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Assemblywoman Nancy J. Pinkin, of the 18th Legislative District, has resigned.

SENATE ACTION

The Senate did not meet. The Senate will meet on Thursday, January 7, 2021 (QUORUM, Committees at the Call of the Senate President).

ASSEMBLY ACTION (QUORUM)

Bills Introduced:

A5192 Benson,D/Conaway,H Motor vehicle registrations-provide temporary extension REF ATR
A5193 Benson,D Driver testing, persons/disabilities-req. MVC provide reasonable accommodations REF ATR
A5194 Karabinchak,R/Swain,L Nonpoint source pollution control grants-establishes ranking criteria REF AEN
A5195 Karabinchak,R Homeowners insurance policies-prohibits use of anti-concurrent causation clauses REF AFI
A5196 Karabinchak,R Climate Change Mitigation, Resilience Financing Program in NJ Infra. Bank-estab. REF AEN
A5197 DeAngelo,W/McKnight,A Teachers, certified-income tax credit who incur expenses for classroom supplies REF AED
A5198 DeAngelo,W September 11 Remembrance Day-designates September 11 of each year REF ASL
A5199 DeAngelo,W Government records requestor-pickup within 10 days of availability REF ASL
A5200 DeAngelo,W Fire safety features-req. bidders on pub works construction projects submit info REF ASL
A5201 Quijano,A Alcohol & food industry sellers taxable sales-allows temporary deduction REF ACE
A5202 Vainieri Huttie,V Council of the Arts-increase members to 21; requires members be NJ residents REF ATG
A5203 Vainieri Huttie,V COVID-19 vaccine public awareness campaign regarding potential fraud-estab. REF AHE
A5204 Rooney,K Event venues-proh use, deposit funds for cert. purposes during pub health emerg REF ACO
A5205 Catalano,J/McGuckin,G Voting fraud task force-require AG create REF ASL
A5206 Auth,R Voting machine/system-proh approval if vendor is foreign company, exports tech REF ASL
A5207 Johnson,G/Reynolds-Jackson,V Correction fac.-prohibit entering into agreements with federal immigration REF ALP
A5208 Vainieri Huttie,V State House grounds-create gallery space for display of certain art works REF ATG
A5209 Mukherji,R Pharmacy Audit Bill of Rights-estab. procedures by which entities conduct audits REF ARP
A5210 Burzichelli,J/Dancer,R State Firemen's Home-revises composition, certain functions REF ALP
A5211 Wimberly,B/Quijano,A Cannabis legalization-updates and clarifies recent legislation REF AAP
AJR202 DeAngelo,W+1 Military Caregivers Week-designates fourth week of March of each year REF AMV

Bills Received from Governor/Absolute Veto:

A4525 AcaSca (2R) Freiman,R/Mazzeo,V+21 Econ activity, cert-remove time restrictions for temp structures during COVID-19

Bills Transferred:

A5130 Jasey,M Foreclosure Prevention Act-establishes; concerns mitigation of loss FROM AHO TO AAP

Co-Sponsors Added:

A1171 (Giblin,T) Statewide database, certified payroll information for pub works projects-creates
A1699 (Peters,R) Deer hunting with firearm-authorizes on Sunday on private property
A1713 (Peters,R) Deer-authorizes Sunday firearm and bow hunting on certain lands
A1981 (McKeon,J) Plastic Pollution Task Force-establishes study, ways to reduce & address
A2196 (Karabinchak,R) St. pensions-proh investment, req divestment in pub traded fossil fuel companies
A2418 (Murphy,C; Danielsens,J; Spearman,W) Prescription Drug Affordability Board-establishes
A4813 Aca (1R) (Simonsen,E; McClellan,A) Public health emergency open public records requests-make information accessible
A4816 (Chiaravallotti,N) Correctional police/parole off-req compensatory time off, for work during emerg
A4867 (Wirths,H; Space,P) Emergency medical svcs-req issuance of temp certifications, cert circumstances
A5018 (Conaway,H) Environmental infra. proj-req Infra Bank prov incentives, employ local residents
A5019 (Murphy,C) Cosmetology & hairstyling-allow licensees to operate mobile facilities
A5155 (Chaparro,A) Parking privileges-100% Disabled Vet. not req. to submit documentation to renew
A5165 (Giblin,T) Paper ballot counting process-estab grant program for counties to improve;\$10M
A5166 (Giblin,T) Voting Improvement Task Force-establishes
A5180 (Vainieri Huttle,V) Student w/disab-DOE develop transition checklist; maintain website resources
ACR204 (Danielsen,J) Disabled veterans, served at any time-receive civil service preference
ACR205 (Benson,D) Water consumption/diversion user fees-dedicate revenue to water quality
AJR200 (Benson,D) Wounded Warrior Appreciation Week-designates first week in May of each year
AJR202 (McKnight,A) Military Caregivers Week-designates fourth

