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**The Members of both Houses of the 216th Legislature met in Joint Session to receive the Annual Budget Message from the Honorable Chris Christie, Governor of the State of New Jersey.**

### ***SENATE ACTION (SESSION)***

#### **Nominations Advise and Consent:**

TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT:

Michael J. Haas, of Edgewater Park.

#### **Nominations Received and Referred to SJU:**

TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT:

Michael J. Haas, of Edgewater Park.

#### **Nominations Reported from Committee:**

TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT:

Michael J. Haas, of Edgewater Park.

#### **Bills Introduced:**

S1234 Singer,R White Swan Cleaners, Monmouth Co-cleanup REF SEN  
S1236 Barnes,P Internal affairs functions-pilot prog. REF SLP  
S1237 Weinberg,L Bleeding Disorders Treatment Fd. REF SHH  
S1238 Weinberg,L Toll free telecommunication svc.-review REF SSG  
S1239 Weinberg,L Util bills, unpaid-modify interest rate REF SCU  
S1240 Oroho,S Commercial corridors, Highlands-devel. REF SEN  
S1241 Holzapfel,J Communications, stored-unlawful access REF SJU  
S1242 Holzapfel,J Spectator-based lawsuits-prov. immunity REF SJU  
S1243 Bateman,C Hotels, liquor lic.-concerns REF SLP  
S1244 Holzapfel,J Drag racing-upgrades penal. REF SLP  
S1245 Holzapfel,J Jury duty-exemp. police REF SJU  
S1246 Holzapfel,J Theft, st. of emerg.-mandatory penal. REF SLP  
S1247 Holzapfel,J Driv. lic. suspended-notify police REF SLP  
S1248 Holzapfel,J Family restroom-req. in St. parks REF SEN  
S1249 Holzapfel,J Beaches, St.-owned-proh. smoking REF SHH  
S1250 Madden,F/Beach,J Medicaid Smart Card Pilot Prog.-estab. REF SHH  
S1251 Beach,J Alternative fueled veh.-concerns purch. REF SEN  
S1252 Beach,J Child passenger restraint sys.-concerns REF STR  
S1253 Beach,J GPS navigation devices-concerns REF STR  
S1254 Turner,S St. mileage reimb.-set at IRS rate REF SSG  
S1255 Whelan,J HVACR lic. req.-exempts cert. persons REF SCM  
S1256 Turner,S Website ads-proh cert products to minors REF SCM  
S1257 Turner,S Innovation zone prog.-estab. REF SEG  
S1258 Turner,S Electric power reliability-BPU mandate REF SEG  
S1259 Turner,S Restraining orders-condition of release REF SJU  
S1260 Addiego,D Realty transfer fee-exemp. cert. spouses REF SEG  
S1261 Turner,S Dometic viol. offenses-clarify REF SJU  
S1262 Rice,R Minors weapons off-proh. plea bargaining REF SJU

