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SENATE ACTION

The Senate did not meet. The Senate will meet on Monday, October 1, 2012 (QUORUM, Committee Groups “1” and “2” scheduled to meet).

ASSEMBLY ACTION (QUORUM)

Bills Introduced:

A3251 Ramos,R Pharmacist admin. cert. vaccines-permits REF AHE
A3252 Ramos,R Loc. govt. ethics-concerns REF AHO
A3253 Coughlin,C Emerg svcs exemp, veh. spotlight-prov. REF ATR
A3254 Coughlin,C Offenders, cert.-perform community svc. REF AJU
A3255 McGuckin,G/Rumana,S+1 Reliability, Storm Response Act of 2012 REF AHS
A3256 Mosquera,G Audit compliance reviews-report findings REF ASG
A3257 Mosquera,G Defibrillators, portable-bus. tax cred. REF AHE
A3258 Mosquera,G Complaints, public-concerns submittal REF ASG
A3259 Mosquera,G Excused sch. absence-election activity REF AED
A3260 Lampitt,P/Watson Coleman,B Child care ctrs.-constr. kitchen fac. REF AWC
A3261 Wagner,C Plastic and Paper Bag Reduction Act REF AEN
A3262 Wagner,C/Eustace,T Flood Hazard Area Control Act REF AEN
A3263 Coughlin,C Fire equip-loc. units, purch. agreements REF AHO
A3264 Coughlin,C Consumer fraud act-restricts to resid. REF ACO
A3265 Wagner,C/Mainor,C Priv. cord blood banks-concerns fee REF AHE
A3266 Eustace,T/Ramos,R+1 2014 Super Bowl-permit temp. casino gaming REF ARG
A3267 Eustace,T/Ramos,R+1 Hambletonian Race-temp. casino gaming REF ARG
A3268 Wagner,C+1 Pub. util bill assist prog-annual report REF ATU
A3269 Riley,C/Wagner,C Graduates-higher ed. report emp. data REF AHI
A3270 Riley,C/Wagner,C Career exploration-develop report REF AED
A3271 Riley,C/Mosquera,G Domestic viol, child present-new crime REF AJU
A3272 O'Donnell,J/Diegnan,P Adrenoleukodystrophy-newborn screening REF AHE
A3273 Dancer,R Snookiville law-filming reality shows REF AHO
A3274 Dancer,R/DeCroce,B Clostridium difficile infections-report REF AHE
A3275 Dancer,R Lic. home inspector-background ck. req. REF ARP
A3276 Munoz,N/Jessica Lunsford Act-enacts REF AJU
A3277 Munoz,N Nursing prog-offer baccalaureate degree REF AHI
A3278 Handlin,A Untaxed cigarettes-incr. penal. REF AJU
A3279 Prieto,V Meadowlands convention ctr proj-study REF AHO
A3280 Prieto,V Adoptees birth cert.-permits access REF AHI
A3281 Prieto,V St pymt. in lieu of taxes to mun.-estab. REF AHO
A3282 Peterson,E/Bucco,A.M.+1 Rescue squads-immunity from civil damage REF AJU
A3283 Peterson,E/Moriairy,P+1 Support Our Vet.-auth. lic. plate REF ATR
A3284 O'Scanlon,D MV fines, cert.-revises REF ALP
A3285 O'Scanlon,D/Vainieri Hutton,V+2 Amber light at traffic signal-lengthens REF ATR
A3286 Gusciora,R/Oliver,S+4 Immigrants-issue drv. privilege cards REF ATR
A3287 Gusciora,R/Barnes,P Telephone use while drv.-incr. penal. REF ALP
A3288 Gusciora,R/Ramos,R Student truancy-concerns REF AED
A3289 Fuentes,A Social Impact Bond Act-estab. REF ACE
A3290 Fuentes,A Precious metal buyers-concerns REF ACO
Bills Introduced: (cont’d)

