SENATE ACTION (SESSION)

Nominations Advise and Consent:

TO BE JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT:
   Edward T. O'Connor, Jr., of Bayonne.

TO BE ATTORNEY GENERAL:
   David Samson, of Caldwell, to replace John J. Farmer, Jr., Esq.

TO BE SECRETARY OF STATE:
   Regena Lynn Thomas, of Washington, D.C., to replace DeForest B. Soaries, Jr.

Nominations Received and Referred to SJU:

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NEW JERSEY SPORTS AND EXPOSITION AUTHORITY:
   Joseph M. Forgione, of New Vernon.

TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT:
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TO BE ADJUTANT GENERAL:
   Colonel Glenn Rieth, of Ewing.

TO BE COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND INSURANCE:
   Holly Bakke, of Lebanon.

TO BE COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION:
   Bradley Campbell, of Chapel Hill, N.C.

TO BE COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF LABOR:
   Albert Kroll, of Highland Park.

TO BE ATTORNEY GENERAL:
   David Samson, of Caldwell, to replace John J. Farmer, Jr., Esq.

TO BE STATE TREASURER:
   John McCormac, of Woodbridge, to replace Peter R. Lawrance.

TO BE COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL:
   Ida Castro, of Annandale, VA, to replace Janice Mitchell Mintz.

TO BE COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS:
   Susan Bass-Levin, of Cherry Hill, to replace Anthony Cancro.
Nominations Received and Referred to SJU: (cont'd)

TO BE COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:
    William Librera, of Denville, to replace Vito A. Gagliardi.

TO BE COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SENIOR SERVICES:
    Dr. Clifton Lacy, of Highland Park.

Nominations Reported from Committee:

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    William Librera, of Denville, to replace Vito A. Gagliardi.

TO BE COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF LABOR:
    Albert Kroll, of Cedar Knolls, to replace Mark Boyd.

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Bills Introduced/Without Reference GIVEN Second Reading:

S671    Bryant,W/Littell,R    Gov. FY2002 budget message-extends date

Bills Introduced:

S672    Singer,R    Horsemen-$18M    REF SEG
S673    Singer,R    PERS retire allowance-surviving spouses    REF SSG
S674    Singer,R    Assist living resid-background checks    REF SHH
S675    Connors,L/Cafiero,J    Ombudsman for Abused, Neglected Children    REF SHH
S676    Connors,L/Cafiero,J    DYFS Oversight-estab. task force    REF SHH
S677    Ciesla,A    Ephedrine products-proh. sale to minors    REF SHH
S678    Matheussen,J    Disab.-concerns elig. into PAAD    REF SHH
S679    Allen,D    Cigarettes/snack food-proh same machine    REF SHH
S680    Allen,D    Work First NJ prog.-repeals cert. limit    REF SHH
S681    Allen,D    EMT training course-bd. of ed. prov cred    REF SED
S682    Allen,D    Row homes, fire safety-concerns    REF SCU
S683    Allen,D    Higher Ed. Internship Prog.-estab.-$5M    REF SED
S684    Allen,D    Racism, Racial Viol. Comm-rename, expand    REF SJU
S685    Allen,D    Nov-viol. leaders-offer instruction    REF SED
S686    Allen,D    Vet. memorial-Williboro Twp.-$25K    REF SHH
S687    Allen,D    Child care svc.-income tax deduct    REF SHH
S688    Allen,D    Law and Mental Health Instit-estab.    REF SHH
S689    Allen,D    Teacher Youth Mentoring Matchmaker Prog.    REF SED
S690    Allen,D    Media literacy, asst. sch. dist.-$530K    REF SED
S691    Allen,D    Higher Ed, Incentive Grant Prog.-estab.    REF SED
S692    Allen,D    Beverly City, Burlington-28th UEZ    REF SEG
S693    Allen,D    Vol. fire co.-concerns contrib.    REF SCU
S694    McNamara,H    Hotel room occupancy tax-mun. impose    REF SCU
S695    McNamara,H    Haz. substances, flood plains-concerns    REF SEN
S696    McNamara,H    Haz Discharge Site Remediation Fd-$30M    REF SEN
Bills Introduced: (cont’d)