**Bills Introduced: (cont'd)**

S1263 Turner,S Devel. subsidies-estab. emp. goals REF SEG  
S1264 Turner,S Emp. practices-concerns devel. subsidies REF SLA  
S1265 Turner,S Devel. subsidies-concerns repymt. REF SEG  
S1266 Turner,S Textbooks, higher ed. instit.-concerns REF SHI  
S1267 Turner,S Sch dist-full-day kindergarten req. REF SED  
S1268 Turner,S Charter sch application-modify timeframe REF SED  
S1269 Turner,S Students, cert.-concerns ed. costs REF SED  
S1270 Turner,S Drunk driv. w/minor-incr. penal. REF SLP  
S1271 Turner,S Sch bus operation w/suspended lic-crime REF STR  
S1272 Turner,S Crim. firearms recovery clearing house REF SLP  
S1273 Turner,S Red light camera pilot prog.-guidance REF STR  
S1274 Turner,S Charter sch. admin.-salary cap REF SED  
S1275 Ruiz,M Teacher loan redemption prog.-estab. REF SED  
S1276 Ruiz,M Teaching Pilot Prog.-estab. REF SED  
S1277 Sarlo,P/Bucco,A.R. Limo svc.-removes sales tax imposition REF STR  
S1278 Rice,R Electric circuit maps-prov. to mun. REF SEG  
S1279 Rice,R Lead Haz Control Assist Fd;\$10M REF SCU  
S1280 Rice,R Water supply/sewerage charges-tax deduct REF SCU  
S1281 Rice,R Capital improvements-income tax cred. REF SCU  
S1282 Rice,R Manuf. fac-exemp sales of energy REF SEG  
S1283 Rice,R Pol subdiv pub work contract-loc hiring REF SLA  
S1284 Doherty,M Tuition costs, cert. sch. dist-prov addl REF SED  
S1285 Doherty,M Raw milk permit prog.-estab. REF SEG  
S1286 Doherty,M/Allen,D Body imaging scanners-proh. use. REF STR  
S1287 Doherty,M Handgun permit-revises procedures REF SLP  
S1288 Doherty,M Vol fire companies-exemp charitable fees REF SLP  
S1289 Sarlo,P MV franchisees rights-revise law REF SCM  
S1290 Allen,D Murderer-AG prev halfway house placement REF SLP  
S1291 Allen,D/Bucco,A.R. Victimization of sr. cit., disab.-crime REF SJU  
S1292 Allen,D CDS-concerns distrib. in pub. place REF SJU  
S1293 Allen,D Eminent domain-temp. moratorium on use REF SCU  
S1294 Allen,D Lic. home inspector-background ck. req. REF SCU  
S1295 Allen,D Inheritance taxes, cert.-elim. REF SBA  
S1296 Allen,D Hearing aid expenses-income tax cred. REF SHH  
S1297 Allen,D Fed. retir. contrib.-excl. income tax REF SBA  
S1298 Allen,D Plant closing-suspend mortgage interest REF SCM  
S1299 Allen,D DHS emp. assault-upgrade penal. REF SLP  
S1300 Allen,D Adult Work First NJ recipient-training REF SLA  
S1301 Allen,D Vibration analysis, cert. rts.-conduct REF SEN  
S1302 Allen,D Child care svc.-income tax deduct. REF SHH  
S1303 Allen,D/Vitale,J+2 Devel disab-concern special needs trusts REF SHH  
S1304 Allen,D Children of fallen ff-creates lic. plate REF STR  
S1305 Norcross,D Police veh.-cameras req. REF SLP  
S1306 Sweeney,S Superstorm Sandy Bill of Rights-estab. REF SCU  
SCR57 Turner,S Transit benf parity-reinstate REF STR  
SCR58 Rice,R Priv pub svc contracts-set min standards REF SSG  
SCR59 Doherty,M Health care coverage-proh St/Fed law reg REF SCM  
SCR60 Doherty,M/Allen,D Aiport advanced imaging tech-concerns REF STR  
SCR61 Allen,D/Oroho,S Eminent domain-limit exercise REF SCU  
SCR62 Rice,R/Turner,S Econ Justice, Equal Emp Opportunity REF SLA  
SJR30 Allen,D Rip Current Awareness Wk.-1st wk in June REF SEN  
SJR31 Allen,D Animal Rescue Day-first Saturday in Oct. REF SEG  
SR28 Singer,R Oyster Creek Station-install filters REF SEN  
SR29 Barnes,P Traditional classroom teaching-supports REF SED  
SR30 Turner,S College football-proh. cert. contact REF SHI  
SR31 Turner,S Gun crime-urges expeditious disposition REF SLP  
SR33 Allen,D Youth sport event-urge codes of conduct REF SLP

**Concurrent Resolution Passed:**

An unnumbered Concurrent Resolution providing for the Legislature to hold a Joint Session for the purpose of receiving the Governor's Budget Message was adopted by voice vote.

**Bills Withdrawn From The Files:**

S109 Bucco,A.R. Solar photovoltaic sys, cert.-id emblem FROM SEN  
S145 Bateman,C Liquor lic.-reduce number of hotel rooms FROM SLP

**Co-Sponsors Added:**

S234 (Beck,J) Per Capita Library Aid;\$3M  
S849 (Bucco,A.R.) Tuition Equality for America's Military  
S875 (Bateman,C) Gov. Records Council-concerns memb.  
S939 (Kyrillos,J) Black Swallowtail butterfly-St butterfly  
S944 Sca (1R) (Barnes,P) Mun. shared svc. energy auth-creates  
S1041 (Beck,J; Cunningham,S; Greenstein,L; Lesniak,R; Pou,N; Rice,R; Singer,R; Smith,B; Turner,S) Drilling techniques, cert.  
S1082 (Greenstein,L; Oroho,S; Thompson,S; Van Drew,J) Retir. income-elim. income cap excl.  
S1083 (Oroho,S) Fuel dealers, cert.-allow product refund  
S1086 (Oroho,S) St.-funded health benef. plans-concerns  
S1088 (Bateman,C; Beck,J; Doherty,M; Kean,T; Madden,F; Pennacchio,J; Thompson,S; Van Drew,J; Vitale,J; Whelan,J) Crime victim-clarify impact statement  
S1090 (Bateman,C) Unpaid prop tax-concerns cert. interest  
S1091 (Bateman,C; Vitale,J) Affordable housing devel. fees-concerns  
S1303 (Addiego,D; Gordon,R) Devel disab-concern special needs trusts  
SCR13 (Oroho,S) Vet. prop. tax deduction-incr. to \$500  
SR24 (Allen,D; Ruiz,M) Athletics Assoc-adopt equal pay scale

