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### **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

#### **Senate Budget and Appropriations Meeting 10:00 AM**

**Committee Room 4, 1st Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**

**Chair: Sen. Buono, Barbara**

S233 [Adler, John H./Turner, Shirley K.], Drug and alco. dependent offenders-rehab  
S367 [Lesniak, Raymond J./Turner, Shirley K.], Tampering w/witness-upgrades penal.  
S392 [Gill, Nia H., Esq./Adler, John H.+1], Trademark Anti-Counterfeiting Act-revise  
S464 [Buono, Barbara/Madden, Fred H.], Rail station accessability, disab.-report  
S795 [Sarlo, Paul A./Van Drew, Jeff+2], Land-recreation & conserv. purpose;\$33M  
A1770 [Watson Coleman, Bonnie/Wagner, Connie/Gusciora, Reed], Drug and alco. dependent offenders-rehab

#### **Senate Commerce Meeting 10:00 AM**

**Committee Room 1, 1st Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**

**Chair: Sen. Gill, Nia H.**

S250 [Adler, John H.], Mortgage foreclosures, cert.-concerns  
S304 [Whelan, Jim], Black or blue henna tattoos, cert.-proh.  
S390 [Gill, Nia H.], Life insur. policies-concerns  
S781 [Kyrillos, Joseph M.], Auto insur., cert.-concerns availability  
S1238 [Van Drew, Jeff], Shopping carts, impounding-reg.  
A1586 [Cohen, Neil M./ Rodriguez, Caridad], Life insur. policies-concerns

#### **Senate Economic Growth Meeting 1:00 PM**

**Committee Room 1, 1st Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**

**Chair: Sen. Lesniak, Raymond J.**

S218 [Singer, Robert W.], Jersey Fresh-sale along cert. toll rds.  
S241 [Adler, John H.+2], Solar energy sys.-exempt prop. tax  
S394 [Bateman, Christopher], Solar energy sys.-concerns taxation  
S692 [Cunningham, Sandra B.], Lifeline benef.-prov cost of living incr.  
S765 [Singer, Robert W.], Gypsy moth control-concerns  
S793 [Lance, Leonard], Honeybee resources support;\$400K  
S1098 [Haines, Philip E.], Renewable energy sys.-exemp, prop. tax

#### **Senate Environment Meeting 1:00 PM**

**Committee Room 6, 3rd Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**

**Chair: Sen. Smith, Bob**

S75 [Connors, Christopher J.+3], Hooked on Fishing-Not on Drugs-estab  
S336 [Kean, Sean T.+1], Fishing gear on artificial reefs-proh.  
S1167 [Bateman, Christopher/Van Drew, Jeff], Land-recreation & conserv. purpose;\$8.4M  
S1168 [Adler, John H.], Open space, park devel.;\$54.917M  
For Discussion Only:  
S480 [Gordon, Robert M.], Soil contamination on sch. prop-concerns  
S717 [Smith, Bob], Underground storage tanks-concerns  
S924 [Van Drew, Jeff], Coastal region-concerns  
S1166 [Smith, Bob], Stormwater util. sys.-concerns

#### **Senate State Government Meeting**

**Chair: Sen. Scutari, Nicholas P.**

The Meeting has been Canceled.

### **THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2008 (continued)**

#### **Senate Transportation Meeting 10:00 AM**

**Committee Room 10, 3rd Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**

**Chair: Sen. Sacco, Nicholas J.**

S998 [Madden, Fred H.], Disabled veh., cert.-concerns  
S1122 [Sacco, Nicholas J./Kean, Sean T.+1], Pedestrian safety-concerns  
SCR36 [Whelan, Jim/Van Drew, Jeff+1], Aviation Research & Tech. Park-urge Cong  
SJR15 [Sacco, Nicholas J.], Aviation Maintenance Tech. Day-May 24  
SR13 [Allen, Diane B.], Light rail quiet zones-concerns

#### **Senate Wagering, Tourism & Historic Preservation Meeting**

**10:00 AM Committee Room 7, 2nd Floor,**

**State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**

**Chair: Sen. Whelan, Jim**

S1163 [Whelan, Jim], Workers' comp.-concerns horse racing emp  
S1164 [Whelan, Jim], Hist. preserv. proj.;\$1.068M  
For Discussion Only:  
S970 [Van Drew, Jeff], Casino reg.-fd, approp act not in effect  
S1247 [Whelan, Jim], St govt shutdown-concerns essential emp  
SCR26 [Allen, Diane B.], Casinos-concerns operation

