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### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23, 2008

**Senate Budget and Appropriations Meeting 3:00 PM**  
**Committee Room 4, 1st Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**  
**Chair: Sen. Buono, Barbara**

Governor's Financial Restructuring and Debt Reduction Proposal.

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 24, 2008

**SENATE Quorum 12:00 PM Senate Chambers**

10:00 AM: Group (1) Committees scheduled to meet

1:00 PM: Group (2) Committees scheduled to meet

**Senate Community and Urban Affairs Meeting 10:00 AM**  
**Committee Room 7, 2nd Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**  
**Chair: Sen. Rice, Ronald L.**

S71 [Rice, Ronald L.], Homeless shelters-concerns  
S88 [Connors, Christopher J.], Age-restricted community-concerns  
S107 [Weinberg, Loretta+1], Domestic viol.-community response  
S159 [Allen, Diane B.], Main Street NJ prog.-concerns  
S415 [Van Drew, Jeff], Real Prop Revaluation Review Comm-create  
S544 [Girgenti, John A.], Health Enterprise Zone law-amends  
S749 [Codey, Richard J.], Contractors' fds.-concerns  
Pending Introduction and Referral:  
S770 [Rice, Ronald L.], Loc. Pub. Contracts Law-redefines role  
S772 [Rice, Ronald L.], Pub. housing proj.-cert. of occupancy

**\*Senate Education Meeting 10:00 AM**  
**Committee Room 6, 1st Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**  
**Chair: Sen. Turner, Shirley K.**  
The Meeting has been Canceled.

**Senate Health, Human Services and Senior Citizens Meeting**  
**1:00 PM Committee Room 1st, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**  
**Chair: Sen. Vitale, Joseph F.**

S184 [Bucco, Anthony R./Sweeney, Stephen M.], Safe Haven sites-concerns  
S324 [Bateman, Christopher], Prescription drug label-concerns  
S607 [Vitale, Joseph F./Buono, Barbara+4], Mental health coverage req.-revises  
S611 [Vitale, Joseph F./Allen, Diane B.+5], Adoptees-permits access to birth cert.  
S625 [Vitale, Joseph F.], Smoking, St.-owned fac.-concerns  
S627 [Vitale, Joseph F.], Advisory Graduate Med. Ed Council-memb.

**Senate Judiciary Meeting 10:00 AM**  
**Committee Room 4, 1st Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**  
**Chair: Sen. Adler, John H.**

S233 [Adler, John H.], Drug and alco. abuse-concerns treatment  
S296 [Kean, Thomas H./Allen, Diane B.], Human trafficking 24-hr. hotline;\$75K  
S367 [Lesniak, Raymond J.], Tampering w/witnesses-upgrades penal.  
S392 [Gill, Nia H.], Trademark Anti-Counterfeiting Act-revise  
S503 [Turner, Shirley K.], Witness tampering-upgrades offense  
S504 [Turner, Shirley K.], Drug court prog.-amends statute  
Pending Introduction and Referral:  
S771 [Rice, Ronald L.], Expungements-revises elig.

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 24, 2008 (continued)

**Senate Labor Meeting 1:00 PM**  
**Committee Room 10, 3rd Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**  
**Chair: Sen. Sarlo, Paul A.**

The Committee will provide representatives of labor and business with an opportunity to express their concerns and objectives related to issues which may be addressed by the Committee during the 2008-2009 session.  
S667 [Madden, Fred H.+1], Security, Finan. Empowerment Act-creates  
S668 [Madden, Fred H./Sweeney, Stephen M.], Surv. spouses-concerns workers' comp

**Senate Law and Public Safety and Veterans' Affairs Meeting**  
**1:00 PM Committee Room 4, 1st Floor,**  
**State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**  
**Chair: Sen. Girgenti, John A.**

S451 [Haines, Philip E.], Emergency supplies-concerns  
S534 [Girgenti, John A.+2], Emerg. mgt. dept.-expands auth.  
S672 [Madden, Fred H./Vitale, Joseph F.], Natl. Guard active duty-concerns memb.  
S673 [Madden, Fred H./Girgenti, John A.], Cold War vets-issue certificate  
S720 [Stack, Brian P.], Alco. bev. lic.-concerns  
SJR12 [Bucco, Anthony R.], Firefighter Recognition Day-desig Oct. 2