**Co-Prime Sponsors Added:**

S261 (Doherty,M) Vet honorably discharged-estab lic plate  
S581 Sca (1R) (Lesniak,R) Adv. cyberinfrastructure strategic plan  
S582 Sca (1R) (Lesniak,R) Big Data Alliance-desig.  
S896 (Sweeney,S) Stephen Komninos' Law-devel. disab. prot  
S1020 (Oroho,S) Post-Viability Prot. Act  
S1022 (Oroho,S) Rt. 24-dedesig. portions  
S1062 (Allen,D) Vol. tuition cred. prog.-clarify courses  
S1081 (Oroho,S) Lake Hopatcong Comm.-changes memb.  
S1082 (Pennacchio,J) Retir. income-elim. income cap excl.  
S1083 (Van Drew,J) Fuel dealers, cert.-allow product refund  
S1084 (Cardinale,G) Compressed natural gas sch. buses-devel.  
S1086 (Pou,N) St.-funded health benef. plans-concerns  
S1090 (Whelan,J) Unpaid prop tax-concerns cert. interest  
S1093 (Pennacchio,J) Name change-MVC accept death cert.  
S1094 (Van Drew,J) Home health care emp-auto insur coverage  
S1112 (Allen,D) Body scans-violate St. statutes  
S1115 (Allen,D) Prop taxes, delinquent-credit tax refund  
S1169 (Barnes,P) Med. marijuana-equal to prescribed meds  
S1181 (Madden,F) Epilepsy drugs-proh. substitution  
SCR46 (Vitale,J) Jt Task Force, Health Insur-reconstitute  
SJR24 (Norcross,D) Rare Disease Awareness Day-Feb, last day

**The Senate President has made the following appointments:**

\*Effective January 31, 2014

**State House Commission:**

Senator Bob Smith (17)

Senator Robert J. Gordon (38)

\*Effective February 4, 2014

**New Jersey Commission on Capital Budgeting and Planning:**

Senator Samuel D. Thompson (12)

\*Effective February 10, 2014

**New Jersey Commission on Holocaust Education:**

Rabbi Bernhard Rosenberg, of Edison.

**The Senate President has made the following reappointments:**

\*Effective February 4, 2014

**Joint Committee on the Public Schools:**

Senator Diane B. Allen (7)  
Senator Samuel D. Thompson (12)

\*Effective February 10, 2014

**Casino Revenue Fund Advisory Commission:**

James A. Carney, of Egg Harbor Township.

\*Effective February 11, 2014

**Legislative Services Commission:**

Senator Nia H. Gill (34)  
Senator Robert M. Gordon (38)  
Senator Stephen M. Sweeney (3)  
Senator Loretta Weinberg (37)

\*Effective February 18, 2014

**Joint Budget Oversight Committee:**

Senator Anthony R. Bucco (25)

**Senate Democratic Leadership:**

Senator Stephen M. Sweeney (3), Senate President  
Senator Loretta Weinberg (37), Majority Leader  
Senator Nia H. Gill (34), President Pro Tempore  
Senator Paul A. Sarlo (36), Deputy Majority Leader  
Senator Linda R. Greenstein (14), Assistant Majority Leader  
Senator Donald Norcross (5), Assistant Majority Leader  
Senator M. Teresa Ruiz (29), Assistant Majority Leader  
Senator Robert M. Gordon (38), Majority Conference Leader  
Senator Sandra B. Cunningham (31), Majority Whip

**The Senate adjourned at 5:00 P.M. to meet again on Thursday, February 27, 2014 (SESSION).**

***ASSEMBLY ACTION (QUORUM)***

**Bills Introduced/Without Reference/Given Second Reading:**

AR88 Schaer,G/Prieto,V Emerg matters-qual for Jones Act waiver

**Bills Introduced:**

A2740 Diegnan,P/Johnson,G Per pupil admin. cost limits-elim budget REF AED  
A2741 McKeon,J Alco. bev. lic.-mun. issue cert. surplus REF ARO  
A2742 McKeon,J Billboard ad space-auth. loc. option tax REF ASL  
A2743 McKeon,J OPRA record requests-deposit req. REF AJU  
A2744 Bucco,A.M. Juv. admitted to drug court prog-permits REF AJU  
A2745 Bucco,A.M. Minor emp. cert.-revise application proc REF ALA  
A2746 McKeon,J Fire resistance furnishings-pub bldg req REF ACO