S697 McNamara,H Testbooks/related material-concerns REF SED
S698 McNamara,H Tidelands grants and leases-concerns REF SEN
S699 McNamara,H Drinking water-reevaluate for arsenic REF SEN
S700 McNamara,H Sports fac, prof-voter approval, St. fds REF SEG
S701 McNamara,H Contaminated sites-concerns REF SEN
S702 McNamara,H Bergen Regional Blood Ctr.;$2.5M REF SHH
S703 Connors,L Mil. svc., cert.-free hunting/fishing lic REF SEG
S704 Lance,L Rentals between cert bus-exemp sales tax REF SBA
S705 Palaia,J Condo assn.-concerns meetings REF SEG
S706 Lance,L Elections, cert.-concerns date REF SSG
S707 Ciesla,A Terrorism acts-pub entity civil immunity REF SJU
S708 Allen,D/Matheussen,J+3 St. Debt Reduction & Avoidance Act;$50M REF SSG
S709 Bennett,J/Allen,D Enduring Freedom vet.-civil svc. pref. REF SLP
S710 Ciesla,A Mun. util. auth, sch. dist-acquire lands REF SCU
S712 Cardinale,G Check cashers, lic.-concerns REF SCM
S713 Connors,L Vet-amends definition REF SSG
S714 Singer,R Tech, Biotech Finan Assist Prog-tax benf REF SEG
S715 Cardinale,G Product sellers-modify tort liab. REF SJU
S716 Connors,L Inheritance tax-eliminates REF SBA
S717 Connors,L Med. alarm equip.-exemp. sales & use tax REF SCM
S718 Connors,L Vol. firefighters-$5K income tax deduct. REF SLP
S719 Allen,D Lung cancer in women activities;$75K REF SHH
S720 Allen,D Diabetes pub. awareness campaign;$75K REF SHH
S721 Allen,D Coll. faculty-alternate benf. prog. REF SSG
S722 Allen,D Cred. cards, unsolicited-proh. delivery REF SCM
S723 Allen,D Off of Women's Research & Policy-creates REF SHH
S724 Allen,D Mil. svc., active-concerns obligations REF SJU
S725 Allen,D Family Home Occupation Act REF SCU
S726 Allen,D Mail solicitations, electronic-reg. REF SCM
S727 Allen,D Vol. fire/rescue personnel-emp. discrim. REF SLA
S728 Allen,D/Martin,R Special ed. costs-students, foster homes REF SED
S729 Allen,D Harassment prev. policy-sch. dist. adopt REF SED
S730 Allen,D Natl. Guard, active duty-per diem rate REF SSG
S731 Allen,D NJ KidCare-concerns health care prov. REF SHH
S732 Littell,R Env. Ed. Comm.;$200K REF SEN
S733 Littell,R Bear mgmt.;$2M REF SEG
S734 Littell,R Shade Tree Comm., local;$4M REF SEN
S735 Littell,R Parks, forests-dedicate $20M REF SEN
S736 Littell,R Vet Monument Rededication Comm-estab. REF SLP
S737 Allen,D Tobacco settlement-health care prog. REF SHH
S738 Allen,D Sch. fac., hist.-concerns renovation REF SED
S739 Allen,D Sch. dist., sending-prov. addl. St. aid REF SED
S740 Allen,D NJSAVER/home/estab rebate-sr. cit collect REF SHH
S741 Allen,D Housing loans to emp.-bus. tax credit REF SCU
S742 Allen,D Bus owners, cert-deduct fed self-emp tax REF SCM
S743 Connors,L Charitable org., cert.-concerns donation REF SCM
S744 Gormley,W/Furnari,G St. Police training fac., Sea Girt;$200K REF SLP
S745 Cardinale,G Gross income tax-reduce rate REF SBA
S746 Bark,M Vet. prop. tax elig.-concerns REF SCU
S747 Singer,R Vet. org.-allocate fds.$250K REF SLP
S748 Lance,L Blood donation-concerns age REF SHH
S749 Lance,L Adoption expenses-income tax cred. REF SHH
S750 Connors,L Sr. Helping Sr., Demo. Prog.-DHS;$300K REF SHH
S751 Connors,L Personal needs allowance-incr. REF SHH
S752 Connors,L Surviving spouse, cert. vet-annual comp REF SLP
S753 Bagger,R Ed. IRA earnings, cert.-tax excl. REF SED
S754 Bagger,R Bone mass measurement-insur. cover REF SCM
S755 Allen,D Med. day care svcv-FamilyCare Prog cover REF SHH
S756 Allen,D Tobacco use, young women awareness;$75K REF SHH
S757 Allen,D Ovarian cancer pub. awareness;$75K REF SHH
S758 Allen,D DYFS caseworkers-concerns staffing REF SHH
S759 Allen,D Water quality monitoring-concerns REF SEN
S760 Allen,D Lyme disease vaccination-insur. cover REF SCM
S761 Lance,L Tickets received by candidates-disclose REF SSG
S763 Lance,L Obligation proceeds-competitive bidding REF SBA
S764 Allen,D Prop/casualty insur. refunds-time limits REF SCM
S765 Allen,D Lifeline annual benf.-incr. to $300 REF SEG
S766 Allen,D Tobacco settlement-health care prog. REF SHH
**Bills Introduced: (cont’d)**

