecting to 43 passenger stations and servicing facilities, bridges, and grade 44 crossings;

45 "Trust" means the New Jersey Infrastructure Bank created
46 pursuant to section 4 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-4);

47 "Wastewater" means residential, commercial, industrial, or48 agricultural liquid waste, sewage, septage, stormwater runoff, or

1 any combination thereof, or other liquid residue discharged or 2 collected into a sewer system or stormwater management system, or

3 any combination thereof;

"Wastewater treatment system" means any equipment, plants, 4 5 structures, machinery, apparatus, or land, or any combination 6 thereof, acquired, used, constructed or operated by, or on behalf of, 7 a local government unit for the storage, collection, reduction, 8 recycling, reclamation, disposal, separation, or other treatment of 9 wastewater or sewage sludge, or for the collection or treatment, or 10 both, of stormwater runoff and wastewater, or for the final disposal 11 of residues resulting from the treatment of wastewater, including, 12 but not limited to, pumping and ventilating stations, treatment 13 plants and works, connections, outfall sewers, interceptors, trunk 14 lines, stormwater management systems, and other personal property 15 and appurtenances necessary for their use or operation; "wastewater 16 treatment system" shall include a stormwater management system 17 or a combined sewer system;

"Wastewater treatment system project" means any work relating 18 19 to the acquisition, construction, improvement, repair or 20 reconstruction of all or part of any structure, facility or equipment, 21 or real or personal property necessary for or ancillary to any 22 wastewater treatment system that meets the requirements set forth 23 in sections 20, 21, and 22 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-20, 24 C.58:11B-21, and C.58:11B-22); or any work relating to any of the 25 stormwater management or combined sewer overflow abatement 26 projects identified in the stormwater management and combined 27 sewer overflow abatement project priority list adopted by the 28 commissioner pursuant to section 28 of P.L.1989, c.181; or any work relating to the purposes set forth in section 6 of P.L.2003, 29 30 c.162; or any work relating to any other project eligible for 31 financing under the "Federal Water Pollution Control Act 32 Amendments of 1972" (33 U.S.C. s.1251 et seq.), or any 33 amendatory or supplementary acts thereto;

Water resources project" means any work related to transferring
water between public water systems during a state of water
emergency, to avert a drought emergency in all or any part of the
State, to plan, design or construct interconnections of existing water
supplies, or to extend water supplies to areas with contaminated
ground water supplies;

40 "Water supply facilities" means and refers to the real property 41 and the plants, structures, interconnections between existing water 42 supply facilities, machinery and equipment and other property, real, 43 personal and mixed, acquired, constructed or operated, or to be 44 acquired, constructed or operated, in whole or in part, by or on 45 behalf of a public water utility, or by or on behalf of the State or a 46 local government unit, for the purpose of augmenting the natural 47 water resources of the State and making available an increased 48 supply of water for all uses, or of conserving existing water resources, and any and all appurtenances necessary, useful or
convenient for the collecting, impounding, storing, improving,
treating, filtering, conserving or transmitting of water, and for the
preservation and protection of these resources and facilities,
whether in public or private ownership, and providing for the
conservation and development of future water supply resources, and
facilitating incidental recreational uses thereof;

8 "Water supply project" means any work relating to the 9 acquisition, construction, improvement, repair or reconstruction of 10 all or part of any structure, facility or equipment, or real or personal 11 property necessary for or ancillary to water supply facilities that 12 meets the requirements set forth in sections 24, 25, and 26 of 13 P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-20.1, C.58:11B-21.1, and C.58:11B-14 22.1); or any work relating to the purposes set forth in section 4 of 15 P.L.1981, c.261; or any work relating to the purposes set forth in 16 section 6 of P.L.2003, c.162; or any work relating to any other 17 project eligible for funding pursuant to the federal "Safe Drinking 18 Water Act Amendments of 1996," Pub.L.104-182, and any 19 amendatory and supplementary acts thereto.

- 20 (cf: P.L.2019, c.516, s.1)
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22 2. Section 5 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-5) is amended to 23 read as follows:

5. Except as otherwise limited by the provisions of P.L.1985,
c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.),
or sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3
through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and
C.58:11B-22.4), the trust may:

a. Make and alter bylaws for its organization and internal
management and, subject to agreements with holders of its bonds,
notes or other obligations, make rules and regulations with respect
to its operations, properties and facilities;

b. Adopt an official seal and alter it;

c. Sue and be sued;

35 d. Make and enter into all contracts, leases and agreements 36 necessary or incidental to the performance of its duties and the 37 exercise of its powers under the provisions of P.L.1985, c.334 38 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), or 39 sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 40 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and 41 C.58:11B-22.4), and subject to any agreement with the holders of 42 the trust's bonds, notes or other obligations, consent to any 43 modification, amendment or revision of any contract, lease or 44 agreement to which the trust is a party;

e. Enter into agreements or other transactions with and accept,
subject to the provisions of section 23 of P.L.1985, c.334
(C.58:11B-23), grants, appropriations and the cooperation of the
State, or any State agency, in furtherance of the purposes of

1 P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-2 10.1 et al.), or sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 3 (C.58:11B-10.3 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-4 22.3, and C.58:11B-22.4), and do anything necessary in order to 5 avail itself of that aid and cooperation; Receive and accept aid or contributions from any source of 6 f. 7 money, property, labor or other things of value, to be held, used and 8 applied to carry out the purposes of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et 9 seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), or sections 22 and 34 10 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 through C.58:11B-11 10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and C.58:11B-22.4), subject 12 to the conditions upon which that aid and those contributions may 13 be made, including, but not limited to, gifts or grants from any 14 department or agency of the State, or any State agency, for any 15 purpose consistent with the provisions of P.L.1985, c.334 16 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), or 17 sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 18 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and 19 C.58:11B-22.4), subject to the provisions of section 23 of P.L.1985, 20 c.334 (C.58:11B-23);

21 g. Acquire, own, hold, construct, improve, rehabilitate, 22 renovate, operate, maintain, sell, assign, exchange, lease, mortgage 23 or otherwise dispose of real and personal property, or any interest 24 therein, in the exercise of its powers and the performance of its 25 duties under the provisions of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), 26 P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), or sections 22 and 34 27 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 through C.58:11B-28 10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and C.58:11B-22.4);

h. Appoint and employ an executive director and any other
officers or employees as it may require for the performance of its
duties, without regard to the provisions of Title 11A of the New
Jersey Statutes;

i. Borrow money and issue bonds, notes and other obligations,
and secure the same, and provide for the rights of the holders
thereof as provided in the provisions of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), or sections 22 and
34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 through C.58:11B10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and C.58:11B-22.4);

39 Subject to any agreement with holders of its bonds, notes or j. 40 other obligations, invest moneys of the trust not required for 41 immediate use, including proceeds from the sale of any bonds, notes 42 or other obligations, in any obligations, securities and other 43 investments in accordance with the rules and regulations of the 44 State Investment Council or as may otherwise be approved by the 45 Director of the Division of Investment in the Department of the 46 Treasury upon a finding that such investments are consistent with 47 the corporate purposes of the trust;

1 Procure insurance to secure the payment of its bonds, notes k. 2 or other obligations or the payment of any guarantees or loans made 3 by it in accordance with the provisions of P.L.1985, c.334 4 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), or 5 sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, 6 7 C.58:11B-22.4), or against any loss in connection with its property 8 and other assets and operations, in any amounts and from any 9 insurers as it deems desirable;

10 1. Engage the services of attorneys, accountants, engineers, and 11 financial experts and any other advisors, consultants, experts and 12 agents as may be necessary in its judgment and fix their 13 compensation;

14 m. (1) Make and contract to make loans and provide other 15 assistance to local government units, or to a local government unit 16 on behalf of another local government unit, to finance the cost of 17 wastewater treatment system projects or water supply projects and 18 acquire and contract to acquire notes, bonds or other obligations 19 issued or to be issued by any local government units to evidence the 20 loans, all in accordance with the provisions of P.L.1985, c.334 21 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.) or P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.);

(2) Make and contract to make loans <u>and provide other</u>
<u>assistance</u> to public water utilities, or to any other person or local
government unit on behalf of a public water utility, to finance the
cost of water supply projects in accordance with the provisions of
P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.) or P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B10.1 et al.);

(3) Make and contract to make loans <u>and provide other</u>
<u>assistance</u> to private persons other than local government units, or
to any other person or local government unit on behalf of a private
person, to finance the cost of onsite wastewater treatment and
disposal systems or stormwater management systems in accordance
with the provisions of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.) or
P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.);

35 (4) Make and contract to make loans and provide other 36 assistance to one or more local government units or consortia 37 thereof to finance the cost of transportation projects , aviation projects, and marine projects in accordance with [the] applicable 38 39 provisions of the federal infrastructure bank program and pursuant 40 to sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 41 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and 42 C.58:11B-22.4);

n. Subject to any agreement with holders of its bonds, notes or
other obligations, purchase bonds, notes and other obligations of the
trust and hold the same for resale or provide for the cancellation
thereof, all in accordance with the provisions of P.L.1985, c.334
(C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), or
sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3

1 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and 2 C.58:11B-22.4); 3 o. (1) Charge to and collect from local government units, 4 private persons or public water utilities any fees and charges in 5 connection with the trust's loans, guarantees or other services, including, but not limited to, fees and charges sufficient to 6 7 reimburse the trust for all reasonable costs necessarily incurred by it 8 in connection with its financings and the establishment and 9 maintenance of reserve or other funds, as the trust may determine to 10 be reasonable. The fees and charges shall be in accordance with a 11 uniform schedule published by the trust for the purpose of 12 providing actual cost reimbursement for the services rendered; 13 (2) Any fees and charges collected by the trust pursuant to this 14 subsection may be deposited and maintained in a special fund 15 separate from any other funds held by the trust pursuant to section 16 10 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-10) or section 23 of P.L.1997, 17 c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1), and shall be available for any corporate 18 purposes of the trust; 19 p. Subject to any agreement with holders of its bonds, notes or 20 other obligations, obtain as security or to provide liquidity for 21 payment of all or any part of the principal of and interest and 22 premium on the bonds, notes and other obligations of the trust or 23 for the purchase upon tender or otherwise of the bonds, notes or 24 other obligations, lines of credit, letters of credit and other security 25 agreements or instruments in any amounts and upon any terms as 26 the trust may determine, and pay any fees and expenses required in 27 connection therewith; 28 q. Provide to local government units any financial and credit 29 advice as these local government units may request; 30 Make payments to the State from any moneys of the trust r. 31 available therefor as may be required pursuant to any agreement 32 with the State or act appropriating moneys to the trust; and 33 Take any action necessary or convenient to the exercise of s. 34 the foregoing powers or reasonably implied therefrom. (cf: P.L.2017, c.144, s.2) 35 36 37 3. Section 6 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-6) is amended to 38 read as follows: 39 6. a. Except as may be otherwise expressly provided in the 40 provisions of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 41 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), or sections 22 and 34 through 38 of 42 P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and C.58:11B-22.4), the trust may from time 43 44 to time issue its bonds, notes, or other obligations in any principal 45 amounts as in the judgment of the trust shall be necessary to 46 provide sufficient funds for any of its corporate purposes, including 47 the payment, funding, or refunding of the principal of, or interest or