**ASSEMBLY Quorum 1:00 PM Assembly Chambers**

10:00 AM: Group (A) Committees scheduled to meet

2:00 PM: Group (B) Committees scheduled to meet

**Assembly Appropriations Meeting**  
**Chair: Asw. Pou, Nellie**  
The Committee will not meet.

**Assembly Budget Meeting**  
**Chair: Asm. Greenwald, Louis D.**  
The Committee will not meet.

**Assembly Commerce and Economic Development Meeting**  
**Chair: Asm. Vas, Joseph**  
The Committee will not meet.

**Assembly Consumer Affairs Meeting 10:00 AM**  
**Committee Room 14, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**  
**Chair: Asw. Cruz-Perez, Nilsa**

A1250 [Moriarty, Paul D./Vas, Joseph+17], Consumer Telephone Records Prot. Act  
A1252 [Moriarty, Paul D.+3], Meat packing-concerns  
A1261 [Moriarty, Paul D./Cruz-Perez, Nilsa+7], Gift card acct. numbers-proh. display  
A1494 [Burzichelli, John J./Biondi, Peter J.+16], Manuf. rebates-concerns

**Assembly Financial Institutions and Insurance Meeting 10:00 AM**  
**Committee Room 12, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**  
**Chair: Asm. Cohen, Neil M.**

A175 [Johnson, Gordon M./Cohen, Neil M.+1], Bail bonds & enforce. agents-concerns  
A1418 [Fisher, Douglas H./Cohen, Neil M.+1], Guide dogs-underwriting guidelines  
A1586 [Cohen, Neil M.+2], Life insur. policies-concerns  
Pending Introduction and Referral:  
A1821 [Cohen, Neil M.], Auto insur. PIP claims-concerns

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 24, 2008 (continued)

### **Assembly Health and Senior Services Meeting 10:00 AM Committee Room 16, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Asm. Conaway, Herb**

A1096 [Cryan, Joseph/Quigley, Joan M.+5], Parkinson's Disease Pub. Awareness Act  
A1390 [Conaway, Herb/Connors, Jack], Electronic health record sys.-concerns  
A1767 [Watson Coleman, Bonnie], Chronic Kidney Disease Task Force-estab.  
Pending Introduction and Referral:  
A1862 [Conaway, Herb], Advis. Graduate Med. Ed. Council-memb.  
A1907 [Conaway, Herb], Provides additional enforcemtn under Heath Care Quality Act  
A1908 [Scalera, Frederick], Requires DHSS and DHS to establish autism awareness

### **Assembly Higher Education Meeting 10:00 AM Committee Room 15, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Asm. Diegnan, Patrick J.**

The Committee will receive testimony from Jane Oates, Executive Director of the New Jersey Commission on Higher Education, and other invited guests.  
A1314 [Stender, Linda/Chivukula, Upendra J.], Textbook rental prog.-concerns

### **Assembly Housing and Local Government Meeting 2:00 PM Committee Room 16, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Asm. Green, Jerry**

A357 [Diegnan, Patrick J./Munoz, Eric+1], Devel. application-notice req.  
A668 [Doherty, Michael J./Green, Jerry+2], Co. bds. of taxation-decrease memb.  
A1042 [Biondi, Peter J./DeCroce, Alex+1], Mun. zoning hearing-concerns notices  
A1265 [Moriarty, Paul D.], Libraries, mun. free-concerns excess fds  
A1645 [McKeon, John F.], Loc Pub Contracts Law-redefines qualif.