#### **NJ Law Revision Commission Meeting 4:30 PM**

**Commission Offices, 7th Floor, 153 Halsey St., Newark, NJ**

### **FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2008**

#### **Sales and Use Tax Review Commission Meeting 10:00 AM**

**Division of Taxation Bldg., 50 Barrack St., Trenton, NJ**

A881 [Albano, Nelson T./ Vas, Joseph], Memb., initiation fees-exclude sales tax  
A1948 [Vandervalk, Charlotte], Flood victim-sales tax exemp, cert purch  
A1950 [Cruz-Perez, Nilsa/Pou, Nellie/Cohen, Neil M.], Streamlined Sales Tax Agreement-concerns

### **MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2008**

#### **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.

## MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2008 (continued)

### **\*Assembly Commerce and Economic Development Meeting 2:00 PM Committee Room 9, 3rd Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**

**Chair: Asm. Vas, Joseph**

A832 [Chivukula, Upendra J./Schaer, Gary S.+5], Regulatory Flex Act-expands scope  
A847 [Chivukula, Upendra J.], Universal pub. procurement application  
A1105 [Cryan, Joseph/Greenwald, Louis D.+1], Publication req-co, mun comply,  
Internet  
A1479 [Burzichelli, John J./Greenwald, Louis D.+6], Pub. contracts-concerns

### **\*Assembly Consumer Affairs Meeting 10:00 AM Committee Room 14, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**

**Chair: Asw. Cruz-Perez, Nilsa**

A274 [Vandervalk, Charlotte], Black henna tattoos-concerns  
A1001 [Cruz-Perez, Nilsa/Vas, Joseph+1], Shopping carts, impounding-reg.  
Pending Introduction and Referral:  
A2144 [Vainieri Huttie, Valerie/Cruz-Perez, Nilsa+2], Black or blue henna tattoos, cert.-  
proh.

### **\*Assembly Financial Institutions and Insurance Meeting 10:00 AM Committee Room 12, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**

**Chair: Asm. Cohen, Neil M.**

A1571 [Cohen, Neil M./Roberts, Joseph J., Jr.+18], Grace's Law-hearing aid coverage  
A1951 [Cohen, Neil M.], Homeowners insur. coverage-concerns dogs  
Pending Introduction and Referral:  
A2123 [Cohen, Neil M.], Physical therapy svcs. access-concerns

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

**Chair: Asm. Conaway, Herb**

A1853 [Conaway, Herb], Long-Term Care Partnership Act-estab.  
A2077 [Johnson, Gordon M./Vainieri Huttie, Valerie], Mental health coverage req.-  
revises  
Pending Introduction and Referral:  
A2238 [Prieto, Vincent/Roberts, Joseph J.+1], Autism disorders-concerns coverage  
A2255 [Roberts, Joseph J.], Requires Mandated Health Benefits Advisory Commission  
to study financial impact of all enacted mandated health benefits  
A2256 [Roberts, Joseph J.], Establishes Office of the Advocate for Persons with Autism  
in Department of the Public Advocate  
A2257 [Roberts, Joseph J.], Requires DHSS to establish "New Jersey Autism Website"  
A2258 [Roberts, Joseph J.], Requires Commissioner of Human Services to create  
identification card for use by persons with autism  
A2259 [Roberts, Joseph J.], "Self-Directed Support Services for Persons with  
Developmental Disabilities Rights Act"  
AR105 [Roberts, Joseph J.], Urges State Board of Education and Commission on  
Higher Education to establish programs to provide student partners for students with  
autism spectrum disorder  
AJR80 [Conaway, Herb/Munoz, Eric], Designates February of each year as "Eating  
Disorders Awareness Month"  
For Discussion Only:  
A1933 [Conaway, Herb], Health care svc referrals, cert.-concern

### **\*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 invited guests on the State Commission of  
Investigation (SCI) report: Vulnerable to Abuse: The Importance of Restoring  
Accountability, Transparency and Oversight to Public Higher Education Governance.