48 redemption premiums on, any bonds, notes, or other obligations

1 issued by it, whether the bonds, notes, or other obligations or the 2 interest or redemption premiums thereon to be funded or refunded 3 have or have not become due, the establishment or increase of 4 reserves or other funds to secure or to pay the bonds, notes, or other 5 obligations or interest thereon and all other costs or expenses of the 6 trust incident to and necessary to carry out its corporate purposes 7 and powers.

b. Whether or not the bonds, notes or other obligations of the
trust are of a form and character as to be negotiable instruments
under the terms of Title 12A of the New Jersey Statutes, the bonds,
notes and other obligations are made negotiable instruments within
the meaning of and for the purposes of Title 12A of the New Jersey
Statutes, subject only to the provisions of the bonds, notes and other
obligations for registration.

15 c. Bonds, notes or other obligations of the trust shall be 16 authorized by a resolution or resolutions of the trust and may be 17 issued in one or more series and shall bear any date or dates, mature 18 at any time or times, bear interest at any rate or rates of interest per 19 annum, be in any denomination or denominations, be in any form, 20 either coupon, registered or book entry, carry any conversion or 21 registration privileges, have any rank or priority, be executed in any 22 manner, be payable in any coin or currency of the United States 23 which at the time of payment is legal tender for the payment of 24 public and private debts, at any place or places within or without 25 the State, and be subject to any terms of redemption by the trust or 26 the holders thereof, with or without premium, as the resolution or 27 resolutions may provide. A resolution of the trust authorizing the 28 issuance of bonds, notes or other obligations may provide that the bonds, notes or other obligations be secured by a trust indenture 29 30 between the trust and a trustee, vesting in the trustee any property, 31 rights, powers and duties in trust consistent with the provisions of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-32 33 10.1 et al.), or sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 34 (C.58:11B-10.3 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-35 22.3, and C.58:11B-22.4) as the trust may determine.

36 d. Bonds, notes or other obligations of the trust may be sold at 37 any price or prices and in any manner as the trust may determine. 38 Notwithstanding any provisions of the "Local Bond Law," 39 N.J.S.40A:2-1 et seq., to the contrary, each bond, note or other 40 obligation shall mature and be paid not later than 30 years for 41 environmental infrastructure projects, 45 years for combined sewer 42 overflow projects, and 31 years for transportation projects , aviation 43 projects, and marine projects, from the effective date thereof, or the 44 certified useful life of the project or projects to be financed by the 45 bonds, whichever is less, or a shorter period of time as may be 46 applicable to any companion loan issued pursuant to federal law or 47 regulation. Notwithstanding the provisions of the "Local Bond Law," 48 N.J.S.40A:2-1 et seq., or this subsection, to the contrary, each bond,

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1 note, or other obligation funded pursuant to the "Water Infrastructure 2 Finance and Innovation Act of 2014" (WIFIA), 33 U.S.C. s.3901 et 3 seq., as amended and supplemented, or the "Transportation Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act of 1998" (TIFIA), 23 4 5 U.S.C. s.601 et seq., as amended and supplemented, shall mature and 6 be paid not later than the maximum time period allowed by those 7 federal acts. 8 All bonds of the trust shall be sold at public or private sale at the 9 price or prices and in the manner as the trust shall determine, either 10 on a negotiated or on a competitive basis. If competitively sold, 11 bonds shall be sold after notice of sale, a summary of which shall be 12 published at least once in at least three newspapers published in the 13 State of New Jersey and at least once in a publication carrying 14 municipal bond notices and devoted primarily to financial news published in New Jersey or the city of New York, the first summary 15 16 notice to be at least five days prior to the day of bidding. The notice 17 of sale may contain a provision to the effect that any or all bids 18 made in pursuance thereof may be rejected. In the event of such 19 rejection or of failure to receive any acceptable bid, the trust, at any 20 time within 60 days from the date of such advertised sale, may sell 21 such bonds at private sale upon terms not less favorable to the State than the terms offered by any rejected bid. The trust may sell all or 22 23 part of the bonds of any series as issued to any State fund or to the 24 federal government or any agency thereof, at private sale, without 25 advertisement. 26 Bonds, notes or other obligations of the trust may be issued e. 27 under the provisions of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), 28 P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), or sections 22 and 34 29 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 through C.58:11B-30 10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and C.58:11B-22.4) without 31 obtaining the consent of any department, division, board, bureau or 32 agency of the State, and without any other proceedings or the 33 happening of any other conditions or things, other than those 34 consents, proceedings, conditions or things which are specifically 35 required by P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 36 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), or sections 22 and 34 through 38 of 37 P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-38 20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and C.58:11B-22.4). 39 f. Bonds, notes or other obligations of the trust issued under 40 the provisions of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, 41 c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), or sections 22 and 34 through 38 of 42 P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-43 20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and C.58:11B-22.4) shall not be a debt or 44 liability of the State or of any political subdivision thereof other 45 than the trust and shall not create or constitute any indebtedness, 46 liability or obligation of the State or any political subdivision, but 47 all these bonds, notes and other obligations, unless funded or 48 refunded by bonds, notes or other obligations, shall be payable

1 solely from revenues or funds pledged or available for their 2 payment as authorized in P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), 3 P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), or sections 22 and 34 4 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 through C.58:11B-5 10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and C.58:11B-22.4). Each bond, note and obligation shall contain on its face a statement to the 6 7 effect that the trust is obligated to pay the principal thereof or the 8 interest thereon only from its revenues, receipts or funds pledged or 9 available for their payment as authorized in P.L.1985, c.334 10 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), or sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 11 12 C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, through and 13 C.58:11B-22.4), and that neither the State, nor any political 14 subdivision thereof, is obligated to pay the principal or interest and that neither the faith and credit nor the taxing power of the State, or 15 16 any political subdivision thereof, is pledged to the payment of the 17 principal of or the interest on the bonds, notes or other obligations.

18 g. The aggregate principal amount of bonds, notes or other 19 obligations, including subordinated indebtedness of the trust, shall 20 not exceed (1) \$5,000,000,000 with respect to bonds, notes, or other 21 obligations issued to finance the Disaster Relief Emergency 22 Financing Program established pursuant to section 1 of P.L.2013, 23 c.93 (C.58:11B-9.5), and (2) \$3,800,000,000 with respect to bonds, 24 notes, or other obligations issued for all other purposes of the trust. 25 In computing the foregoing limitations there shall be excluded all 26 the bonds, notes or other obligations, including subordinated 27 indebtedness of the trust, which shall be issued for refunding 28 purposes, whenever the refunding shall be determined to result in a 29 savings.

(1) Upon the decision by the trust to issue refunding bonds, 30 31 except for current refunding, and prior to the sale of those bonds, 32 the trust shall transmit to the Joint Budget Oversight Committee, or 33 its successor, a report that a decision has been made, reciting the 34 basis on which the decision was made, including an estimate of the 35 debt service savings to be achieved and the calculations upon which 36 the trust relied when making the decision to issue refunding bonds. 37 The report shall also disclose the intent of the trust to issue and sell 38 the refunding bonds at public or private sale and the reasons 39 therefor.

40 (2) The Joint Budget Oversight Committee or its successor shall 41 have the authority to approve or disapprove the sales of refunding 42 bonds as included in each report submitted in accordance with 43 paragraph (1) of this subsection. The committee shall notify the 44 trust in writing of the approval or disapproval within 30 days of 45 receipt of the report. Should the committee not act within 30 days 46 of receipt of the report, the trust may proceed with the sale of the 47 refunding bonds, provided that the sale of refunding bonds shall

realize not less than three percent net present value debt service
 savings.

3 (3) No refunding bonds shall be issued unless the report has
4 been submitted to and approved by the Joint Budget Oversight
5 Committee or its successor as set forth in paragraphs (1) and (2) of
6 this subsection.

7 (4) Within 30 days after the sale of the refunding bonds, the 8 trust shall notify the committee of the result of that sale, including 9 the prices and terms, conditions and regulations concerning the 10 refunding bonds, the actual amount of debt service savings to be 11 realized as a result of the sale of refunding bonds, and the intended 12 use of the proceeds from the sale of those bonds.

(5) The committee shall review all information and reports
submitted in accordance with this subsection and may, on its own
initiative, make observations to the trust, or to the Legislature, or
both, as it deems appropriate.

h. Each issue of bonds, notes, or other obligations of the trust may, if it is determined by the trust, be general obligations thereof payable out of any revenues, receipts or funds of the trust, or special obligations thereof payable out of particular revenues, receipts or funds, subject only to any agreements with the holders of bonds, notes or other obligations, and may be secured by one or more of the following:

(1) Pledge of revenues and other receipts to be derived from the
payment of the interest on and principal of notes, bonds or other
obligations issued to the trust by one or more local government
units, and any other payment made to the trust pursuant to
agreements with any local government units, or a pledge or
assignment of any notes, bonds, or other obligations of any local
government unit and the rights and interest of the trust therein;

(2) Pledge of rentals, receipts and other revenues to be derived
from leases or other contractual arrangements with any person or
entity, public or private, including one or more local government
units, or a pledge or assignment of those leases or other contractual
arrangements and the rights and interest of the trust therein;

36 (3) Pledge of all moneys, funds, accounts, securities and other
37 funds, including the proceeds of the bonds, notes or other
38 obligations;

39 (4) Pledge of the receipts to be derived from the payments of
40 State aid, payable to the trust pursuant to section 12 of P.L.1985,
41 c.334 (C.58:11B-12);

42 (5) A mortgage on all or any part of the property, real or
43 personal, of the trust then owned or thereafter to be acquired, or a
44 pledge or assignment of mortgages made to the trust by any person
45 or entity, public or private, including one or more local government
46 units and the rights and interest of the trust therein.