### **Assembly Law and Public Safety Meeting 2:00 PM Committee Room 12, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Asm. Johnson, Gordon M.**

A191 [Johnson, Gordon M./Vainieri Huttie, Valerie], Gang Memb. Relocation Coordinator Off.  
A674 [Spencer, L. Grace], Sex offender-concerns evacuations  
A839 [Chivukula, Upendra J./Munoz, Eric+8], Wheelchair securement-concerns use  
A1498 [Burzichelli, John J./Fisher, Douglas H.+12], Daniel Mackay's Law-death by mv

### **Assembly Regulated Professions Meeting 1:00 PM Committee Room 15, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Asm. Prieto, Vincent**

A269 [Vandervalk, Charlotte/Prieto, Vincent], Genetic counselor- req. lic.  
A586 [Voss, Joan M.], Notaries Pub. Act of 1979-revises

### **Assembly Telecommunications and Utilities Meeting 10:00 AM Committee Room 9, 3rd Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Asm. Chivukula, Upendra J.**

The Committee will be taking testimony from invited representatives of industry and industry groups regarding the issues of "decoupling" and energy efficiency  
Pending Introduction and Referral:  
A1906 [Chivakula, Upendra J.], Requires interactive computer service to remove images, information, data which depicts child engaged in prohibited sexual act.

### **Assembly Tourism and Gaming Meeting 1:30 PM Committee Room 14, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Asm. Burzichelli, John J.**

The Committee will hear testimony from Secretary of State Nina Mitchell Wells and other invited speakers on issues concerning the tourism industry in New Jersey  
Pending Introduction and Referral:  
A1909 [Albano, Nelson T./Greenwald, Louis D./Burzichelli, John J.], Sports wagering at casinos

## MONDAY, JANUARY 28, 2008

### **SENATE Quorum 12:00 PM Senate Chambers**

10:00 AM: Group (3) Committees scheduled to meet  
1:00 PM: Group (4) Committees scheduled to meet

### **Senate Budget and Appropriations Meeting 1:00 PM Committee Room 4, 1st Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Sen. Buono, Barbara**

S471 [Buono, Barbara], St.-admin pension plans-report on status  
S472 [Buono, Barbara], Non-tax debt mgt.-centralizes  
Pending Introduction and Referral:  
S786 [Sweeney, Stephen M.], Family leave benef.-extends TDI

## MONDAY, JANUARY 28, 2008 (continued)

### **Senate Commerce Meeting 1:00 PM Committee Room 1, 1st Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Sen. Gill, Nia H.**

S73 [Rice, Ronald L./Turner, Shirley K.], Ads-proh bus from posting on vacant prop  
S227 [Lesniak, Raymond J.], Chiropractic practice-concerns  
S352 [Ciesla, Andrew R.], Chimney sweeps-registration req.  
S454 [Buono, Barbara/Scutari, Nicholas P.+2], Lemon law-expands consumer prot.  
S467 [Buono, Barbara+3], Grace's Law-hearing aid coverage

### **Senate Economic Growth Meeting Chair: Sen. Lesniak, Raymond J.**

The Committee will not meet.

### **Senate Environment Meeting 10:00 AM Committee Room 10, 3rd Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Sen. Smith, Bob**

The Commissioner of Environmental Protection, has been invited to discuss the implementation of the "Highlands Water Protection and Planning Act," the diesel retrofit program, expenditures of constitutionally dedicated corporate business tax funds to finance the development of open space, as well as the Commissioner's environmental priorities of 2008.  
Pending Introduction and Referral:  
S795 [Sarlo, Paul A.], Garden State Green Acres, app. \$33 million.  
S796 [Smith Bob], Delays effective date of recycling tax.

### **Senate State Government Meeting Chair: Sen. Scutari, Nicholas P.**

The Committee will not meet.

### **Senate Wagering, Tourism & Historic Preservation Meeting 1:00 PM Committee Room 7, 2nd Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Sen. Whelan, Jim**

The Committee will receive testimony from Secretary of State Nina Wells on travel and tourism issues and Dennis R. Robinson, CEO of the New Jersey Sports and Exposition Authority (NJSEA) on issues surrounding the Atlantic City Convention Center.