A3291 Fuentes, A/Wilson, G Drug Dealer Accountability Act  REF AJU
A3292 Fuentes, A Middle sch students-social media use  REF AED
A3293 Handlin, A Med. injury claims-early resolution sys.  REF AJU
A3294 Handlin, A Small med. practices-concerns  REF ACE
A3295 Brown, C.A. Personal watercrafts-concerns  REF ALP
A3296 Carroll, M Prop. Tax Reduction Work Act  REF AHO
A3297 Carroll, M Grandparents visitation statute-repeals  REF AJU
A3298 Singleton, T Job order contracts, pub work-concerns  REF ALA
A3299 Singleton, T/Burzichelli, J Pub sch nurse-consult, provision changes  REF AED
A3300 Singleton, T/Conaway, H Pub. work contracts-concerns  REF AJU
A3301 Singleton, T Prostitution, electronic means-clarify  REF AJU
A3302 Singleton, T/Conaway, H Firefighters-concerns age restrictions  REF AHO
A3303 Singleton, T/Conaway, H Moose’s Law-proh viol. working w/animals  REF AAN
A3304 Carroll, M Lake Hopatcong Comm.-changes memb.  REF AEN
A3305 Carroll, M Rent control ordinance, mun.-concerns  REF AHO
A3306 Carroll, M Alt. enegy sys.-allows bus. tax credit  REF ATU
A3307 Bucco, A.M./Singleton, T Resid prop. abandoned-concerns mortgages  REF AHO
A3308 Barnes, P Court fees-revise or supplement  REF AJU
A3309 DeAngelo, W/Wuqianyo, A Unemp. benf. determinations-appeals  REF ALA
A3310 Eustace, T/Wagner, C Independent contractors-concerns pymt.  REF ALA
A3311 Burzichelli, J Pupil transp.-estab. guidelines  REF AED
A3312 Burzichelli, J/Singleton, T New Jobs for NJ Act  REF ALA
A3313 DeAngelo, W Sch. dist. contracts-concerns  REF AED
A3314 Giblin, T Food allergies-restaurants post notice  REF AHE
A3315 Green, J Premaritai, pre-civil unions-concerns  REF AJU
A3316 Wisniewski, J Surplus prop. cert., Woodbridge Twp-sell  REF ASG
A3317 Green, J/Rible, D Apartment registration-elim. duplication  REF AHO
A3318 Mainor, C/Connors, S+2 Pub. records-redact cert. personal info.  REF ALP
A3327 Ramos, R Lic. suspension-concerns  REF ALP
A3328 Burzichelli, J Death with Dignity Act  REF AHE
A3368 Spencer, L/Riley, C St. acquisition of lands;$45M  REF AEN
A3369 Eustace, T/Wagner, C Loc govt open space acquisition;$55M  REF AEN
A3370 Milam, M/Albano, N Nonprofit entities, develop land;$8.9M  REF AEN
A3371 McCarthy, J/Mosquera, G/Moriarty, P Civil War Vet Recognition Mo-design May  REF AMV
A3372 Mosquera, G/Moriarty, P/Lily Dryden Day:Sept. 1 each yr.  REF AHE
A3379 McHose, A Passenger Rail Sys. Study Comm.-create  REF ATR
A3380 DeAngelo, W Food Pantry Donation Mo.-design. November  REF AHE
A3381 Mosquera, G Taking Care of Bus online portal-concern  REF AER
A3382 Kean, S/Giblin, T/Burzichelli, J Human Trafficking Prev. Mo.-design January  REF AER
A3383 Buch, D Ratification of US Constit-commem. anniv  REF ASG

Bills Reported from Committee/Given 2nd Reading:

A166 Peterson, E/Gusciora, R+7 Tri-Co. Purple Heart Mem Hwy-design Rt.31  REP
A354 Gusciora, R/Barnes, P MV lamps:req. to be in working order  REP
A494 Aca (1R) Albano, N+1 Fishing, recreational-estab. lic. plate  REP/ACA
A1133 Aca (1R) Fuentes, A/Wilson, G+6 Vet. bus enterprise set-aside prog-auth.  REP/ACA
A1273 Coughlin, C Pub. emp.-SHBP prov. cert. info.  REP
A1279 Coughlin, C/Wisniewski, J NJTA-study rest area rev generating svcs  REP
A1374 Aca (1R) Tuck, C/Caputo, R+2 Mun. arson investigators’ powers-broaden  REP/ACA
A1429 Watson Coleman, B/Tucker, C Alpha Kappa Alpha-auth. lic. plate  REP
A1440 Watson Coleman, B/Coutinho, A Juror source list-expands category  REP
A1711 Green, J/Chivukula, U+1 Child passenger restraint sys.-concerns  REP
A2161 Greenwald, L/Benson, D+2 Ovarian Cancer Awareness Mo-design. Sept.  REP
A2390 Vainsierie Huttle, V/Burzichelli, J+1 Organ transplant recipient-proh. discrim  REP
A2598 Aca (1R) Coughlin, C/Gusciora, R Health care prov.-report cert. problems  REP/ACA
A2562 Aca (1R) Albano, N/Singleton, T+1 US flags, fly half-staff-Gov. notify  REP/ACA
A3195 Lampitt, P/Singleton, T+2 Teaching Pilot Prog.-estab.  REP
A3058 Burzichelli, J/Vainieri Huttle, V/Stender, L+3 Human Trafficking Prev. Mo-design January  REP
A3056 Vainieri Huttle, V/Stender, L+6 Human Trafficking Awareness Day-Jan. 11  REP
A3058 Bucco, A.M. Officer Thomas E. DeShazo Memor Bridge  REP
A315 Aca (1R) DeAngelo, W Motor fuel price-fixing-AG investigate  REP/ACA
Bills Reported from Committee/Given 2nd Reading: (cont’d)