1 The trust shall not issue any bonds, notes or other i. 2 obligations, or otherwise incur any additional indebtedness, on or 3 after June 30, 2033. 4 (Deleted by amendment, P.L.1996, c.88). j. 5 (cf: P.L.2018, c.75, s.2) 6 7 4. Section 9 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-9) is amended to 8 read as follows: 9 9. a. (1) The trust may make and contract to make loans to 10 local government units, or to a local government unit on behalf of 11 another local government unit, in accordance with and subject to the 12 provisions of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.) or P.L.1997, 13 c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.) to finance the cost of any wastewater 14 treatment system project or water supply project, which the local 15 government unit may lawfully undertake or acquire and for which 16 the local government unit is authorized by law to borrow money. 17 (2) The trust may make and contract to make loans to public 18 water utilities, or to any other person or local government unit on 19 behalf of a public water utility, in accordance with and subject to 20 the provisions of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.) or P.L.1997, 21 c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.) to finance the cost of any water supply 22 project, which the public water utility may lawfully undertake or 23 acquire. 24 (3) The trust may make and contract to make loans to private 25 persons other than local government units, or to any other person or 26 local government unit on behalf of a private person, in accordance 27 with and subject to the provisions of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 28 et seq.) or P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.) to finance the cost 29 of stormwater management systems. 30 (4) The trust may make and contract to make loans and provide 31 other assistance to a local government unit or consortia thereof to finance the cost of transportation projects , aviation projects, and 32 33 marine projects pursuant to sections 22 and 34 through 38 of 34 P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-35 20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and C.58:11B-22.4), and provided that the 36 federally-funded <u>transportation</u> subaccount is operated in 37 accordance with the provisions of the federal infrastructure bank 38 program. 39 The loans may be made subject to those terms and conditions as 40 the trust shall determine to be consistent with the purposes thereof. 41 Each loan by the trust and the terms and conditions thereof shall be 42 subject to approval by the State Treasurer, and the trust shall make 43 available to the State Treasurer all information, statistical data and 44 reports of independent consultants or experts as the State Treasurer 45 shall deem necessary in order to evaluate the loan. Each loan to a 46 local government unit, public water utility or any other person shall 47 be evidenced by notes, bonds or other obligations thereof issued to 48 the trust. In the case of each local government unit, notes and

1 bonds to be issued to the trust and, if applicable, the State, acting by 2 and through the Department of Environmental Protection, by the 3 local government unit (1) shall be authorized and issued as provided 4 by law for the issuance of notes and bonds by the local government 5 unit, (2) notwithstanding any provisions of the "Local Authorities 6 Fiscal Control Law," P.L.1983, c.313 (C.40A:5A-1 et seq.) to the 7 contrary, shall be approved by the Director of the Division of Local 8 Government Services in the Department of Community Affairs, and 9 (3) notwithstanding the provisions of N.J.S.40A:2-27, N.J.S.40A:2-10 28 and N.J.S.40A:2-29 or any other provisions of law to the 11 contrary, may be sold at private sale to the trust or the State, as the 12 case may be, at any price, whether or not less than par value, and 13 shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity at any times and at 14 any prices as the trust or the State, as the case may be, and local 15 government units may agree. Each loan to a local government unit, 16 public water utility or any other person and the notes, bonds or 17 other obligations thereby issued shall bear interest at a rate or rates 18 per annum as the trust or the State, as the case may be, and the local 19 government unit, public water utility or any other person, as the 20 case may be, may agree.

21 b. The trust is authorized to guarantee or contract to guarantee 22 the payment of all or any portion of the principal and interest on 23 bonds, notes or other obligations issued by a local government unit 24 to finance the cost of any wastewater treatment system project, 25 water supply project, [or] transportation project, aviation project, 26 or marine project which the local government unit may lawfully 27 undertake or acquire and for which the local government unit is 28 authorized by law to borrow money, and the guarantee shall 29 constitute an obligation of the trust for the purposes of P.L.1985, 30 c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), 31 or sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 32 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and 33 C.58:11B-22.4). Each guarantee by the trust and the terms and 34 conditions thereof shall be subject to approval by the State 35 Treasurer, and the trust shall make available to the State Treasurer 36 all information, statistical data and reports of independent 37 consultants or experts as the State Treasurer shall deem necessary in 38 order to evaluate the guarantee.

c. The trust shall not make or contract to make any loans or
guarantees to local government units, public water utilities or any
other person, or otherwise incur any additional indebtedness, on or
after June 30, 2033.

d. Notwithstanding any provision of P.L.1985, c.334
(C.58:11B-1 et seq.) or P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.) to
the contrary, the trust may receive funds from any source including,
without limitation, any funds drawn by the trust from a revolving
line of credit or other similar financial vehicle that may be procured
by the trust, either through a competitive or negotiated process,

1 pursuant to section 5 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-5), for deposit 2 into the Interim Environmental Financing Program Fund or the trust 3 may issue its bonds, notes or other obligations, including 4 commercial paper issued through a competitive or negotiated 5 process, in any principal amounts, in either case, as in the judgment 6 of the trust shall be necessary to provide sufficient funds to finance 7 or refinance short-term or temporary loans to local government 8 units, public water utilities or private persons for any wastewater 9 treatment system projects included on the Department of 10 Environmental Protection project priority list and eligible for 11 approval pursuant to section 20 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-20) 12 or water supply projects included on the Department of 13 Environmental Protection project priority list and eligible for 14 approval pursuant to section 24 of P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-20.1), 15 as applicable, without regard to any other provisions of P.L.1985, 16 c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.) or P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et 17 al.), including, without limitation, any administrative or legislative 18 approvals.

19 The trust shall create and establish a special fund to be known as 20 the "Interim Environmental Financing Program Fund" for the short-21 term or temporary loan financing or refinancing program to be 22 known as the "Interim Environmental Financing Program." The 23 monies in the fund shall be used for short-term or temporary loans 24 for clean water and drinking water projects pursuant to the New 25 Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Financing Program.

26 Except as provided in section 1 of P.L.2013, c.93 (C.58:11B-27 9.5), any short-term or temporary loans made by the trust pursuant 28 to this subsection may only be made in advance of the anticipated 29 loans the trust may make and contract to make under the provisions 30 of subsection a. of this section from any source of funds anticipated 31 to be received by the trust. Any such short-term or temporary loan 32 made pursuant to the Interim Environmental Financing Program 33 shall mature no later than the last day of the third succeeding fiscal 34 year following the closing date on which the short-term or 35 temporary loan was made by the trust to the project sponsor; except 36 a planning, design, and construction loan shall mature no later than 37 the last day of the fifth succeeding fiscal year following the closing 38 date of the planning, design, and construction loan or the last day of 39 the third succeeding fiscal year following the date of construction 40 certification following the closing date of the planning, design, and 41 construction loan, whichever is sooner, provided that, in either case, 42 project planning or engineering design activities shall not exceed 43 two years from the closing date of the planning, design, and 44 construction loan; and except a short-term or temporary loan made 45 pursuant to this subsection for environmental planning and 46 engineering design costs associated with long-term control plans for 47 combined sewer overflow projects shall mature no later than the last 48 day of the 10th succeeding fiscal year following the closing date on

1 which the short-term or temporary loan was made by the trust to the project sponsor <sup>1</sup>; and except a short-term or temporary loan made 2 3 pursuant to this subsection which has been submitted as part of an 4 application for funding pursuant to the "Water Infrastructure Finance 5 and Innovation Act of 2014" (WIFIA), 33 U.S.C. s.3901 et seq., as 6 amended and supplemented, shall mature not later than the funding 7 draw period allowed by this federal act<sup>1</sup>. Any short-term or 8 temporary loan or planning, design and construction loan made by 9 the trust pursuant to this subsection may mature in a shorter period 10 of time as may be necessary to align with construction completion. 11 With respect to any short-term or temporary loan or planning, 12 design, and construction loan made by the trust pursuant to this 13 subsection, the trust may authorize one short-term supplemental 14 loan for residual project expenses thereof upon receipt by the trust 15 from the Department of Environmental Protection of a certification 16 that states that the time required by the project sponsor to complete 17 construction of the project exceeds the maximum maturity date of 18 the project sponsor's outstanding short-term or temporary loan or 19 planning, design, and construction loan. Any such short-term 20 supplemental loan shall not exceed in duration the last day of the 21 third succeeding fiscal year following the loan closing of the 22 supplemental loan. The trust may make short-term or temporary 23 loans pursuant to the Interim Environmental Financing Program to 24 any one or more of the project sponsors, for the respective projects 25 thereof, identified in the interim financing project priority list to be 26 known as the "Interim Environmental Financing Program Project 27 Priority List" in the form provided to the Legislature by the 28 Commissioner of Environmental Protection.

29 The Interim Environmental Financing Program Project Priority 30 List, including any revision thereof or supplement thereto, shall be 31 submitted to the Legislature pursuant to section 2 of P.L.1991, 32 c.164 (C.52:14-19.1) at least once in each fiscal year as provided in 33 section 20 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-20) and section 24 of 34 P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-20.1). The Secretary and the Clerk shall 35 cause the date of submission to be entered upon the Senate Journal 36 and the Minutes of the General Assembly, respectively. The trust 37 may revise or supplement the Interim Environmental Financing 38 Program Project Priority List no more than four times during the 39 fiscal year and shall submit the revised list to the Legislature when 40 the revisions are made. Any environmental infrastructure project or 41 the project sponsor thereof not identified in the Interim 42 Environmental Financing Program Project Priority List shall not be 43 eligible for a short-term or temporary loan from the Interim 44 Environmental Financing Program Fund. The trust may issue short-45 term or temporary loans pursuant to this subsection only if a project 46 is listed on an Interim Environmental Financing Program Project 47 Priority List that has been submitted to the Legislature. No funds 48 may be disbursed pursuant to this section for environmental <u>infrastructure</u> project activities prior to a determination and
 certification, in writing, from the Department of Environmental
 Protection, that the project activities satisfy the provisions of
 P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.).

5 Notwithstanding any provisions of the "Local Bond Law" e. 6 (N.J.S.40A:2-1 et seq.), the "sewerage authorities law," P.L.1946, 7 c.138 (C.40:14A-1 et seq.), or the "municipal and county utilities 8 authorities law," P.L.1957, c.183 (C.40:14B-1 et seq.) to the 9 contrary, short-term or temporary loans made by the trust pursuant 10 to section 9 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-9) or section 1 of 11 P.L.2013, c.93 (C.58:11B-9.5), and the obligations issued by project 12 sponsors to evidence such loans, may, at the discretion of the trust 13 and upon application by the project sponsor, bear interest at a 14 variable rate determined pursuant to a methodology as may be 15 established by the trust from time to time.