**Bills Introduced: (cont'd)**

A2747 McKeon,J St. permitting fees-exemp. loc. units REF ASL  
A2748 McKeon,J Co. prosecutors' office-St. assume costs REF AJU  
A2749 McKeon,J Home energy inspections-report analysis REF AHO  
A2750 McKeon,J Mun emp early retir incentive prog-estab REF ASL  
A2751 Wilson,G Mun, co roads-sell to connect solar fac. REF ATU  
A2752 Tucker,C Sons of Amer Legion-pd. leave of absence REF AMV  
A2753 Wisniewski,J MV headlights-req. use, hwy constr areas REF ATR  
A2754 Wisniewski,J Inspector General PANYNJ-subpoena power REF ATR  
A2755 Vainieri Huttel,V Societal benf charge fds-concerns alloc. REF ATU  
A2756 Wisniewski,J Class action lawsuits-concerns REF AJU  
A2757 Benson,D Ovarian cancer screening-prov. coverage REF AWC  
A2758 Benson,D Campaign finan. info.-disclose REF AJU  
A2759 Fiocchi,S Murderer-AG prev halfway house placement REF ALP  
A2760 Mukherji,R/Singleton,T Court fees-revise or supplement REF AJU  
A2761 Mukherji,R/Singleton,T Electric pub util flood mitigation plans REF ATU  
A2762 Johnson,G Birth cert. fee-support NJ Blood Bank REF AWC  
A2763 Johnson,G OPRA-makes cert. access changes REF AJU  
A2764 Johnson,G St-owned Hist. Sites Comm.-estab. REF ATG  
A2765 Space,P/McHose,A Firewood sale-concerns REF AAN  
A2766 Space,P/McHose,A Embryonic stem cell research-concerns REF AHE  
A2767 Dancer,R Intersection, cert-desig alt emerg power REF AHS  
A2768 Dancer,R Telecommunications carriers-concerns REF ACO  
A2769 Conaway,H/Lagana,J Med Exam Bd-conduct internat crim check REF AHE  
A2770 Conaway,H/Lagana,J Opioid antidotes-prov. EMT administer REF AHE  
AJR60 Wilson,G/Riley,C Native Plant Appreciation Mo.-desig June REF AAN  
AR87 Vainieri Huttel,V PANYNJ-NJ resid., discount toll plan REF ATR

**Concurrent Resolution Passed:**

An unnumbered Concurrent Resolution providing for the Legislature to hold a Joint Session for the purpose of receiving the Governor's Budget Message was adopted by voice vote.

**Co-Sponsors Added:**

A214 Aca (1R) (Pinkin,N) Mun court-clarify auth, suspend driv lic  
A535 (Fiocchi,S) Agric. driv. lic-reestab driv privileges  
A801 Aca (1R) (Pinkin,N) NJTA-study rest area rev generating svcs  
A810 (Pinkin,N) Vet org.-exemp nonprofit corp filing fee  
A1314 (Jimenez,A; Pinkin,N) Libraries-vol. income tax contrib.  
A1566 (Wilson,G) Summer pymt plan-each sch. dist. offer  
A2019 (Pinkin,N) Vet.-waive higher ed. application fees  
A2108 (Oliver,S) Drilling techniques, cert.-concerns  
ACR34 Aca (1R) (Munoz,N) Carbon monoxide detector-install in bldg  
ACR93 (Pinkin,N) Electronic smoking devices-regulate  
AR40 (Pinkin,N) Patient Prot, Affordable Care Act-grant  
AR79 (Johnson,G) Family Cord Blood Banking Act-Cong pass

**Second Prime Sponsors Added:**

A869 (Pinkin,N) Condos owners-disab. accomodation rights  
A2715 (Lagana,J) Higher Ed. Funding Formula Comm.

**Third Prime Sponsors Added:**

A186 (Munoz,N) Campaign fds.-keep detailed records  
A1314 (Jasey,M) Libraries-vol. income tax contrib.  
A1812 (Mazzeo,V) Lemon Law-extend prot. to farm equip.  
A1815 (Wimberly,B) Expungement Waiting Period Study Comm.  
A2728 (Singleton,T) Econ. Redevel Growth Grant Prog-deadline  
A2769 (Mazzeo,V) Med Exam Bd-conduct internat crim check

**Fourth Prime Sponsors Added:**

A2158 (Quijano,A) Auto insur. fraud prev. measures-estab.

**The Assembly adjourned at 6:01 P.M. to meet again on Thursday, February 27, 2014 (SESSION).**

**Bills Passed Both Houses/Sent To Governor:**

None

**Bills Signed Into Law Since Last Session (2/24/2014):**

None