### **\*\*Senate Transportation Meeting 1:00 PM Committee Room 10, 3rd Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Sen. Sacco, Nicholas J.**

S464 [Buono, Barbara/Madden, Fred H.], Rail station acessibility, disab.-report  
S516 [Sacco, Nicholas J./Ciesla, Andrew R.], Emission control equip.-dealer disclose  
S520 [Sacco, Nicholas J./Ciesla, Andrew R.+1], Ice/snow on mv-removal req, creates fine  
S521 [Sacco, Nicholas J.], MV sales, off-site-concerns  
Pending Introduction and Referral:  
S797 [Sacco, Nicholas J./Ciesla, Andrew R.], Upgrades penalties for drag racing

### **ASSEMBLY Quorum Assembly Chambers**

10:00 AM: Group (C) Committees scheduled to meet  
2:00 PM: Group (D) Committees scheduled to meet

### **\*\*Assembly Agriculture and Natural Resources Meeting 2:00 PM Committee Room 8, 3rd Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Asm. Fisher, Douglas H.**

Pending Introduction and Referral:  
A1912 [Fisher, Douglas H.], Appropriates \$33 million from Garden State Green Acres Preservation Trust Fund.  
A1913 [Fisher, Douglas H.], Removes appropriations for gypsy moth suppression.  
AR87 [Fisher, Douglas H.], Memorializes U.S. Department of Agriculture...

### **Assembly Education Meeting 2:00 PM Committee Room 11, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Asm. Cryan, Joseph**

The Committee will receive testimony from invited representatives of the Department of Education on the revised role and responsibilities of the executive county superintendents of schools and on the implementation of NJQSAC.  
A211 [Bramnick, Jon M.+2], Prop. tax relief-accept donations  
A366 [Diegnan, Patrick J.], Student, sch dist inelig-prov tax record  
A462 [Malone, Joseph R.], Pub sch emp-concern substance abuse prog  
A581 [Voss, Joan M.], Attendance in sch. dist.-concerns elig.  
A690 [Spencer, L. Grace], Bd. of ed. meetings-pub. participation

## MONDAY, JANUARY 28, 2008 (continued)

### **\*\*Assembly Environment and Solid Waste Meeting 2:00 PM Committee Room 9, 3rd Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Asm. McKeon, John F.**

A1559 [Greenstein, Linda R.+4], Mun. master plans-concerns  
A1612 [McKeon, John F./Fisher, Douglas H.+9], Solar energy sys.-exempt prop. tax  
A1629 [McKeon, John F./Chivukula, Upendra J.+11], Energy efficiency in bldgs.-promotes  
A1636 [McKeon, John F./Greenstein, Linda R.+1], Energy efficiency prog.-concerns  
Pending Introduction and or Referral"  
A385 [Diegnan, Patrick J.], Renewable energy sys.-exemp., prop. tax  
A1781 [Rudder, Scott], Renewable energy sys.-exemp, prop. tax  
A1910 [McKeon, John F.], Delays effective date of recycling tax

### **\*\*Assembly Homeland Security and State Preparedness Meeting 2:00 PM Committee Room 12, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Asm. Scalera, Frederick**

A929 [Scalera, Frederick/Quigley, Joan M.+1], RR security-concerns  
A931 [Scalera, Frederick/Quigley, Joan M.], Vol. emerg. responder's liab.-concerns  
Pending Introduction and Referral  
A1911 [Scalera, Frederick], Establishes "NJ Partnership for Secure Schools Pilot Program" in Department of Education; appropriates \$3 million.

### **\*\*Assembly Human Services Meeting**

#### **Chair: Asw. Oliver, Sheila Y.**

The Committee will not meet.

### **\*\*Assembly Judiciary Meeting 10:00 AM Committee Room 12, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Asw. Greenstein, Linda R.**

A807 [Gusciora, Reed/Fisher, Douglas H.+8], Mun. court fines-concerns  
A815 [Gusciora, Reed+2], Mun. prosecutors-concerns  
A816 [Gusciora, Reed+1], Mun. prosecutors-devel. mand guidelines  
A1770 [Watson Coleman, Bonnie], Drug and alco. abuse-concerns treatment  
A1771 [Watson Coleman, Bonnie], Expungements-revises elig.

### **\*\*Assembly Labor Meeting**

#### **Chair: Asm. Egan, Joseph V.**

The Committee will not meet.