16 Further, notwithstanding any provisions of the "Local Bond 17 Law" (N.J.S.40A:2-1 et seq.), the "sewerage authorities law," 18 P.L.1946, c.138 (C.40:14A-1 et seq.), or the "municipal and county 19 utilities authorities law," P.L.1957, c.183 (C.40:14B-1 et seq.) to 20 the contrary, any short-term or temporary loans made by the trust 21 pursuant to section 9 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-9) or section 1 of P.L.2013, c.93 (C.58:11B-9.5), and any notes or other 22 23 obligations issued by project sponsors to evidence such short-term 24 or temporary loans, as such loans, notes, or other obligations may 25 be refinanced or extended, as provided in subsections d. and g. of 26 this section and section 1 of P.L.2013, c.93 (C.58:11B-9.5), except 27 for loans for environmental planning and engineering design costs 28 associated with long-term control plans for combined sewer 29 overflow projects as provided in subsection d. of this section, shall 30 mature no later than the maturity date as established pursuant to 31 subsections d. and g. of this section and section 1 of P.L.2013, c.93 32 (C.58:11B-9.5), without payment by project sponsors of any portion 33 of the principal thereof prior to maturity.

34 f. Any balances remaining in the Emergency Loan Fund 35 established pursuant to section 4 of P.L.2007, c.138 (C.58:11B-9.1), 36 the Planning and Design Fund established pursuant to section 1 of 37 P.L.2009, c.59 (C.58:11B-9.2), the Onsite Wastewater Disposal 38 Loan Fund established pursuant to section 5 of P.L.2009, c.103 39 (C.58:11B-9.3), the Supplemental Loan Fund established pursuant 40 to section 2 of P.L.2011, c.94 (C.58:11B-9.4), and the Equipment 41 Loan Fund established pursuant to section 1 of P.L.2014, c.28 42 (C.58:11B-9.6) after the date of enactment of P.L.2016, c.30 shall 43 be transferred to the Interim Environmental Financing Program 44 Fund, and any loan repayments to the trust of principal and interest 45 or premium on loans made from those funds shall be credited to the 46 Interim Environmental Financing Program Fund.

g. The trust shall create and establish a special fund to beknown as the "Interim Transportation Financing Program Fund" for

1 the short-term or temporary loan financing or refinancing program 2 to be known as the "Interim Transportation Financing Program." 3 Notwithstanding any provision of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 4 et seq.) or P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.) to the contrary, 5 the trust may receive funds from any source including, without 6 limitation, any funds drawn by the trust from a revolving line of 7 credit or other similar financial vehicle that may be procured by the 8 trust, either through a competitive or negotiated process, pursuant to 9 section 5 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-5), for deposit into the 10 Interim Transportation Financing Program Fund or the trust may 11 issue its bonds, notes or other obligations in any principal amounts, 12 in either case, as in the judgment of the trust shall be necessary to 13 provide sufficient funds to finance or refinance short-term or 14 temporary loans to local government units or private persons for 15 any transportation project , aviation project, or marine project 16 on the Department of Transportation included Interim 17 Transportation Financing Program Project Priority List for the 18 ensuing fiscal year and eligible for approval pursuant to sections 22 19 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 through 20 C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and C.58:11B-21 22.4), without regard to any other provisions of P.L.1985, c.334 22 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), or 23 sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 24 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and 25 C.58:11B-22.4), including, without limitation, any administrative or 26 legislative approvals. 27 Any short-term or temporary loans made by the trust pursuant to

28 this subsection may only be made in advance of the anticipated 29 loans the trust may make and contract to make under the provisions 30 of subsection a. of this section from any source of funds anticipated 31 to be received by the trust. Any such short-term or temporary loan 32 made pursuant to the Interim Transportation Financing Program 33 shall mature no later than the last day of the third succeeding fiscal 34 year following the closing date on which the short-term or 35 temporary loan was made by the trust to the project sponsor; except 36 a planning, design, and construction loan shall mature no later than 37 the last day of the fifth succeeding fiscal year following the closing 38 date of the planning, design, and construction loan or the last day of 39 the third succeeding fiscal year following the date of construction 40 certification following the closing date of the planning, design, and 41 construction loan, whichever is sooner, provided that, in either case, 42 project planning or engineering design activities shall not exceed 43 two years from the closing date of the planning, design, and 44 construction loan <sup>1</sup>and except a short-term or temporary loan made 45 pursuant to this subsection which has been submitted as part of an 46 application for funding pursuant to the "Transportation Infrastructure 47 Finance and Innovation Act of 1998" (TIFIA), 23 U.S.C. s.601 et seq., 48 as amended and supplemented, shall mature not later than the funding

1 draw period allowed by this federal act<sup>1</sup>. Any short-term or 2 temporary loan or planning, design and construction loan made by 3 the trust pursuant to this subsection may mature in a shorter period 4 of time as may be necessary to align with construction completion. 5 With respect to any short-term or temporary loan or planning, 6 design, and construction loan made by the trust pursuant to this 7 subsection, the trust may authorize one short-term supplemental loan for residual expenses thereof upon receipt by the trust from the 8 9 Department of Transportation of a certification that states that the 10 time required by the project sponsor to complete construction of the 11 project exceeds the maximum maturity date of the short-term or 12 temporary loan or planning, design, and construction loan. Any 13 such short-term supplemental loan shall not exceed in duration the 14 last day of the third succeeding fiscal year following the loan 15 closing of the short-term supplemental loan. The trust may make 16 short-term or temporary loans pursuant to the Interim 17 Transportation Financing Program to any one or more of the project 18 sponsors, for the respective projects thereof, only if a project is 19 the Department of Transportation identified in Interim 20 Transportation Financing Program Project Priority List to be known 21 as the "Interim Transportation Financing Program Project Priority 22 List" in the form provided to the Legislature by the Commissioner 23 of Transportation. 24 The Interim Transportation Financing Program Project Priority

25 List, including any revision thereof or supplement thereto, shall be 26 submitted to the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the 27 General Assembly on or before July 1 of each year. The Interim 28 Transportation Financing Program Project Priority List shall be submitted to the Legislature pursuant to section 2 of P.L.1991, 29 30 c.164 (C.52:14-19.1) at least once in each fiscal year. The 31 Secretary and the Clerk shall cause the date of submission to be 32 entered upon the Senate Journal and the Minutes of the General 33 Assembly, respectively. Any transportation infrastructure project or 34 the project sponsor thereof not identified in the Interim 35 Transportation Financing Program Project Priority List shall not be 36 eligible for a short-term or temporary loan from the Interim 37 Transportation Financing Program Fund. The trust may revise or 38 supplement the Interim Transportation Financing Program Project 39 Priority List no more than four times during the fiscal year, and 40 shall submit the revised list to the Legislature when the revisions 41 are made.

No funds may be disbursed pursuant to this subsection for
transportation project , aviation project, or marine project activities
prior to [written notification of award concurrence from the
Department of Transportation and] certification in writing, from the
trust, that the project activities satisfy the provisions of P.L.1985,
c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.),
or sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3

through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, 1 and 2 C.58:11B-22.4). Construction activities for a transportation project 3 shall also require written notification of award concurrence from the 4 Department of Transportation prior to fund disbursement. 5 (cf: P.L.2019, c.516, s.2) 6 7 5. Section 1 of P.L.2013, c.93 (C.58:11B-9.5) is amended to 8 read as follows: 9 1. a. The trust shall create and establish a special fund to be 10 known as the "Disaster Relief Emergency Financing Program Fund" 11 for the disaster relief emergency short-term or temporary loan 12 program of the trust to be known as the "Disaster Relief Emergency 13 Financing Program." There shall be established within the fund two 14 subaccounts: an environmental subaccount that shall be approved 15 to receive environmental funds and finance environmental 16 infrastructure projects; and a transportation subaccount that shall be 17 approved to receive transportation funds and finance transportation 18 projects, aviation projects, and marine projects. 19 (1) The environmental subaccount of the Disaster Relief 20 Emergency Financing Program Fund shall be credited with: 21 [(1)] (a) moneys deposited in the [fund] environmental 22 subaccount as administrative fees received by the trust pursuant to 23 subsection o. of section 5 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-5) that are 24 attributable to the Environmental Infrastructure Financing Program; [(2)] (b) moneys received by the trust as repayment of the 25 26 principal of and the interest or premium on loans made from the 27 [fund] environmental subaccount; 28 [(3)] (c) any interest earnings received on the moneys in the 29 [fund] environmental subaccount; 30 [(4)] (d) such other moneys as the Legislature may appropriate 31 to the trust for deposit into the [fund] environmental subaccount at 32 any time to finance or refinance emergency short-term or temporary 33 environmental infrastructure project loans pursuant to the Disaster 34 Relief Emergency Financing Program; 35 [(5)] (e) the proceeds of any bonds, notes or other obligations 36 that may be issued by the trust from time to time in any principal 37 amounts as in the judgment of the trust shall be necessary or appropriate to provide sufficient funds for deposit into the [fund] 38 39 environmental subaccount to finance or refinance emergency short-40 term or temporary environmental infrastructure project loans 41 pursuant to the Disaster Relief Emergency Financing Program; and 42 [(6)] (f) any other source of available funds that may be deemed by the trust to be necessary or appropriate to provide sufficient 43 44 funds for deposit into the [fund] environmental subaccount to 45 finance or refinance emergency short-term or temporary 46 environmental infrastructure project loans pursuant to the Disaster 47 Relief Emergency Financing Program, including, without