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

**Chair: Asm. Green, Jerry**

The Committee will receive testimony from the Department of Community Affairs and  
other invited guests on government efficiency and barriers to county and local service  
sharing.  
A927 [Scalera, Frederick/Schaer, Gary S.], Constr./bldg permit activity-reporting  
A1351 [Prieto, Vincent/Scalera, Frederick+6], Constr. code official tech. asst-concern  
Pending Referral:  
A1430 [Fisher, Douglas H./Burzichelli, John J.], Mun. courts-concerns  
A1518 [Rible, David P./Angelini, Mary Pat+1], Mun. courts-concerns

## MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2008 (continued)

### **\*Assembly Law and Public Safety Meeting 2:00 PM Committee Room 12, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**

**Chair: Asm. Johnson, Gordon M.**

A208 [Johnson, Gordon M.], Jr. Firemen's Auxiliaries-concerns  
A279 [Schaer, Gary S./Scalera, Frederick+1], Law enforcement off suspensions-  
concerns  
A1563 [Greenstein, Linda R./Munoz, Eric+20], Stalking-concerns  
A1766 [Watson Coleman, Bonnie/Evans, Eleese+1], Driv lic-concern  
suspension/postponement  
A1942 [Chivukula, Upendra J.], Internatl. labor matching org.-concerns

### **\*Assembly Regulated Professions Meeting 1:00 PM Committee Room 15, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**

**Chair: Asm. Prieto, Vincent**

A1359 [Prieto, Vincent], Landscape Irrigation Contr. Cert.-revise  
A1408 [Fisher, Douglas H./Voss, Joan M.+2], Acupuncturists-revise statutes  
Pending Referral:  
A2146 [Watson Coleman, Bonnie], Landscape architects-revise reg.

### **\*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 government and  
private industry including: the BPU, John Rhodes, PSE&G, Atlantic City Electric,  
Division of Rate Counsel and NJPIRG regarding the issue of State and institutional  
sector energy efficiency, and the operation of the PJM regional transmission  
organization.  
A1638 [McKeon, John F./Chivukula, Upendra J.], Photovoltaic equip.-concern  
incentives

### **\*Assembly Tourism and Gaming Meeting 2:00 PM Committee Room 14, 4th Floor, State House Annex, Trenton, NJ**

**Chair: Asm. Burzichelli, John J.**

A2011 [Burzichelli, John J.], Atlantic City Convention Ctr. proj.  
A2251 [Stender, Linda/Burzichelli, John J.], Workers' comp.-concerns horse racing  
emp  
Pending Introduction and Referral:  
A2253 [Burzichelli, John/Milam, Matthew W./Caputo, Ralph R./Albano, Nelson T.],  
Mandates certain personnel critical to certain State finance and revenue generating  
activities are essential employees during a declared State government shutdown.

## TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2008

### **SENATE Quorum 11:00 AM Senate Chambers**

### **ASSEMBLY Quorum Assembly Chambers**

### **JOINT Session 11:30 AM Assembly Chambers** Governor's Budget Message

## 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

## THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2008 (continued)

### **Joint 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.

## **FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2008**

### **Pension and Health Benefits Review Commission Meeting**

**10:00 AM Division of Pensions and Benefits,**

**50 West State St., Trenton, NJ**

No verbal comments are accepted during the meeting. The Commission should receive written comments at least ten business days in advance of the meeting.  
A232 [Bramnick, Jon M.], PERS-elim. memb. in leg. part  
A407 [Handlin, Amy H.], PERS memb., elected off.-concerns  
A1194 [Chiappone, Anthony], Police off, firefighter-elim max age req  
A1446 [O'Scanlon, Declan Joseph], PERS, TPAF-concerns enrollment threshold  
A1564 [Greenstein, Linda R.], Multi elective pub off-proh dual holding  
A1605 [Cohen, Neil M.], PERS memb.-cert. emp. in DLPS  
S126 [Scutari, Nicholas P.+1], Leg. memb.-concerns holding dual office  
S271 [Kyrillos, Joseph M.], St-admin. retir. sys.-concerns  
S273 [Kyrillos, Joseph M.], St. admin. retir. sys.-elim. memb.

## **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