AR42 Milam,M/DeAngelo,W+1 Take a Veteran to Sch. Day-support REP
AR85 Johnson,G Republic of China-commemorates REP
AR86 Aca (1R) Conaway,H/Benson,D+5 Corp. campaign spending-oppose REP/ACA
AR97 Aca (1R) Riley,C/Spencer,L Glass products-bus. purchase and utilize REP/ACA
S420 Aca (1R) Van Drew,J/Allen,D+2 US flags, fly half-staff-Gov. notify REP/ACA
S527 Aca (1R) Norcross,D/Connors,C+7 Vet. bus enterprise set-aside prog-auth. REP/ACA
S1366 Doherty,M/Trurner,S+2 Tri-Co. Purple Heart Mem Hwy-desig Rt.31 REP
S1456 Sweeney,S/Vitale,J+3 Organ transplant recipient-proh. discrim REP
S1533 ScsAca (2R) Vitale,J+1 Health care prov.-report cert. problems REP/ACA
SJR37 Bucco,A.R Officer Thomas E. DeShazo Memor Bridge REP

Bills Reported Referred/AAP:

A700 Ramos,R/Coughlin,C+3 Children, legal representation-prov. REP REF AAP
A740 Eustace,T/Wagner,C+1 Youth mentoring prog.-estab. grant prog. REP REF AAP
A1822 Conaway,H/Singleton,T Vibration analysis, cert. rts.-conduct REP REF AAP
A2027 Aca (1R) Munoz,N/Green,J+37 Jessica Lunsford Act-assault on child REP/ACA REF AAP
A2037 Acs/ACS Watson Coleman,B NJ Yellow Dot prog.-estab. REP/ACS REF AAP
A2408 Aca (1R) Spencer,L/McKeon,J Adopt a Stormwater Mgmt. Basin Act REP/ACA REF AAP
A2410 Singleton,T/Watson Coleman,B+2 Responsible Fatherhood-estab. council REP/ACA REF AAP
A2626 Aca (1R) Greenwald,L/Tucker,C+1 Vet.-waive higher ed. application fees REP/ACA REF AAP
A3090 Acs/ACS Singleton,T/Burzichelli,J Farmland assessment law-revise prov. REP/ACS REF AAP
A3219 Riley,C/Mosquera,G+1 Domestic viol. witness-concerns testify REP REF AAP
S71 Scs/SCS/CSCS/SCS Codey,R/Singer,R+1 Yellow Dot prog.-estab. REP REF AAP
S589 ScsScs/Scs/scsAca (SCS/3R) Beck,J/Sweeney,S+1 Farmland assessment law-revise prov. REP/ACA REF AAP
S1084 ScsAca (2R) Smith,B/Sarlo,P Adopt a Stormwater Mgmt. Basin Act REP/ACA REF AAP

Co-Sponsors Added:

A154 (Simon,D) Child pornography law-revises
A494 Aca (1R) (Diegnan,P) Fishing, recreational-estab. lic. plate
A760 (Coughlin,C) Decabromodiphenyl ether-limits sale
A2042 (Conaway,H) Vet-mun. prov. free beach access
A2161 (Wimberly,B; Mosquera,G) Ovarian Cancer Awareness Mo-desig. Sept.
A2390 (Benson,D) Organ transplant recipient-proh. discrim
A2410 (Mosquera,G) Responsible Fatherhood-estab. council
A2412 (Handlin,A) Safe Playing Fields Act
A2626 Aca (1R) (Diegnan,P) Vet.-waive higher ed. application fees
A2747 (Simon,D) Bribery, official matters-concerns
A2916 (Handlin,A) Med malpractice-exempt home, attachment
A2917 (Handlin,A) Med. malpractice liab insur-proh raising
A3161 (Rudder,S) Bio-based Heating Oil Act
A3166 (Quijano,A) Class Two special off.-appt court duties
A3186 (Johnson,G) Health Bent. Exchange Act
A3195 (Wimberly,B; Mosquera,G) Teaching Pilot Prog.-estab.
A3219 (Benson,D) Domestic viol. witness-concerns testify
A3255 (Ciattarelli,J) Reliability, Storm Response Act of 2012
A3256 (Diegnan,P) Amber light at traffic signal-lengthens
ACR160 (Casagrande,C; Diegnan,P; Mainero,C) Casino at Meadowland Complex-allow temp.
AR42 (Gove,D) Take a Veteran to Sch. Day-support
AR86 Aca (1R) (Johnson,G; Chivukula,U; Caputo,R; Gusciora,R; McKeon,J) Corp. campaign spending-oppose