S767    Allen,D    Work First NJ recipient-complete cert ed   REF SLA
S768    Allen,D    Devel. disab.-estab. placement trusts   REF SHH
S769    Allen,D    Persons-at-Risk Registry-estab.;$250K   REF SHH
S770    Allen,D    Internet pharmacies/prescriptions-reg.   REF SCM
SCR22   Connors,L    Camp. finan.-Jt. Leg. Comm. review    REF SSG
SCR23   Singer,R    Hearing aids-Medicare cover    REF SHH
SCR24   Connors,L    St. independent auth.-concerns    REF SSG
SCR25   Connors,L    Medicare, prescription drugs-enact leg.    REF SHH
SJR12    Allen,D    Juneteenth Independence Day-June 19    REF SSG
SJR13    Connors,L    Natl. cemetery, new-locate in NJ    REF SLP
SJR14    Allen,D    Rail lines-establishment of quiet zones    REF STR
SR18    Ciesla,A    Oil & nat. gas drilling, offshore-oppose    REF SEN
SR19    Turner,S    Medicare-prov eyeglass/dentures coverage    REF SHH

**Bills On Emergency Resolution:**

S671    Bryant,W/Littell,R    Gov. FY2002 budget message-extends date    (Bennett) (35-0)

**Bills Passed:**

S671    Bryant,W/Littell,R    Gov. FY2002 budget message-extends date    (36-0)

**Bills Withdrawn From The Files:**

S484    Vitale,J/Martin,R+4    SCI-makes permanent    FROM SSG
S489    Vitale,J+3    Nursing home admission agreement-concern    FROM SHH
S494    Vitale,J    Rutgers Coll. of Nursing-fac.;$2.3M    FROM SHH

**Co-Sponsors Added:**

S576    (Coniglio,J)
S708    (Inverso,P; Cafiero,J; Bucco,A)

**Co-Prime Sponsors Added:**

S96    (Allen,D)
S404    (Lance,L)
S575    (Coniglio,J)

The Senate President has made the following appointment:

*Effective January 15, 2002*

**Advisory Council to Promote the Profession of Nursing in New Jersey**

Senator Joseph F. Vitale, (19)

**Note to the January 7, 2002 Legislative Digest:**

The Senate President has made the following appointments:

*Effective January 7, 2002*
The Senate President has made the following appointments: (cont'd)

Health Service Corporation Conversion Temporary Advisory Commission

George Albanese, of Scotch Plains.
Harvey A. Holzberg, of Jersey City.
John Messina, of Mahwah.

Notes to the January 8, 2002 Legislative Digest:

Nomination was Not Received and Referred to SJU on 1/8/02:

TO BE A SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE:
Edward T. O'Connor Jr., of Bayonne.

