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SENATE ACTION (QUORUM)

Nominations Reported from Committee:

TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT:

Andrea Carter Latimer, of Milltown.
John A. Jorgensen, II, of Colonia.
Pedro Jimenez, Jr., of Perth Amboy.

TO BE A WORKERS' COMPENSATION JUDGE:

Ingrid Lynn French, of Sicklerville.
Joseph Randall Corman, of Sayreville.

Bills Introduced:

S1497 Haines,P Domestic nonprofit corp., cert.-concerns REF SSG
S1498 Haines,P Assault against process servers-upgrades REF SJU
S1499 Singer,R MV accidents-concerns REF SLP
S1500 Cunningham,S Realty transfer fee, cert.-imposes REF SCU
S1501 Kean,S Text messaging, unsolicited ads-proh. REF SEG
S1503 Turner,S MV restricted use lic.-concerns REF SLP
S1504 Turner,S Sex offender, ADTC-clarifies prog. cred. REF SLP
S1505 Turner,S Pub. asst. admin. costs-St. req. to pay REF SHH
S1506 Turner,S Time-growth ordinances-auth mun adoption REF SCU
S1507 Turner,S Aggravated sexual assault-concerns REF SJU
S1508 Turner,S Police force-cardiac defibrillators req. REF SLP
S1509 Turner,S Tobacco vending machines-proh. REF SHH
S1510 Turner,S Snowmobile, all-terrain veh.-penal. REF STR
S1511 Turner,S Nannies-crim. background checks REF SLP
S1512 Turner,S Prescribing cert meds to minors-concerns REF SHH
S1513 Kean,T Domestic viol. victims-concerns REF SJU
S1514 Kean,T Postage-exempts cert. charges, sales tax REF SEG
S1515 Kean,T Pymts. in lieu of taxes-concerns REF SCU
S1516 Weinberg,L Animal cruelty-concerns REF SEG
S1517 Gordon,R/Weinberg,L Nursing homes-prev. of pressure ulcers REF SHH
SR50 Singer,R Rutgers vs. Tennessee game-investigate REF SED
SR51 Turner,S Farmland Tax Assessment Task Force-estab REF SEG
SR52 Turner,S Human & Pet Food Safety Act-Cong. pass REF SEG
SR53 Weinberg,L/Gordon,R St. of Israel-commem. 60th anniv. REF SSG

Bills Reported from Committee/Given 2nd Reading:

A1291 Stender,L+5 MV and traffic regulations-concerns REP
S98 Weinberg,L/Vitale,J+4 Adolescent Pregnancy Advis Council-appts REP
S222 Singer,R PERS-concerns accidental disab. benef. REP
S515 Sacco,N/Ciesla,A E-ZPass transponder-concern lost, stolen REP
S717 Smith,B Underground storage tanks-concerns REP

Bills Reported from Committee/Given 2nd Reading: (cont'd)

S924 Van Drew,J Coastal region-concerns REP
S1086 Madden,F/Van Drew,J MV and traffic regulations-concerns REP
S1164 Whelan,J/Beck,J+6 Hist. preserv. proj.;\$1.068M REP
S1166 Sca (1R) Smith,B Stormwater util. sys.-concerns REP/SCA
S1167 Bateman,C/Van Drew,J+2 Land-recreation & conserv. purpose;\$8.4M REP
S1168 Adler,J/Ciesla,A+2 Open space, park devel.;\$54.917M REP
S1264 Sca (1R) Turner,S Foreclosure Consulting & Anti-Fraud Act REP/SCA
S1331 Sca (1R) Vitale,J/Gordon,R+3 Horseshoe crabs-concerns REP/SCA
S1339 Scs (SCS) Whelan,J Mun. assets, valuable-concerns sales REP/SCS
S1362 Sca (1R) Sacco,N/Cunningham,S Bus and train svc. discont.-concerns REP/SCA
S1381 Sweeney,S/Kean,T Voting machines-concerns REP
S1390 Sca (1R) Van Drew,J Vessels, sunken or abandoned-concerns REP/SCA
S1393 Sarlo,P/Whelan,J Atlantic City Convention Ctr. -transfer REP
S1442 Scs (SCS) Codey,R/Kean,T Jt. Leg. Ethical Standard Comm.-memb. REP/SCS
S1463 Whelan,J/Girgenti,J Casinos-concerns continued operation REP
S1464 Scs (SCS) Whelan,J/Beck,J Casino complimentaries-concerns tax cred REP/SCS
SCR39 Lance,L/Lesniak,R+18 Debt Limitation Clause-voter approval REP
SCR85 Codey,R/Kean,T Leg. Code of Ethics-adopt permanent REP
SJR17 O'Toole,K+1 Korean Amer. Day-desig. Jan.13th each yr REP
SJR36 Singer,R/Weinberg,L+1 Jewish Heritage Mo.-desig. April REP

Bills Referred/SBA:

S222 Singer,R PERS-concerns accidental disab. benf.
S717 Smith,B Underground storage tanks-concerns
S1166 Sca (1R) Smith,B Stormwater util. sys. -concerns
S1393 Sarlo,P/Whelan,J Atlantic City Convention Ctr. -transfer
S1463 Whelan,J/Girgenti,J Casinos-concerns continued operation

