

# NEW JERSEY LEGISLATIVE DIGEST

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### SENATE ACTION (SESSION)

#### Nominations Advise and Consent:

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE ADVISORY COUNCIL ON ADOLESCENT PREGNANCY:

Suzanne P. Conrad, R.N., of Stone Harbor.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NEW JERSEY ADVISORY COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN:

Dianne Adele Mills McKay, of Mount Holly, to replace Gladys G. Saunders.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NEW JERSEY TURNPIKE AUTHORITY:

Nancy H. Becker, of Princeton.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE STATE EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING COMMISSION:

Brian D. McAndrew, Ed.D., of New Monmouth.

John J. Heldrich, of Highland Park.

#### Bills Introduced:

S987 Kyrillos,J/O'Connor,E Pub. contracts-concerns bids REF SBA  
S988 Sinagra,J Orthodontic bracket, cert-notify patient REF SHH  
S989 Littell,R/Kenny,B Rail Transit Tech.-create Leg. Comm. REF STR  
S990 Bassano,C/Kenny,B Suppl. Food Stamp Prog. Act REF SSV  
S991 Vitale,J/Inverso,P+19 SS checks-limits check casher charge REF SGB  
S992 Sinagra,J Rental estab.-req. to prov. cert. info. REF SCM  
S993 Littell,R/Inverso,P Higher ed. constr. proj.;\$4.532M REF SED  
S994 Singer,R/Bark,M Organ donor id.-auth. driver lic sticker REF SLP  
S995 Lipman,W Housing proj., cert.-extends tax exemp. REF SCU  
S996 Lipman,W Loc. Budget Dispute Resolution Bd.-estab REF SCU  
S997 Bassano,C/Codey,R+30 Song, St.: "I'm From NJ" REF SGB  
S998 Bassano,C Drug testing-standards & liab. REF SLP  
S999 Bassano,C Emerg. Svcs. Vol. Length, Svc Award Prog REF SCU  
S1000 Ciesla,A Electrical work-exemp. cert. permit req. REF SCM  
S1001 Ciesla,A Hairstylists lic. fees-pro rata basis REF SCM  
S1002 Kyrillos,J/Kenny,B Limited liab. co.-prog. grants REF SEG  
S1003 O'Connor,E+1 Mun. incinerator auth-exemp mv regis fee REF SLP  
S1004 Lipman,W Pub. Contract Oversight Off.-creates REF SGB  
S1005 Lipman,W/Allen,D St. contracts, subcontracts-prompt pymt. REF SGB  
S1006 Kyrillos,J/Littell,R Petroleum refinery prop-assess prop. tax REF SCU  
S1007 Gormley,W/Ciesla,A Coastal rules, cert-makes inoperative REF SEN  
S1008 Palaia,J Bds. of ed.-jt. self-insur. prog. REF SED  
SJR28 Vitale,J/Sinagra,J+1 Nat'l Organ Donor Awareness-3rd wk April REF SHH  
SJR29 Codey,R/Kenny,B+8 Abbott dist.-prov. thorough/efficient ed REF SED  
SR35 Bryant,W Nat'l Community Devel Wk-desig April 6-12 REF SCU  
SR36 Lipman,W/Turner,S+1 Seneca Falls Convention-150th anniv. REF SWF

**Bills Passed:**

S3 Aa (1R) DiFrancesco,D/Adler,J+46 Auto. Insur. Cost Reduction Act (21-11)  
SR17 Sca (1R) McNamara,H+4 Safe Drinking Water Wk-desig 1st wk, May (Voice)

**Bill Passed with Governor's Recommendations:**

S3 Aa w/GR (2R) DiFrancesco,D/Adler,J+46 Auto. Insur. Cost Reduction Act (31-4)

**Motions:**

S3 Aa w/GR (2R) DiFrancesco,D/Adler,J+46 Auto. Insur. Cost Reduction Act To Waive Rule 23:4 (33-2) (Bennett)

**Bills Returned Second Reading/Amended:**

S318 ScsSa (SCS/1R) Singer,R/Palaia,J New drivers-graduated driv. lic. sys. (33-0) (Martin)