Second Prime Sponsors Added:

A531 (Ciattarelli,J) Farming activities-concerns complaints
A2398 Aca (1R) (Gusciora,R) Health care prov.-report cert. problems
A2856 (Jasey,M) Essex Co. Ed. Bd Pension Fd-upgrade prov
A3041 (O'Scanlon,D) Organ donation-insurers prov. info.
A3250 (Caride,M) Gestating pig-cruel confinement, offense
A3282 (Bucco,A) Rescue squads-immunity from civil damage
A3285 (Vainieri Huttle,V) Amber light at traffic signal-lengthens
ACR160 (Ramos,R) Casino at Meadowland Complex-allow temp.
AR42 (DeAngelo,W) Take a Veteran to Sch. Day-support
Third Prime Sponsors Added:

A354   (Chiusano,G)   MV lamps-req. to be in working order
A508   (Giblin,T)    Checkpoints-proh limited, cert veh types
A949   (Coughlin,C)  Inmate Community Svc. Prog.
A1802 (Wimberly,B)  Plant closings-suspend mortgage interest
A1822 (Riley,C)     Vibration analysis, cert. rts.-conduct
A2586 (Diegnan,P)  Priv., pub. colleges-land use approvals
A2626 Aca (1R)    (Johnson,G)   Vet.-waive higher ed. application fees
A3039 Aca (1R)    (Benson,D)  Lupus Ed. and Awareness-estab. Council
A3177  (Stender,L)  Trans Infrastructure Bank-estab.
A3248 Aca (1R)    (Bucco,A.M.)  Resid prop, abandoned-concerns mortgages
A3282 (Conaway,H)  Rescue squads-immunity from civil damage
A3312  (DeAngelo,W)  New Jobs for NJ Act
ACR160   (Schaer,G)  Casino at Meadowland Complex-allow temp.
AJR27  (Benson,D)  Patient Advocate Day-desig. November 15
AJR28  (Lampitt,P)  World Autism Awareness Day-desig April 2

Fourth Prime Sponsors Added:

A938   (Benson,D)  Domestic viol. statutes-expands
A1133 Aca (1R)   (Tucker,C)  Vet. bus enterprise set-aside prog-auth.
A1271  (Benson,D)  Bus tax cred.-wages paid to qual interns
A2180 (Spencer,L)  Bleeding Disorders Treatment Fd.
A2586 (Johnson,G)  Priv., pub. colleges-land use approvals
A2626 Aca (1R)    (Benson,D)  Vet.-waive higher ed. application fees
A3248 Aca (1R)    (Jasey,M)  Resid prop, abandoned-concerns mortgages
A3282 (Ciattarelli,J)  Rescue squads-immunity from civil damage
AR86 Aca (1R)    (Stender,L)  Corp. campaign spending-oppose

Fifth Prime Sponsors Added:

A2626 Aca (1R)    (DeAngelo,W)  Vet.-waive higher ed. application fees
A3090 Acs (ACS)   (Wilson,G) Farmland assessment law-revise prov.
A3224 (Vainieri Huttle,V)  Long-Term Care Oversight Act

Sixth Prime Sponsors Added:

A2626 Aca (1R)    (Wilson,G)  Vet.-waive higher ed. application fees

The Assembly Republican Leader has made the following appointment:

*Effective September 27, 2012

Unemployment Insurance Task Force:

Assemblyman Gary R. Chiusano (24), to replace Assemblyman Robert Schroeder (39), resigned.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:36 PM to meet again on Thursday, October 11, 2012 (QUORUM, Committee Groups “A” and “B” scheduled to meet).

Bills Passed Both Houses/Sent To Governor:

None

Bills Signed Into Law Since Last Session (09/24/2012):  

None