1 limitation, any funds drawn by the trust from (i) a revolving line of 2 credit or other similar financial vehicle, or (ii) a commercial paper 3 financing program, either through a competitive or negotiated 4 process, that may be procured by the trust pursuant to the provisions 5 of section 5 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-5), for deposit into the [fund] environmental subaccount to finance or refinance 6 7 emergency short-term or temporary environmental infrastructure 8 project loans pursuant to the Disaster Relief Emergency Financing 9 Program. 10 (1) The transportation subaccount of the Disaster Relief 11 Emergency Financing Program Fund shall be credited with: 12 (a) moneys deposited in the transportation subaccount as 13 administrative fees received by the trust pursuant to subsection o. of 14 section 5 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-5) that are attributable to 15 the Transportation Financing Program; (b) moneys received by the trust as repayment of the principal of 16 17 and the interest or premium on loans made from the transportation 18 subaccount; 19 (c) any interest earnings received on the moneys in the 20 transportation subaccount; 21 (d) such other moneys as the Legislature may appropriate to the 22 trust for deposit into the transportation subaccount at any time to 23 finance or refinance emergency short-term or temporary 24 transportation loans pursuant to the Disaster Relief Emergency 25 Financing Program; (e) the proceeds of any bonds, notes or other obligations that 26 27 may be issued by the trust from time to time in any principal amounts as in the judgment of the trust shall be necessary or 28 29 appropriate to provide sufficient funds for deposit into the 30 transportation subaccount to finance or refinance emergency short-31 term or temporary transportation loans pursuant to the Disaster 32 Relief Emergency Financing Program; and 33 (f) any other source of available funds that may be deemed by 34 the trust to be necessary or appropriate to provide sufficient funds 35 for deposit into the transportation subaccount to finance or 36 refinance emergency short-term or temporary transportation loans 37 pursuant to the Disaster Relief Emergency Financing Program, 38 including, without limitation, any funds drawn by the trust from (i) 39 a revolving line of credit or other similar financial vehicle, or (ii) a 40 commercial paper financing program, either through a competitive 41 or negotiated process, that may be procured by the trust pursuant to 42 the provisions of section 5 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-5). 43 b. Notwithstanding any provision of P.L.1985, c.334 44 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), 45 sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 46 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and 47 C.58:11B-22.4) to the contrary, the trust may make emergency 48 short-term or temporary Disaster Relief Emergency Financing

1 Program loans to: (1) local government units to finance or refinance 2 the costs incurred in the environmental planning and design 3 associated with [such] the wastewater treatment system projects, 4 and to finance wastewater treatment system projects, as applicable; 5 [or] (2) local government units, public water utilities, or private 6 persons to finance or refinance the costs incurred in the 7 environmental planning and design of water supply projects, and to finance water supply projects, as applicable ; or (3) local 8 9 government units to finance or refinance the costs incurred in the 10 planning and design associated with transportation projects, 11 aviation projects, and marine projects, and to finance transportation 12 projects, aviation projects, and marine projects, as applicable.

13 Funds may only be disbursed for emergency short-term or 14 temporary loans upon the determination and certification in writing 15 by the [department] Department of Environmental Protection for 16 environmental infrastructure projects, and by the Department of 17 Transportation for transportation projects, aviation projects, and 18 marine projects, that any such project costs are necessary and 19 appropriate to: repair damages to a wastewater treatment system [or], water supply facility, transportation system, airport facility, 20 21 or marine port or terminal facility directly arising from an act of 22 terrorism, seismic activity, [or] weather conditions , or other 23 emergency event that occurred within the three fiscal years after a 24 declaration by the Governor of a state of emergency, provided the 25 wastewater treatment system [or], water supply facility, 26 transportation system, airport facility, or marine port or terminal 27 facility is located in a county included in the Governor's state of 28 emergency declaration; or mitigate the risk of future damage to a 29 wastewater treatment system [or], water supply facility, 30 transportation system, airport facility, or marine port or terminal 31 facility, from an act of terrorism, seismic activity, [or] weather 32 conditions , or other emergency event comparable in scope and 33 severity to the act of terrorism, seismic activity, [or] weather 34 conditions , or other emergency event that occurred within the three 35 fiscal years after a declaration by the Governor of a state of 36 emergency, provided the wastewater treatment system [or], water 37 supply facility , transportation system, airport facility, or marine 38 port or terminal facility is located in a county included in the 39 Governor's state of emergency declaration, without regard to any 40 other provisions of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, 41 c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.), or sections 22 and 34 through 38 of 42 P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and C.58:11B-22.4), including, without 43 44 limitation, the provisions of section 20 of P.L.1985, c.334 45 (C.58:11B-20), section 24 of P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-20.1), the 46 Interim Environmental Financing Program Project Priority List 47 pursuant to subsection d. of section 9 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-

1 9), or the Interim Transportation Financing Program Project Priority 2 List pursuant to subsection g. of section 9 of P.L.1985, c.334 3 (C.58:11B-9), or any administrative or legislative approvals. A 4 project shall be eligible for emergency short-term or temporary 5 loans pursuant to this section if it is identified on a Disaster Relief 6 Emergency Financing Program Project Priority List no more than 7 three years after the conditions that gave rise to a declaration by the 8 Governor of a state of emergency. Any such short-term or 9 temporary loan pursuant to the Disaster Relief Emergency 10 Financing Program shall mature no later than the last day of the 11 third succeeding fiscal year following the closing date on which the 12 short-term or temporary loan was made by the trust to the project 13 sponsor; except a planning, design, and construction loan shall 14 mature no later than the last day of the fifth succeeding fiscal year 15 following the closing date of the planning, design, and construction 16 loan or the last day of the third succeeding fiscal year following the 17 date of construction certification following the closing date of the 18 planning, design, and construction loan, whichever is sooner, 19 provided that, in either case, project planning or engineering design 20 activities shall not exceed two years from the closing date of the 21 planning, design, and construction loan. With respect to any short-22 term or temporary loan or planning, design, and construction loan 23 made by the trust pursuant to this subsection, the trust may 24 authorize one short-term supplemental loan for residual project 25 expenses thereof upon receipt by the trust from the [department] 26 Department of Environmental Protection or the Department of 27 Transportation, as appropriate, of a certification that states that the 28 time required by the project sponsor to complete construction of the project exceeds the maximum maturity date of the short-term or 29 30 temporary loan or planning, design, and construction loan. Any 31 such short-term supplemental loan shall not exceed in duration the 32 last day of the third succeeding fiscal year following the loan 33 closing of the short-term supplemental loan. 34 The trust may make short-term or temporary loans pursuant c.

35 to the Disaster Relief Emergency Financing Program to one or more 36 of the project sponsors, for the respective projects thereof, provided 37 that the project is identified on the Environmental Disaster Relief 38 Emergency Financing Program project priority list to be known as 39 the "Environmental Disaster Relief Emergency Financing Program 40 Project Priority List" no later than three years after the date of the 41 declaration by the Governor of a state of emergency in the form 42 provided to the Legislature by the Commissioner of Environmental 43 Protection, or the Transportation Disaster Relief Emergency 44 Financing Program project priority list to be known as the 45 "Transportation Disaster Relief Emergency Financing Program Project Priority List" no later than three years after the date of the 46 47 declaration by the Governor of a state of emergency in the form 48 provided to the Legislature by the Commissioner of the Department

1 of Transportation. However, a project may be eligible for funding 2 pursuant to this section more than three years after the date of the 3 declaration by the Governor of a state of emergency if the project 4 was first included on [a] an Environmental Disaster Relief 5 Emergency Financing Program Project Priority List or a 6 Transportation Disaster Relief Emergency Financing Program Project Priority List within three years after the date of the 7 declaration by the Governor of a state of emergency and continues 8 9 to be identified on the Environmental Disaster Relief Emergency 10 Financing Program Project Priority List or the Transportation 11 Disaster Relief Emergency Financing Program Project Priority List 12 in the fiscal year in which the funding is issued. The Environmental Disaster Relief Emergency Financing Program 13 14 Project Priority List and the Transportation Disaster Relief 15 Emergency Financing Program Project Priority List shall be 16 submitted to the Legislature pursuant to section 2 of P.L.1991, 17 c.164 (C.52:14-19.1) at least once in each fiscal year. [An 18 environmental infrastructure] A project or a project sponsor thereof 19 not identified on the Environmental Disaster Relief Emergency 20 Financing Program Project Priority List or Transportation Disaster 21 Relief Emergency Financing Program Project Priority List 22 submitted to the Legislature shall not be eligible for a short-term or 23 temporary loan from the Disaster Relief Emergency Financing 24 Program Fund. 25 d. The trust shall submit a report on the Disaster Emergency 26 Financing Program to the Legislature pursuant to section 2 of 27 P.L.1991, c.164 (C.52:14-19.1) on or before January 15 of each

28 year. The Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the General 29 Assembly shall cause the date of submission to be entered upon the 30 Senate Journal and the Minutes of the General Assembly, 31 respectively. The report shall identify the wastewater treatment 32 system and water supply <u>environmental infrastructure</u> projects , 33 transportation projects, aviation projects, and marine projects 34 financed during the prior fiscal year through the program including 35 a project description, the amount of the Disaster Relief Emergency 36 Financing Program loan provided for each project, and the duration 37 of each loan. 38 (cf: P.L.2019, c.516, s.3) 39 40 6. Section 22 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3) is amended to 41 read as follows:

42 22. a. There is established in the New Jersey Infrastructure
43 Bank a special fund to be known as the Transportation Loan
44 Origination Fee Fund.

45 The Transportation Loan Origination Fee Fund shall be credited46 with:

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1 (1) moneys deposited into the fund as loan origination fees 2 received by the trust and paid by loan applicants for transportation 3 projects, aviation projects, and marine projects financed under the 4 New Jersey Transportation Infrastructure Financing Program; and

5 (2) any interest paid on the amounts of the transportation loan 6 origination fees.

7 b. Moneys in the Transportation Loan Origination Fee Fund 8 shall be drawn and used by the trust to reimburse the trust and then 9 the Department of Transportation for administrative and operating 10 expenses incurred in administering the New Jersey Transportation 11 Infrastructure Financing Program, except that the total amount 12 expended by the trust for administrative and operating expenses in 13 any fiscal year shall not exceed \$8,000,000. The monies in the 14 Transportation Loan Origination Fee Fund shall also be available for application by the trust for loans to local government units for 15 16 the cost of transportation projects , aviation projects, and marine 17 projects. Amounts in excess of the funds drawn by the Department 18 of Transportation from the Transportation Loan Origination Fee 19 Fund during any given fiscal year shall be carried forward into the 20 following fiscal year and held on deposit in the fund.

21 c. As used in this section, "transportation loan origination fee" means the fee charged by the trust in connection with engineering 22 23 and environmental services provided by the Department of 24 Transportation to a project sponsor pursuant to such project 25 sponsor's participation in the New Jersey Transportation Financing 26 A project sponsor may finance any portion of the Program. 27 transportation loan origination fee through the trust through a 28 transportation loan by the trust to such project sponsor.