### **\*\*Assembly Military and Veterans' Affairs Meeting 10:00 AM Committee Room 13, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Asm. Conners, Jack**

A379 [Diegnan, Patrick J./Lampitt, Pamela R.+5], Patriots Corner tribute in St House-prov  
A787 [Conners, Jack], Cold War vets-issue certificate  
A789 [Conners, Jack], Prof lic-delays expiration date, mil svc  
Pending Introduction and Referral:  
AR90 [Conners, Jack], Urges school districts to arrange trips to the Battleship NJ

### **\*\*Assembly State Government Meeting 2:00 PM Committee Room 13, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ Chair: Asw. Quigley, Joan M.**

State Division of Elections and other elections officials have been invited to provide information on implementation and public awareness of the no excuse absentee ballot option for voting by mail.

### **\*\*Assembly Transportation, Public Works and Independent Authorities Meeting 10:00 AM Committee Room 11, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**

#### **Chair: Asm. Wisniewski, John S.**

A870 [Albano, Nelson T.], Safety seat belt usage-concerns  
A1033 [Wisniewski, John S.], Seat belt usage-concerns  
A1175 [Oliver, Sheila Y.], Transit Access Link driv.-crim. check  
A1291 [Stender, Linda+5], MV and traffic regulations-concerns  
A1328 [Stender, Linda+1], Rail stations-study platform safety  
A1457 [DeCroce, Alex/Malone, Joseph R.], Transp. Heritage Ctr.-estab  
AR58 [Rumpf, Brian E.+2], Sr. cit. digital lic-simplify procedures

## MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2008

### **ASSEMBLY Quorum Assembly Chambers**

Committees at the call of the Assembly Speaker

## THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2008

### **ASSEMBLY Session Assembly Chambers**

Voting Session: Time and board list to be announced

## THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2008

### **SENATE Quorum 12:00 PM Senate Chambers**

10:00 AM: Group (2) Committees scheduled to meet  
1:00 PM: Group (1) Committees scheduled to meet

## THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2008

### **SENATE Quorum 12:00 PM Senate Chambers**

10:00 AM: Group (4) Committees scheduled to meet  
1:00 PM: Group (3) Committees scheduled to meet

## MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2008

### **ASSEMBLY Quorum Assembly Chambers**

10:00 AM: Group (A) Committees scheduled to meet  
2:00 PM: Group (B) Committees scheduled to meet

## TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2008

### **SENATE Quorum Senate Chambers**

### **ASSEMBLY Quorum Assembly Chambers**

### **JOINT Session**

Joint Session to receive Governor's Budget Message (Details to be announced)

## THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2008

### **ASSEMBLY Quorum Assembly Chambers**

10:00 AM: Group (C) Committees scheduled to meet  
2:00 PM: Group (D) Committees scheduled to meet

### **State Leasing and Space Utilization Committee Meeting 11:30 AM**

#### **Committee Room 12, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**

Agenda will be added upon receipt.

## MONDAY, MARCH 3, 2008

### **SENATE Session 2:00 PM Senate Chambers**

10:00 AM: Committees at the call of the Senate President  
Voting Session: Board list to be announced

### **ASSEMBLY Quorum Assembly Chambers**

10:00 AM: Group (A) Committees scheduled to meet  
2:00 PM: Group (B) Committees scheduled to meet

## THURSDAY, MARCH 6, 2008

### **SENATE Quorum 12:00 PM Senate Chambers**

10:00 AM: Group (1) Committees scheduled to meet  
1:00 PM: Group (2) Committees scheduled to meet

### **ASSEMBLY Quorum Assembly Chambers**

10:00 AM: Group (C) Committees scheduled to meet  
2:00 PM: Group (D) Committees scheduled to meet

## MONDAY, MARCH 10, 2008

### **SENATE Quorum 12:00 PM Senate Chambers**

10:00 AM: Group (3) Committees scheduled to meet  
1:00 PM: Group (4) Committees scheduled to meet

### **ASSEMBLY Quorum Assembly Chambers**

Committees at the call of the Assembly Speaker

## THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 2008

### **ASSEMBLY Session Assembly Chambers**

Voting Session: Time and board list to be announced

## MONDAY, MARCH 17, 2008

### **SENATE Session 2:00 PM Senate Chambers**

10:00 AM: Committees at the call of the Senate President  
Voting Session: Board list to be announced