**Bills Received from Assembly/Concurrence w/Assembly Amendments/Given Second Reading:**

S3 Aa (1R) DiFrancesco,D/Adler,J+46 Auto. Insur. Cost Reduction Act

**Bills Received from Governor/Conditional Veto:**

S3 Aa (1R) DiFrancesco,D/Adler,J+46 Auto. Insur. Cost Reduction Act

**Bills Transferred:**

A1653 Aca (1R) Kelly,J/Cohen,N+2 Health wellness exam.-health insur cover TRANS FROM SBA TO SHH

**Bills Withdrawn From The Files:**

S882 Ciesla,A Workers' comp-sole proprietorship elig. FROM SCM

**Co-Sponsors Added:**

S113 (Baer,B)  
S174 (Inverso,P; Lesniak,R; Lipman,W)  
S251/377/725/779 Scs (SCS) (O'Connor,E)  
S564 (Cardinale,G)  
S681 (Vitale,J)  
S701 (Vitale,J; O'Connor,E)  
S702 (Vitale,J)  
S711 (Baer,B)  
S715 (Baer,B)  
S722 (Singer,R)  
S835 (Sinagra,J)  
S886 (Sinagra,J)  
S891 (Kosco,L)  
S893 (Kosco,L)  
S894 (Kosco,L)  
S895 (Kosco,L)  
S966 (Allen,D)

**Co-Sponsors Added: (cont'd)**

S977 (Cafiero,J; Palaia,J; Cardinale,G; Bark,M; Martin,R; Kavanaugh,W; Kosco,L; Matheussen,J; Sinagra,J; Singer,R; Inverso,P; Connors,L; Robertson,N; Rice,R; Zane,R; Littell,R; Lesniak,R; Girgenti,J; Turner,S; O'Connor,E; Bucco,A; Kyrillos,J; Sacco,N; Kenny,B; Allen,D; Ciesla,A; Vitale,J; Lipman,W; Bennett,J; Lynch,J)  
S991 (Turner,S; Baer,B; Furnari,G; Bryant,W; Lynch,J; Sacco,N; Rice,R; O'Connor,E; Zane,R; Lesniak,R; Adler,J; Lipman,W; Kenny,B; Codey,R; Cardinale,G; Allen,D; Bassano,L; Bucco,A; Kyrillos,J)  
S1003 (Sacco,N)  
SJR 28 (Turner,S)  
SJR29 (Ciesla,A; O'Connor,E; Sacco,N; Girgenti,J; Bryant,W; Turner,S; Vitale,J)  
SR26 Sca (1R) (Lesniak,R)  
SR36 (Allen,D)

**Co-Prime Sponsors Added:**

S776 (Inverso,P)  
S892 (Ciesla,A)

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

**\*Effective April 22, 1998**

**New Jersey Human Relations Council**

**Senator Jack Sinagra (18)**

**Parole Advisory Board**

**Senator Louis F. Kosco (38)**

**The Senate adjourned at 10:00 P.M. to meet on Thursday, May 14, 1998 (QUORUM, Committee Groups "1" and "2" scheduled to meet).**

***ASSEMBLY ACTION***

**The Assembly did not meet. The Assembly will meet on Monday, May 4, 1998 (QUORUM, Committee Groups "A" and "B" scheduled to meet).**

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

S3 Aa (1R) DiFrancesco,D/Adler,J+46 Auto. Insur. Cost Reduction Act

**Bills Signed Into Law Since Last Session (4/20/98):**

P.L.1998, c.6. A1593 Aca (1R) Collins,J/Malone,J+7 4/21/98 Farmland preserv., soil conserv.;\$22.5M  
P.L.1998, c.7. A1594 Wright,B/Farragher,C+2 4/21/98 Farmland preservation proj.-central NJ  
P.L.1998, c.8. A1595 Myers,C/Biondi,P+5 4/21/98 Farmland preservation proj.-northern NJ  
P.L.1998, c.9. A750 Asselta,N/Gibson,J+5 4/21/98 Tall Ship, NJ;schooner AJ Meerwald;\$95K