29 (cf: P.L.2019, c.516, s.5)

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31 7. Section 34 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.4) is amended to 32 read as follows:

33 There is established in the New Jersey Infrastructure 34. a. 34 Bank a special fund to be known as the State Transportation Infrastructure Bank Fund. The monies in the fund shall only be 35 used for transportation projects , aviation projects, and marine 36 37 projects funded by the New Jersey Transportation Infrastructure 38 Financing Program. There shall be established within the fund, [two] four subaccounts: (1) a federally-funded transportation 39 40 project subaccount that shall be approved to receive federal funds 41 and related State matching funds pursuant to the federal 42 infrastructure bank program provided for in section 350 of 43 Pub.L.104-59 and Pub.L.102-240 as amended or superseded, and 44 (2) a State-funded transportation project subaccount that shall be 45 approved to receive only State funds in excess of those required to 46 deposited in the federally-funded transportation project be 47 subaccount; (3) an aviation project subaccount that shall be 48 approved to receive funds related to the financing of aviation

1 projects; and (4) a marine project subaccount that shall be approved 2 to receive funds related to the financing of marine projects. The 3 State-funded transportation project subaccount shall be ineligible to 4 receive any federal funds. However, funds in the State-funded 5 transportation project subaccount shall be eligible for transfer into 6 the federally-funded transportation project subaccount in the 7 discretion of the trust for the purpose of related match funding of 8 the federally-funded transportation project subaccount. The 9 amounts in the aviation project subaccount shall be available for 10 application by the trust for loans to local government units for the 11 cost of aviation projects, and for other corporate purposes of the 12 trust related to aviation projects. All moneys placed into the 13 aviation project subaccount shall be held separate from other funds 14 of the State Transportation Infrastructure Bank Fund, and no 15 aviation project subaccount funds shall be combined or comingled 16 with any funds that finance transportation projects or marine 17 projects. The amounts in the marine project subaccount shall be 18 available for application by the trust for loans to local government 19 units for the cost of marine projects, and for other corporate 20 purposes of the trust related to marine projects. All moneys placed 21 into the marine project subaccount shall be held separate from other 22 funds of the State Transportation Infrastructure Bank Fund, and no 23 marine subaccount funds shall be combined or comingled with any 24 funds that finance transportation projects or aviation projects. 25 The State Transportation Infrastructure Bank Fund shall be 26 credited with: 27 (1) (a) State and federal funds appropriated to [a federal] the 28 federally-funded transportation project subaccount of the State 29 Transportation Infrastructure Bank Fund pursuant to the federal 30 infrastructure bank program provided for in section 350 of 31 Pub.L.104-59 and Pub.L.102-240 as amended or superseded, [and] 32 (b) State funds in excess of any minimum State match required 33 under the federal infrastructure bank program, appropriated to the State-funded transportation project subaccount of the State 34 35 Transportation Infrastructure Bank Fund , 36 (c) State and federal funds appropriated to the aviation project 37 subaccount of the State Transportation Infrastructure Bank funds, 38 and 39 (d) State and federal funds appropriated to the marine 40 subaccount of the State Transportation Infrastructure Bank Fund; 41 (2) monetary donations made available to the State to support 42 the State Transportation Infrastructure Bank Fund; 43 (3) moneys received as repayment of the principal of and the 44 interest or premium on loans made from the State Transportation 45 Infrastructure Bank Fund; 46 (4) any interest earnings received on the moneys in the State

47 Transportation Infrastructure Bank Fund <u>and the four subaccounts</u>
48 <u>of the fund</u>; and

(5) such other moneys as the Legislature may appropriate to the
 trust for deposit into the State Transportation Infrastructure Bank
 Fund at any time to finance or refinance transportation project,
 <u>aviation project</u>, or marine project loans issued from <u>funds in</u> the
 State Transportation Infrastructure Bank Fund.

6 b. Notwithstanding any provision of P.L.1985, c.334 7 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.) or 8 sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 9 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and 10 C.58:11B-22.4) to the contrary, all moneys placed into the State Transportation Infrastructure Bank Fund shall be held separate from 11 12 other funds of the trust, and no transportation funds , aviation funds, or marine funds shall be combined or comingled with any funds that 13 14 finance (1) wastewater treatment system projects, (2) water supply 15 projects, or (3) other environmental infrastructure projects, that are 16 not transportation projects, aviation projects, or marine projects.

c. All moneys placed into the State-funded <u>transportation</u>
project subaccount of the State Transportation Infrastructure Bank
Fund shall be held separate from any federal funds provided for the
federally-funded <u>transportation project</u> subaccount of the State
Transportation Infrastructure Bank Fund.

22 d. Notwithstanding any provision of P.L.1985, c.334 23 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.) or 24 sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 25 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and 26 C.58:11B-22.4) to the contrary, the trust may provide loans or other 27 assistance to one or more local government units or consortia 28 thereof for the purpose of financing all or a portion of the costs 29 incurred for the planning, acquisition, engineering, construction, reconstruction, repair, and rehabilitation of a transportation project , 30 31 aviation project, or marine project, provided that monies from the 32 federally-funded transportation project subaccount are limited to the 33 purposes permitted under the federal infrastructure bank program.

e. In addition to the financing described in subsection d. of this
section, a portion, not to exceed 10 percent, of the assistance
provided from the State-funded [sub-account] transportation
project subaccount of the State Transportation Infrastructure Bank
Fund may be issued in the form of grants.

f. Loans or other assistance granted pursuant to this section
shall be considered an investment or reinvestment by the State
Transportation Infrastructure Bank Fund, provided that monies from
the federally-funded <u>transportation project</u> subaccount are limited to
the purposes permitted under the federal infrastructure bank
program, and not a loan within the meaning of section 12 of
P.L.1995, c.108 (C.27:1B-21.5).

g. The refinancing of debt relating to an existing transportation
project <u>, aviation project</u>, or marine project shall not be an eligible
form of assistance from the State Transportation Infrastructure

1 Bank Fund, and a loan shall not be granted unless the applicant can 2 demonstrate to the satisfaction of the trust that the assistance being 3 sought is not for the refinancing of debt relating to an existing 4 transportation project, aviation project, or marine project. 5 h. Any project, the use or purpose of which is private and for 6 which no public benefit is created, shall not be eligible for financial 7 assistance from the trust. 8 The trust shall consider the following factors when setting an i. 9 interest rate on a loan provided pursuant to this section: (1) the 10 current market rates for comparable obligations; (2) the nature of 11 the project; (3) the financing structure of the project; (4) the 12 creditworthiness of the borrower; and (5) the term of the proposed 13 obligation. 14 j. (Deleted by amendment, P.L.2019, c.194). 15 k. The In addition to the accounts and subaccounts established pursuant to this section, the trust may establish or direct 16 17 the establishment of federal and State accounts or subaccounts as 18 may be necessary to meet any applicable federal law requirements 19 or desirable for the efficient administration of the trust. 20 (cf: P.L.2019, c.194, s.4) 21 22 8. Section 35 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.5) is amended to 23 read as follows: 24 35. a. The trust shall maintain the administrative responsibilities for financing projects approved for assistance through the State 25 26 Transportation Infrastructure Bank Fund, in accordance with any 27 applicable federal laws regarding the use of federal funds on 28 transportation projects, as well as any provision of P.L.1985, c.334 29 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.), P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.) and 30 sections 22 and 34 through 38 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-10.3 31 through C.58:11B-10.5, C.58:11B-20.2, C.58:11B-22.3, and 32 C.58:11B-22.4), and provided that monies from the federally-33 funded transportation project subaccount are limited by the 34 provisions of the federal infrastructure bank program. The trust is authorized to enter into agreements with one or more local 35 government units or consortia thereof for the use of monies from 36 37 the State Transportation Infrastructure Bank Fund to provide loans 38 or other assistance for the purpose of financing all or a portion of

39 the costs incurred for the planning, acquisition, engineering, 40 construction, reconstruction, repair, and rehabilitation of a 41 transportation project, aviation project, or marine project, provided 42 that monies from the federally-funded transportation project 43 subaccount are limited to the purposes permitted under the federal 44 infrastructure bank program. The terms of the federally-funded 45 transportation project subaccount agreements shall be consistent 46 with the requirements of the federal infrastructure bank program 47 and the trust may adopt rules and regulations to carry out these 48 functions.

1 The trust shall also develop a formal relationship with the b. 2 Department of Transportation for purposes, including, but not 3 limited to, the evaluation of potential transportation projects, 4 aviation projects, and marine projects, fulfilling federal regulations 5 regarding capital projects, coordinating with metropolitan planning organizations, ensuring that any projects obtaining assistance are 6 7 consistent with the Statewide capital investment strategy, 8 monitoring borrower creditworthiness standards, and advancing 9 local, regional, and Statewide transportation objectives. 10 (cf: P.L.2016, c.56, s.35) 11 12 9. Section 6 of P.L.2009, c.59 (C.58:11B-19.1) is amended to 13 read as follows: 14 6. Notwithstanding any provision of P.L.1985, c.334 15 (C.58:11B-1 et seq.) or P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-10.1 et al.) to 16 the contrary, the trust may receive or access emergency or relief 17 federal funds that are appropriated to the State subsequent to a 18 federal or State declaration of emergency to make loans or grants in 19 the implementation of the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure 20 Financing Program [for 2009] or the New Jersey Transportation 21 Infrastructure Financing Program, to local government units, public 22 water utilities or private persons for any wastewater treatment 23 system projects included on the <u>clean water</u> project priority list for 24 the ensuing fiscal year and eligible for approval pursuant to section 25 20 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-20) [or], water supply projects 26 included on the drinking water project priority list for the ensuing 27 fiscal year and eligible for approval pursuant to section 24 of P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-20.1), or transportation projects 28 29 included on the transportation project priority list for the ensuing 30 fiscal year and eligible for approval pursuant to section 36 of 31 P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-20.2), as applicable , or to make non-32 project related loans and provide other assistance, including CAP 33 payments and other financial assistance on behalf of or as a conduit 34 for local government units, in accordance with the ranking criteria 35 determined by the federal or State government. 36 For the purposes of this section, "CAP Payment" means a 37 payment made by a project sponsor pursuant to a State or federal 38 relief program for utility customers or a consumer assistance 39 program.