Second Prime Sponsors Added:

A1975 (McKeon,J) Zero emission vehicle charging station-50% credit against societal benf charge
A2379 (Karabinchak,R) Pipeline applications for constr-automatic approval if DEP fails to take action
A2781 (Karabinchak,R) Public officials, convicted of corruption offenses-forfeit office, position
A2784 (McKeon,J) Env. regulations-auth DEP rulemaking to prevent backsliding, federal law changes
A4833 (Benson,D) Bias & harassment-expands crime; establish additional penalties
A5136 (Johnson,G) Restaurant safety during coronavirus disease 2019 pandemic-concerns
A5139 (Johnson,G) Restaurant tents during coronavirus disease 2019 pandemic-concerns
A5159 (Moen,W) Substance use disorder treatment, resid/outpatient-conduct study Medicaid avail
A5164 (Giblin,T) Autism spectrum disorder individual-req. annual report on health and well-being
A5174 (Conaway,H) Veterans' Memorial Homes Oversight Board-creates
A5177 (Conaway,H) Bereavement Counseling Prog for family/caregivers of certain vet-req DMVA create
A5178 (Vainieri Huttle,V) Long-Term Care Ombudsman, Office-submit annual report to vet fac oversight bd
A5180 (McKnight,A) Student w/disab-DOE develop transition checklist; maintain website resources
A5181 (Vainieri Huttle,V) Paperless State government-create task force to study feasibility
A5191 (Conaway,H) Waste in landfills, organic-establish Statewide target to reduce disposal
AJR199 (Johnson,G) Commission to Review Impact of COVID-19 on Small Businesses-establishes
AJR200 (McKnight,A) Wounded Warrior Appreciation Week-designates first week in May of each year

Third Prime Sponsors Added:

A3348 (Karabinchak,R) Water Resources Protection Trust Fund Act; estab. user fee on water consumption
A3511 (Vainieri Huttle,V) People with developmental disabilities-concerns transportation options
A5134 (Johnson,G) Hospitality business winter preparation purchase/reimb prog-estab. in EDA;\$50M
A5135 (Johnson,G) Restaurant use of heaters & tents-estab Statewide standards during COVID-19
A5137 (Johnson,G) Alcholic beverage COVID-19 Expansion Permit-require ABC to waive fee
A5159 (Vainieri Huttle,V) Substance use disorder treatment, resid/outpatient-conduct study Medicaid avail
A5172 (Mejia,P) Palisades Cliffs Protection Act-limit height of new construction
A5177 (Danielsen,J) Bereavement Counseling Prog for family/caregivers of certain vet-req DMVA create
A5180 (Benson,D) Student w/disab-DOE develop transition checklist; maintain website resources
A5191 (Zwicker,A) Waste in landfills, organic-establish Statewide target to reduce disposal
ACR204 (Conaway,H) Disabled veterans, served at any time-receive civil service preference
AJR200 (Danielsen,J) Wounded Warrior Appreciation Week-designates first week in May of each year

The Assembly adjourned at 3:23 P.M. to meet again on Thursday, January 7, 2021 (QUORUM, Committees at the Call of the Speaker).

Bills Passed Both Houses/Sent To Governor:

None

Bills Signed Into Law Since Last Session (12/21/2020):

- P.L.2020, c.138. S3046 w/GR (1R) Ruiz,M/Pou,N+1 12/23/2020 Business tax credit programs, certain-extend document submission deadlines
- P.L.2020, c.139. S3225 Sweeney,S/Oroho,S+6 12/23/2020 Farmland preservation-dedicate CBT rev. for mun planning incentive grants;\$11.5M
- P.L.2020, c.140. S3226 Addiego,D/Bateman,C 12/23/2020 Farmland preservation-State Agriculture Development Committee;\$29.886M
- P.L.2020, c.141. S3228 Gopal,V/Taliaferro,A+5 12/23/2020 CBT revenues to St Agriculture Devel Committee-co planning incentive grants;\$12M
- P.L.2020, c.142. A4907 AcsSa (ACS/1R) Wimberly,B/Reynolds-Jackson,V+7 12/23/2020 Statewide Body Worn Camera Program;\$58M
- P.L.2020, c.143. A4975 AcaAaAca (3R) Chiaravalloti,N/Caputo,R+6 12/23/2020 Quality Single Accountability Continuum-postpones review due to COVID-19
- P.L.2020, c.144. A5080 Zwicker,A/Verrelli,A+8 12/23/2020 CBT rev to St Agriculture Devel Committee-non-profit org farmland grants;\$3.763M
- P.L.2020, c.145. A5119 Aca (1R) McKeon,J/Downey,J+4 12/23/2020 Health services corporation-provides for reorganization
- P.L.2020, c.146. A4589 Lopez,Y/Danielsen,J+12 12/30/2020 Alcoholic beverages-extends time license holders may sell following COVID-19