Bills Introduced:

S165 Bagger,R Vets' Oral Hist. prog.;$90K REF SLP *NOT* SSG
S200 Allen,D/Bark,M+1 Women vet. mem., Arneytown;$25K REF SLP *NOT* SSG
S330 Bark,M Haiti peacekeeping mission-active svc. REF SLP *NOT* SSG
S493 Vitale,J St-owned resid vet fac.-sales tax exemp. REF SLP *NOT* SSG
S595 Ciesla,A/Palaia,J Disab. vet. allowance-annual adjustment REF SLP *NOT* SSG
S648 Inverso,P/Littell,R+19 WWII Vets Mem., St;$2M REF SLP *NOT* SSG

The Senate adjourned at 4:55 P.M. to meet at a time and date to be announced.

ASSEMBLY ACTION

The Assembly did not meet. The Assembly will meet on Thursday, January 31, 2002 (QUORUM, Committee Groups "A" and "B" scheduled to meet).

Bills Passed Both Houses/Sent To Governor:

None

Bills Signed Into Law Since Last Session (01/08/02):

P.L.2001, c.435 S1319 Sca (1R) Bennett,J+3 01/10/2002 Fair Housing Act-concerns
P.L.2001, c.436 S1933 Sca (1R) Bennett,J+2 01/10/2002 Shade tree, forest preserv.-lic. plate
P.L.2001, c.437 S2077 ScaAca (2R) Bennett,J/Palaia,J+6 01/10/2002 Pupil-aid-in-lieu-of transp-incr amount
P.L.2001, c.438 S2506 Sca (1R) Kyrillos,J/Allen,D+2 01/10/2002 Steel outdoor advertising signs-taxation
P.L.2001, c.439 S2754 Sca (1R) Bennett,J+3 01/10/2002 Crematorium constr-concerns mun approval
P.L.2001, c.440 A2184 Aca (1R/LIV) Lance,L/Heck,R+3 01/10/2002 Hist markers, erect/restore/replace;$50K
P.L.2001, c.441 A2454 Aca (1R/LIV) Carroll,M/Murphy,C+4 01/11/2002 Affordable housing-concerns zoning
P.L.2001, c.442 S206 AcaAaSa (3R) Bennett,J/Codey,R+47 01/11/2002 WTC Scholarship Prog. Act
P.L.2001, c.443 S1897 ScsAa (SCS/1R) Vitale,J/Gormley,W+1 01/11/2002 Bias Intimidation-estab. crime
P.L.2001, c.445 A1915 AcaAca (2R) Thompson,S/Geist,G+20 01/11/2002 Coordinating Comm. on Youth-$50K
P.L.2001, c.446 A1917 (LIV) Thompson,S/DiGaetano,P+22 01/11/2002 Youth Emp./After Sch Incentive Prog.$25K
P.L.2001, c.448 A2998 Aca (1R) Gregg,G/Greenwald,L+3 01/11/2002 Tobacco products-adjusts tax rates
P.L.2001, c.449 A3723 Sa (1RLIV) Felice,N/Azzolina,J+40 01/11/2002 WWII Vets Mem., St;$2M
P.L.2001, c.450 S1072 Aca (1R) Vitale,J/Sinagra,J+12 01/12/2002 Nursing home admission agreement-concern
P.L.2001, c.451 S2388 Littell,R+1 01/14/2002 Temp. disb. benf.-reciprocal agreements
P.L.2001, c.452 S2451 Bucco,A/Cardinale,G+2 01/14/2002 Holocaust ed. curriculum;$30K
Bills Signed Into Law Since Last Session (01/08/02): (cont'd)

P.L.2001, c.453.    S2503 Aca (1R)    Gormley,W/Defrancesco,D+1    01/14/2002    Disab. in emerg.-concerns
P.L.2001, c.454.    S2687    Codey,R/Kavanaugh,W+1    01/14/2002    Essex Co Pension Fd-make various changes
P.L.2001, c.457.    A1420 Aa (1R)    DeCroce,A/Weingarten,J+1    01/14/2002    Constr. permits, cert.-limits duration