40 (cf: P.L.2009, c.59, s.6)

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42 10. Section 20 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-20) is amended to 43 read as follows:

20. a. (1) The Commissioner of Environmental Protection shall
for each fiscal year develop a priority system for wastewater
treatment systems and shall establish the ranking criteria and
funding policies for the clean water projects to be financed by the
New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Financing Program. The

commissioner shall set forth an Interim Clean Water Financing 1 2 Program Project Priority List, hereinafter referred to as the "clean 3 water project priority list," for funding by the trust for each fiscal 4 year and shall include the aggregate amount of funds of the trust to 5 be authorized for these purposes. The clean water project priority 6 list may include any stormwater management or combined sewer 7 abatement project identified in the overflow stormwater 8 management and combined sewer overflow abatement project 9 priority list adopted by the commissioner pursuant to section 28 of 10 P.L.1989, c.181.

11 The clean water project priority list, which shall include for each 12 wastewater treatment system the date each project is scheduled to be certified as ready for funding, shall be in conformance with 13 14 applicable provisions of the "Federal Water Pollution Control Act 15 Amendments of 1972," Pub.L.92-500 (33 U.S.C. s.1251 et al.), and 16 any amendatory or supplementary acts thereto, and State law, or in 17 the case of a wastewater treatment system project for the reduction 18 of lead in a publicly-owned facility, conformance with requirements 19 established by the Department of Environmental Protection for 20 those projects or, in the case of a wastewater treatment system 21 project financed through another source of funds, conformance with 22 the requirements established by the department and the other source 23 of funds for that project. The clean water project priority list shall 24 include a description of each project and its purpose, impact, cost, 25 and construction schedule, and an explanation of the manner in 26 which priorities were established. The priority system and clean 27 water project priority list for the ensuing fiscal year shall be 28 submitted to the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the 29 General Assembly on or before January 15 of each year. The 30 Secretary and the Clerk shall cause the date of submission to be 31 entered upon the Senate Journal and the Minutes of the General 32 Assembly, respectively. Incremental revisions or supplements to the 33 clean water project priority list may be submitted to the Legislature 34 as provided in subsection d. of section 9 of P.L.1985, c.334 35 (C.58:11B-9).

36 (2) The commissioner shall set forth a clean water project 37 eligibility list for long-term funding by the trust and shall include 38 the aggregate amount of funds to be authorized for these purposes. 39 The clean water project eligibility list shall consist of clean water 40 project priority list projects certified by the department that have 41 commenced construction and demonstrated a high likelihood of 42 construction completion on or before the end of the ensuing fiscal 43 year. On or before May 15 of each year, the trust shall submit the 44 clean water project eligibility list for the ensuing fiscal year, 45 including any revision thereof or supplement thereto, to be 46 introduced in each House in the form of legislative appropriations 47 bills, which shall be referred to the Senate Environment and Energy 48 Committee and the Assembly Environment and Solid Waste

1 Committee, or their successors, for their respective consideration. 2 On or before October 15 of each year the trust may submit an 3 additional clean water project eligibility list, to be introduced in 4 each House in the form of legislative appropriations bills, which 5 shall be referred to the Senate Environment and Energy Committee 6 and the Assembly Environment and Solid Waste Committee, or 7 their successors, for their respective consideration.

8 The Senate Environment and Energy Committee and the b. 9 Assembly Environment and Solid Waste Committee shall, either 10 individually or jointly, consider the legislation containing the clean 11 water project eligibility list, and shall report the legislation, together 12 with any modifications, out of committee for consideration by each 13 House of the Legislature. On or before July 1 of each year, the 14 Legislature shall approve an appropriations act containing the clean 15 water project eligibility list, including any amendatory or 16 supplementary provisions thereto, which act shall include the 17 authorization of an aggregate amount of funds of the trust to be 18 expended for long-term loans and guarantees for the specific 19 projects, including the individual amounts therefor, on the list.

c. The trust shall not expend any money for a long-term loan or
guarantee during a fiscal year for any wastewater treatment system
project unless the expenditure is authorized pursuant to an
appropriations act as provided in the provisions of this section, or as
otherwise set forth in an appropriations act.

d. The trust shall submit to the Secretary of the Senate and the
Clerk of the General Assembly on or before January 15 of each year
a report which shall identify the wastewater treatment system
projects financed during the prior fiscal year, including a project
description, the amount of the loan provided for each project, and
the duration of each loan.

31 (cf: P.L.2017, c.144, s.8)

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33 11. Section 24 of P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-20.1) is amended
34 to read as follows:

35 24. a. (1) The Commissioner of Environmental Protection shall 36 for each fiscal year develop a priority system for water supply 37 projects and shall establish the ranking criteria and funding policies for the water supply projects to be financed by the New Jersey 38 39 Environmental Infrastructure Financing Program. The 40 commissioner shall set forth an Interim Drinking Water Financing 41 Program Project Priority List, hereinafter referred to as the 42 "drinking water project priority list," for funding by the trust for 43 each fiscal year and shall include the aggregate amount of funds of the trust to be authorized for these purposes. The commissioner 44 45 may include a water supply project on the drinking water project 46 priority list if it is eligible for funding under the "Water Supply 47 Bond Act of 1981," P.L.1981, c.261, as amended, meets the 48 eligibility requirements for funding pursuant to the federal "Safe

1 Drinking Water Act Amendments of 1996," Pub.L.104-182, or, in 2 the case of a water supply project for the reduction of lead in a 3 publicly-owned facility, the project meets the eligibility 4 requirements established by the Department of Environmental 5 Protection for those projects or, in the case of a water supply project 6 financed through another source of funds, conformance with the 7 requirements established by the department and the other source of 8 funds for that project. The drinking water project priority list shall 9 include a description of each project and an explanation of the 10 manner in which priorities were established. The priority system 11 and drinking water project priority list for the ensuing fiscal year 12 shall be submitted to the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of 13 the General Assembly on or before January 15 of each year. The 14 Secretary and the Clerk shall cause the date of submission to be entered upon the Senate Journal and the Minutes of the General 15 16 Assembly, respectively. Incremental revisions or supplements to the 17 drinking water project priority list may be submitted to the 18 Legislature as provided in subsection d. of section 9 of P.L.1985, 19 c.334 (C.58:11B-9).

20 (2) The commissioner shall set forth a drinking water project 21 eligibility list for long-term funding by the trust and shall include 22 the aggregate amount of funds to be authorized for these purposes. 23 The drinking water project eligibility list shall consist of drinking 24 water project priority list projects certified by the department that 25 have commenced construction and demonstrated a high likelihood 26 of construction completion on or before the end of the ensuing 27 fiscal year. On or before May 15 of each year, the trust shall submit 28 the drinking water project eligibility list for the ensuing fiscal year, 29 including any revision thereof or supplement thereto, to be 30 introduced in each House in the form of legislative appropriations 31 bills, which shall be referred to the Senate Environment and Energy Committee and the Assembly Environment and Solid Waste 32 33 Committee, or their successors, for their respective consideration. 34 On or before October 15 of each year the trust may submit an 35 additional drinking water project eligibility list, to be introduced in 36 each House in the form of legislative appropriations bills, which 37 shall be referred to the Senate Environment and Energy Committee 38 and the Assembly Environment and Solid Waste Committee, or 39 their successors, for their respective consideration.

40 The Senate Environment and Energy Committee and the b. 41 Assembly Environment and Solid Waste Committee shall, either 42 individually or jointly, consider the legislation containing the 43 drinking water project eligibility list, and shall report the 44 legislation, together with any modifications, out of committee for 45 consideration by each House of the Legislature. On or before July 1 46 of each year, the Legislature shall approve an appropriations act 47 containing the drinking water project eligibility list, including any 48 amendatory or supplementary provisions thereto, which act shall include the authorization of an aggregate amount of funds of the
trust to be expended for long-term loans and guarantees for the
specific water supply projects, including the individual amounts
therefor, on the list.

c. The trust shall not expend any money for a long-term loan or
guarantee during a fiscal year for any water supply project unless
the expenditure is authorized pursuant to an appropriations act as
provided in the provisions of this section, or as otherwise set forth
in an appropriations act.

d. The trust shall submit to the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the General Assembly on or before January 15 of each year a report which shall identify the water supply projects financed during the prior fiscal year, including a project description, the amount of the loan provided for each project, and the duration of each loan.

16 (cf: P.L.2018, c.75, s.5)

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18 12. Section 36 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C58:11B-20.2) is amended to19 read as follows:

20 36. a. The Commissioner of Transportation shall, for each fiscal 21 year, develop a priority system for transportation projects , aviation 22 projects, and marine projects. The Commissioner of Transportation 23 shall set forth a Transportation Financing Program Project Priority 24 List, hereinafter referred to as the "transportation project priority 25 list," for funding by the trust for each fiscal year and shall include 26 the aggregate amount of funds of the trust to be authorized for these 27 purposes. The Commissioner of Transportation may include a 28 transportation project on the transportation project priority list if it 29 meets the eligibility requirements for funding pursuant to 30 Pub.L.114-94, the "Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act," 31 or any successor legislation. The Commissioner of Transportation 32 may include an aviation project on the transportation project 33 priority list if the project meets the eligibility requirements for 34 funding provided in the terms and conditions of the funding source. 35 The Commissioner of Transportation may include a marine project 36 on the transportation project priority list if the project meets the 37 requirements of the federal "National Defense Authorization Act for 38 Fiscal Year 2010" (Pub.L.111-84), or any successor legislation. The 39 transportation project priority list shall include a description of each 40 project and an explanation of the manner in which projects are 41 ranked. The transportation project priority list for the ensuing fiscal 42 year shall be submitted to the Legislature on or before January 15 of 43 each year. The Secretary and the Clerk shall cause the date of 44 submission to be entered upon the Senate Journal and the Minutes 45 of the General Assembly, respectively. Incremental revisions or 46 supplements to the transportation project priority list may be 47 submitted to the Legislature as provided in subsection g. of section 48 9 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-9).