Bills Withdrawn From The Files:

S376 Gill,N Election results-mandatory audits req. FROM SSG

Co-Sponsors Added:

S226 (Girgenti,J) Pub. Sch. Student Recess-study benefits
S865 (Weinberg,L) Mil. svc., cert-free hunting/fishing lic
S934 (Gordon,R) Patients in psych. fac.-concerns pymts.
S940/1001 Scs (SCS) (Gordon,R) Personal needs allowance-incr.
S1164 (Lance,L) Hist. preserv. proj.;\$1.068M
S1167 (Lance,L) Land-recreation & conserv. purpose;\$8.4M
S1168 (Lance,L) Open space, park devel.;\$54.917M
S1172 (Van Drew,J) Elected off.-proh. dual health coverage
S1312 (Ciesla,A) Aliens, unauth.-concerns emp.
S1331 Sca (1R) (Singer,R) Horseshoe crabs-concerns
SJR36 (Gill,N) Jewish Heritage Mo.-desig. April
SR41 (Van Drew,J) Flexibility, Reblgd. Amer Fisheries Act

Co-Prime Sponsors Added:

S558 (Van Drew,J) Length of svc. award-change cert. req.
S989 (Kean,T) Wheelchair securement-concerns use
S1082 (Van Drew,J) Parking-concerns
S1216 (Baroni,B) Sch. dist. emp., cert.-comp., leave benf
S1464 Scs (SCS) (Beck,J) Casino complimentaries-concerns tax cred

The Senate President has made the following appointments:

***Effective March 7, 2008**

Legislative Oversight Committee:

Senator Paul A. Sarlo, Chair (36)
Senator Nia H. Gill, Vice Chair (34)
Senator Raymond J. Lesniak (20)
Senator Gerald Cardinale (39)
Senator Joseph M. Kyrillos, Jr. (13)

The Senate adjourned at 5:15 P.M. to meet again on Monday, March 17, 2008 (SESSION, Select Committees at the Call of the Senate President).

ASSEMBLY ACTION (QUORUM)

Bills Introduced:

A2452 Roberts,J Jt. Leg. Ethical Standard Comm.-memb. REF ASG
A2471 Burzichelli,J/Stender,L Gross rev.deduct.-casino cert. REF ATG
A2472 Amodeo,J+1 Disab. vet., cert.-special lic. plates REF AMV
A2473 Rumpf,B/Amodeo,J Motor fuel-concerns posted price REF ATR
A2474 Rumana,S Motor fuel-concerns sale REF ACO
A2475 Rible,D St. Police Superintendent-concerns REF ALP
A2476 Rible,D Emerg. mgt. dept.-expands auth. REF ALP
A2477 Vas,J/Cruz-Perez,N Gift cert., cards-concerns REF ACO
A2478 O'Scanlon,D SHBP prescription drug plan-bulk purch. REF ASG
A2479 O'Scanlon,D SHBP-req. St. Auditor conduct audits REF ASG
A2480 Rooney,J Haz. substance, exposure-monitor health REF AEN
A2481 Van Pelt,D/Rumpf,B Vet. prop. tax exemp.-extends to co-op. REF AMV
A2482 Rumpf,B/Van Pelt,D Intoxicated emp.-prev. worker's comp. REF ALA
A2483 Rumpf,B/Van Pelt,D Electronic communication devices-concern REF AJU
A2484 Casagrande,C Corporal Philip A Reynolds Memor. Bridge REF ATR
A2485 Casagrande,C Petition to recall elected off.-concerns REF ASG
A2486 Greenstein,L Sch. bldgs.-req carbon monoxide detector REF AED
A2487 Cohen,N Adult stem cell research;\$30M REF AHE
A2488 Quigley,J Corrections off.-in-svc. training prog REF ALP
A2489 Quigley,J/Johnson,G DNA database-expands REF ALP
A2490 Diegnan,P/Conaway,H+1 Handgun ammunition-encode w/ serial no. REF ALP
A2491 Cryan,J Franchise Practices Act-concerns REF ACE
A2492 Chivukula,U High-volume, basic computing sys.-study REF ATU
A2493 Burzichelli,J/Milam,M Fair Debt Collection Practices Act REF ACO
A2494 Cruz-Perez,N Law enforcement, cert.-concerns appt. REF ALP
A2495 Roberts,J/DeCroce,A Gov. affairs agent-proh cert people serv REF ASG
ACR159 Roberts,J/Watson Coleman,B Leg. Code of Ethics-adopt permanent REF ASG
ACR163 Casagrande,C Petition to recall elected off.-concerns REF ASG
ACR164 Roberts,J/Quigley,J Gov. St. budget recommendations-concerns REF ASG

Bills Reported from Committee/Given 2nd Reading:

A210 Aca (1R) Johnson,G/Bramnick,J+2 US Park Police-concerns powers REP/ACA
A873 AcsAca (ACS/1R) Albano,N/Oliver,S+10 Family temp. disab. leave-prov. benf. REP/ACA
A1910 AcaAaAca (3R) McKeon,J Recycling tax-concerns REP
A1912 Fisher,D/Conaway,H+1 Land-recreation & conserv. purpose;\$33M REP
A2147 Aca (1R) Burzichelli,J Ticket sales-concerns REP/ACA
A2178 Aca (1R) Pou,N/Cohen,N Debts owed to courts, co., mun.-concern REP/ACA
A2231 Aca (1R) Cryan,J/Pou,N Organized Retail Theft Task Force-estab. REP/ACA
A2439 Aca (1R) Chivukula,U BPU-concerns cert. billing practices REP/ACA
A2452 Roberts,J Jt. Leg. Ethical Standard Comm.-memb. REP
A2471 Aca (1R) Burzichelli,J/Stender,L Gross rev.deduct.-casino cert. REP/ACA
A2495 Roberts,J/DeCroce,A Gov. affairs agent-proh cert people serv REP
ACR159 Roberts,J/Watson Coleman,B Leg. Code of Ethics-adopt permanent REP
ACR164 Roberts,J/Quigley,J Gov. St. budget recommendations-concerns REP
AJR65 Aca (1R) Albano,N/Burzichelli,J+3 Drunk Driv. Awareness Mo-Dec. of each yr REP/ACA

Bills Reported from Committee/Given 2nd Reading: (cont'd)

S786 ScaAca (2R) Sweeney,S/Buono,B+2 Family leave benef.-extends TDI REP/ACA
S795 Sarlo,P/Van Drew,J+10 Land-recreation & conserv. purpose;\$33M REP

Bills Reported Referred/AAP:

A1578 Aca (1R) Cohen,N/Greenstein,L+3 Pharmacy benef. mgmt. co.-reg. REP/ACA REF AAP
A2471 Burzichelli,J/Stender,L Gross rev.deduct.-casino cert. REP REF AAP

Co-Sponsors Added:

A260 (Greenwald,L; Merkt,R) Immunizations-concerns req.
A281 (Chiappone,A) Foreclosure Rescue Fraud Prev. Act
A752 (Chiappone,A) Adoptees-permits access to birth cert.
A770 (Schaer,G) PFRS-concerns accidental death benef.
A804 (Oliver,S) Compassionate Use Med. Marijuana Act
A1013 Aca (1R) (Evans,E) Vessels, cert.-req. liab. insur.
A1304 (Evans,E) St. parks-vol contrib, income tax return
A2012 Aca (1R) (Evans,E) Trespassers, cert.-clarifies penal.
A2089 (DeAngelo,W) Kyleigh's Law-revise provision driv. lic
A2259 (Diegnan,P) Devel disab.-concerns support svcs.
A2260 Aca (1R) (Giblin,T; Voss,J) Horseshoe crabs-impose moratorium
A2308 Aca (1R) (Polistina,V) Smoking, St.-owned fac.-concerns
A2450 (McHose,A) Personal info.-concerns security
ACR87 (McHose,A; Chiusano,G) Debt Limitation Clause-voter approval
ACR140 (Karrow,M) Hunting, fishing-preserve peoples' right
AJR80 (Diegnan,P) Eating Disorders Awareness Mo-desig Feb.

Second Prime Sponsors Added:

A844 Aca (1R) (Rooney,J) Energy, renewable-concern cert. contract
A1577 (Stender,L) Antifreeze and engine coolant-concerns
A2092 (Coutinho,A) Steroid use among students-deters
A2292 (Greenstein,L) Law Against Discrim.-makes changes
A2411 (McKeon,J) Stormwater util. sys.-concerns
A2467 (Bramnick,J) Diagnostic screenings, cert-req coverage
ACR55 (Doherty,M) Supreme Court-removes cert. power
ACR66 (Doherty,M) Atty. General off.-make elective

Third Prime Sponsors Added:

A346 (Evans,E) Magnetic resonance imaging-insur. cover
A1563 (Cryan,J) Stalking-concerns
A1577 (Voss,J) Antifreeze and engine coolant-concerns
A2086 (Stender,L) Health Claims Auth/Pymt Act-expand scope
A2183 (Watson Coleman,B) Nursing home resid.-religious diet req.
A2192 (Karrow,M) Vol. firefighters-\$5K income tax deduct.
A2446 (O'Scanlon,D) Elected off., cert-elim health care benef
A2450 (Chiappone,A) Personal info.-concerns security
ACR56 (Doherty,M) Marriage statute-clarify

Fourth Prime Sponsors Added:

ACR60 (Doherty,M) St. govt. operating expenses-estab cap.

Sixth Prime Sponsors Added:

A769 (Chiappone,A) Vet. civil svc. preference-expand elig.

Note to the 2/28/2008 Digest:

Bills Reported Referred/AAP:

A1772/1598 Acs (ACS) Watson Coleman,B Witness tampering-upgrades offense REP/ACS REF AAP *NOT* REP

The Assembly adjourned at 6:43 P.M. to meet again on Thursday, March 13, 2008 (SESSION).

Bills Passed Both Houses/Sent To Governor:

None

Bills Signed Into Law Since Last Session (03/06/08):

None