1 The Commissioner of Transportation shall set forth a b. 2 Transportation Financing Program Project Eligibility List for long-3 term funding by the trust and shall include the aggregate amount of 4 funds to be authorized for these purposes. The Transportation 5 Financing Program Project Eligibility List shall consist of Transportation Financing Program Project Priority List projects 6 7 certified by the Department of Transportation that have commenced 8 construction and demonstrated to the department a high likelihood 9 of construction completion on or before the end of the ensuing 10 The Transportation Financing Program Project fiscal year. Eligibility List established pursuant to this subsection shall be 11 considered by the budget committees of each House of the 12 13 Legislature for inclusion in the annual appropriations act.] On or 14 before [June 30] May 15 of each year, [the Legislature shall 15 include] the trust shall submit the Transportation Financing 16 Program Project Eligibility List [with any modifications in the 17 annual appropriations act], including any amendatory or supplementary provisions thereto, [which act shall include the 18 19 authorization of an aggregate amount of funds of the trust to be 20 expended for loans and guarantees for the specific transportation 21 projects, including the individual amounts therefor, on the list ] to 22 the Legislature to be introduced in each House in the form of 23 legislative appropriations bills, which shall be referred to the Senate 24 Transportation Committee and the Assembly Transportation and 25 Independent Authorities Committee, or their successors, for their 26 respective consideration. [The initial Transportation Financing 27 Program Project Eligibility List for the ensuing fiscal year shall be 28 submitted to the Legislature on or before May 15 of each year.] 29 The Secretary and the Clerk shall cause the date of submission to be 30 entered upon the Senate Journal and the Minutes of the General 31 Assembly, respectively. 32 The Senate Transportation Committee and the Assembly 33 Transportation and Independent Authorities Committee shall, either 34 individually or jointly, consider the legislation containing the 35 Transportation Program Project Eligibility List, and shall report the legislation, together with any modifications, out of committee for

36 37 consideration by each House of the Legislature. On or before July 1 38 of each year, the Legislature shall approve an appropriations act 39 containing the Transportation Program Project Eligibility List, 40 including any amendatory or supplementary provisions thereto, 41 which act shall include the authorization of an aggregate amount of 42 funds of the trust to be expended for long-term loans and guarantees 43 for the specific transportation projects, aviation projects, and 44 marine projects, including the individual amounts therefor, on the 45 list.

46 c. On or before October 15 of each year, the trust may submit47 an amended [Interim] Transportation Financing Program Project

Eligibility List to be introduced in each House in the form of
 legislative appropriations bills for approval by the Legislature on or
 before January 15 of the following calendar year in the manner set
 forth in subsection a. and subsection b. of this section.

d. The trust shall not expend any money for a long-term loan or
guarantee during a fiscal year for any transportation project ,
<u>aviation project</u>, or <u>marine project</u> unless the expenditure is
authorized pursuant to [a State annual] <u>an</u> appropriations act of the
current or three immediate preceding fiscal years as provided in the
provisions of this section, or as otherwise set forth in [the State's
annual] <u>an</u> appropriations act.

e. The trust shall submit to the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the General Assembly on or before January 15 of each year a report which shall identify the transportation projects <u>, aviation</u> <u>projects, and marine projects</u> financed during the prior fiscal year, including a project description, the amount of the loan provided for each project, and the duration of each loan.

18 The source of projects for the Transportation Financing f. 19 Program Project Priority List and the Transportation Financing 20 Program Project Eligibility List shall be: (1) applications made by 21 counties and municipalities seeking aid through the State 22 Transportation Infrastructure Bank Fund in accordance with section 23 25 of P.L.1984, c.73 (C.27:1B-25) and the procedures established 24 therein for the allocation of State aid to counties and municipalities 25 through the local aid program, and (2) eligible projects within the 26 most recent 10-year Statewide Transportation Improvement 27 Program as issued by the Department of Transportation. Projects 28 deriving from either of these sources shall identify a consistent 29 source of revenue that will be utilized to repay any loan financing 30 provided by the trust either from the project itself or from the 31 sponsoring local government unit or consortia thereof that will be 32 receiving assistance.

33 (cf: P.L.2017, c.144, s.10)

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35 13. Section 21 of P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-21) is amended to
 36 read as follows:

37 21. On or before May 15 of each year, the trust shall submit to 38 the Legislature a financial plan designed to implement the financing 39 of the wastewater treatment system projects either on the Interim 40 Clean Water Financing Program Project Priority List, hereinafter 41 referred to as the "clean water project priority list," or the clean 42 water project eligibility list, approved pursuant to section 20 of 43 P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-20) or as otherwise approved by the 44 Legislature. The financial plan shall contain an enumeration of the 45 bonds, notes or other obligations of the trust which the trust intends 46 to issue, including the amounts thereof and the terms and conditions 47 thereof, a list of loans to be made to local government units or 48 private persons, including the terms and conditions thereof and the

1 anticipated rate of interest per annum and repayment schedule 2 therefor, and a list of loan guarantees or contracts to guarantee the 3 payment of all or a portion of the principal and interest on bonds, 4 notes or other obligations issued by a local government unit to 5 finance the cost of a wastewater treatment system project, and the 6 terms and conditions thereof.

7 The financial plan shall also set forth a complete operating and 8 financial statement covering its proposed operations during the 9 forthcoming fiscal year, including amounts of income from all 10 sources, and the uniform schedule of fees and charges established 11 by the trust pursuant to subsection o. of section 5 of P.L.1985, c.334 12 (C.58:11B-5), and the amounts to be derived therefrom, and shall summarize the status of each wastewater treatment system project 13 14 for which loans or guarantees have been made by the trust, and shall 15 describe major impediments to the accomplishment of the planned 16 wastewater treatment system projects.

17 **[**The financial plan shall identify the wastewater treatment 18 system projects financed during the prior fiscal year through the 19 Disaster Relief Emergency Financing Program established pursuant 20 to section 1 of P.L.2013, c.93 (C.58:11B-9.5), including a project 21 description, the amount of the Disaster Relief Emergency Financing 22 Program loan for each project, and the duration of such Disaster 23 Relief Emergency Financing Program loan.

The financial plan shall also identify the wastewater treatment system projects financed during the prior fiscal year by the Interim Financing Program established pursuant to subsection d. of section 9 of P.L.1985, c.224 (C.58:11B-9) including a project description, the amount of the loan provided for each project, and the duration of each loan.]

30 (cf: P.L.2017, c.144, s.11)

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32 14. Section 25 of P.L.1997, c.224 (C.58:11B-21.1) is amended 33 to read as follows:

34 25. On or before May 15 of each year, the trust shall submit to 35 the Legislature a financial plan designed to implement the financing 36 of the water supply projects either on the Interim Drinking Water 37 Financing Program Project Priority List, hereinafter referred to as 38 the "drinking water project priority list," or the drinking water 39 project eligibility list, approved pursuant to section 24 of P.L.1997, 40 c.224 (C.58:11B-20.1) or as otherwise approved by the Legislature. 41 The financial plan shall contain an enumeration of the bonds, notes 42 or other obligations of the trust which the trust intends to issue, 43 including the amounts thereof and the terms and conditions thereof, 44 a list of loans to be made to local government units, public water 45 utilities, or to any other person or local government unit on behalf 46 of a public water utility, including the terms and conditions thereof 47 and the anticipated rate of interest per annum and repayment 48 schedule therefor, and a list of loan guarantees or contracts to

guarantee the payment of all or a portion of the principal and
 interest on bonds, notes or other obligations issued by a local
 government unit to finance the cost of a water supply project, and
 the terms and conditions thereof.

5 The financial plan shall also set forth a complete operating and 6 financial statement covering its proposed operations during the 7 forthcoming fiscal year, including amounts of income from all 8 sources, and the uniform schedule of fees and charges established 9 by the trust pursuant to subsection o. of section 5 of P.L.1985, c.334 10 (C.58:11B-5), and the amounts to be derived therefrom, and shall 11 summarize the status of each water supply project for which loans 12 or guarantees have been made by the trust, and shall describe major impediments to the accomplishment of the planned water supply 13 14 projects.

15 **[**The financial plan shall identify the water supply projects 16 financed during the prior fiscal year through the Disaster Relief 17 Emergency Financing Program established pursuant to section 1 of 18 P.L.2013, c.93 (C.58:11B-9.5), including a project description, the 19 amount of the Disaster Relief Emergency Financing Program loan 20 for each project, and the duration of such Disaster Relief 21 Emergency Financing Program loan.

The financial plan shall also identify the water supply projects financed during the prior fiscal year by the Interim Financing Program established pursuant to subsection d. of section 9 of P.L.1985, c.224 (C.58:11B-9) including a project description, the amount of the loan provided for each project, and the duration of each loan.]

28 (cf: P.L.2017, c.144, s.12)

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30 15. Section 37 of P.L.2016, c.56 (C.58:11B-22.3) is amended to
 31 read as follows:

32 37. a. On or before May 15 of each year, the trust shall submit 33 to the Speaker of the General Assembly and the President of the 34 Senate a financial plan designed to implement the financing of the 35 transportation projects, aviation projects, and marine projects either 36 on the Interim Transportation Financing Program Project Priority 37 List or the Transportation Financing Program Project Eligibility 38 List approved pursuant to P.L.2016, c.56 (C.27:1B-22.5 et al.) or as 39 otherwise approved by the Legislature. The financial plan shall list 40 the bonds, notes or other obligations of the trust which the trust 41 intends to issue, including the amounts thereof and the terms and 42 conditions thereof, a list of loans to be made to local government 43 units or private persons, including the terms and conditions thereof 44 and the anticipated rate of interest per annum and repayment 45 schedule therefor, and a list of loan guarantees or contracts to 46 guarantee the payment of all or a portion of the principal and 47 interest on bonds, notes or other obligations issued by a local 48 government unit to finance the cost of a transportation project,

1 aviation project, or marine project, and the terms and conditions 2 thereof. 3 The financial plan shall also set forth a complete operating and 4 financial statement covering proposed operations through the fund 5 during the forthcoming fiscal year, including amounts of income from all sources, and the uniform schedule of fees and charges 6 7 established by the trust pursuant to subsection o. of section 5 of 8 P.L.1985, c.334 (C.58:11B-5), and the amounts to be derived 9 therefrom, and shall summarize the status of each transportation 10 project, aviation project, and marine project for which loans or guarantees have been made by the trust, and shall describe major 11 12 impediments to the accomplishment of the planned transportation 13 projects, aviation projects, or marine projects. 14 b. On or before June 30 of each year the Legislature may reject 15 the financial plan through the adoption by both houses of a 16 concurrent resolution. If the Legislature rejects the financial plan, 17 the project list shall be removed from the annual appropriations act 18 and the trust shall not undertake any of the proposed activities 19 contained therein. If the Legislature takes no action on or before 20 June 30, the financial plan shall be deemed approved. 21 The financial plan for the State Transportation Infrastructure с. 22 Bank Fund shall not be eligible for inclusion in a consolidated 23 financial plan as established in section 27 of P.L.1997, c.224 24 (C.58:11B-22.2). 25 (cf: P.L.2017, c.144, s.14) 26 27 16. This act shall take effect immediately. 28 29 30 31 32 Authorizes NJ Infrastructure Bank to finance aviation and marine 33 infrastructure projects; makes various other changes to bank's

34 enabling act.