

# ***NEW JERSEY LEGISLATIVE DIGEST***

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### ***SENATE ACTION (QUORUM)***

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

**TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT:**

Lee Bernard Laskin, of Cherry Hill.  
Michael Kassel, of Haddon.  
Robert G. Millenky, of Cherry Hill.

**TO BE A MEMBER OF THE ADVISORY BOARD ON CARNIVAL AMUSEMENT RIDE SAFETY:**

William H. Gehlhaus, Esq., of Atlantic Highlands, to replace William J. Erwin, resigned.

**TO BE A MEMBER OF THE ATHLETIC TRAINING ADVISORY COMMITTEE:**

Donald F. Kessler, of North Brunswick.  
William G. Hyncik, Jr., of Skillman.

**TO BE A MEMBER OF THE ATLANTIC CITY CONVENTION CENTER AUTHORITY:**

Rita Mack, of Linwood.

**TO BE A MEMBER OF THE ATLANTIC COUNTY BOARD OF TAXATION:**

Lucia M. McCabe, of Absecon.

**TO BE A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS:**

Thomas J. Demcsak, of Fair Haven, to replace Edward O'Hara.

**TO BE A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF THE HIGHER EDUCATION STUDENT ASSISTANCE AUTHORITY:**

Keith A. Green, of Hackettstown.

**TO BE A MEMBER OF THE BURLINGTON COUNTY BOARD OF TAXATION:**

George N. Nyikita, of Edgewater Park, to replace Peter H. Nelson, resigned.

**TO BE A MEMBER OF THE CAPE MAY COUNTY BOARD OF TAXATION:**

William R. Wilsey, of Petersburg.

**TO BE A MEMBER OF THE CATASTROPHIC ILLNESS IN CHILDREN RELIEF FUND COMMISSION:**

Janice Pronnicki, M.D., of Mountainside, to replace Sudha S. Parikh, resigned.  
Kelly Rosso Leight, Esq., of Short Hills, to replace Cynthia Povich, resigned.

**TO BE A MEMBER OF THE ESSEX COUNTY BOARD OF TAXATION:**

Joan Codey Durkin, of Maplewood.

**TO BE A MEMBER OF THE GOVERNOR'S COUNCIL ON ALCOHOLISM AND DRUG ABUSE:**

Robert A. Rodriguez, of Mount Laurel.  
John L. Gluck, of Pine Beach.  
Harry D. Morey, Jr., of Bayville, to replace Ragan T. Phillips, resigned.  
Joseph P. Miele, of Far Hills.

**Nominations Reported from Committee: (cont'd)**

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE HISTORIC SITES COUNCIL:

Michael C. Henry, of Greenwich.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE HUDSON COUNTY BOARD OF TAXATION:

O. Vincent Giusto, of Weehawken, to replace Frank M. Alonso.  
Robert G. Doria, of Bayonne.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE MARINE FISHERIES COUNCIL:

Gilbert H. Ewing, Jr., of Cape May.  
Gary Dickerson, of Brick.  
Edward L. Goldman, of Absecon.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE MEADOWLANDS CONSERVATION TRUST BOARD OF TRUSTEES:

Captain Bill Sheehan, of Secaucus.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE MEDICAL PRACTITIONER REVIEW PANEL:

Lawrence L. Livornese, M.D., of Martinsville.  
Jose Pinal, M.D., of Weehawken.  
Scott K. Seelagy, Esq., of Sparta, to replace Kathryn Philipp Ladd, resigned.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NEW JERSEY BUILDING AUTHORITY:

Prentis C. Nolan, Ph.D., of Bethlehem.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NEW JERSEY CEMETERY BOARD:

June Nikola, of Colts Neck.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NEW JERSEY CULTURAL TRUST BOARD OF TRUSTEES:

Judith W. Dawkins, of Rumson.  
Curtis J. Bashaw, of Cape May.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NEW JERSEY STATE MUSEUM BOARD OF TRUSTEES:

Marianne E. Rhodes, of Red Bank.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NEW JERSEY TOURISM ADVISORY COUNCIL:

John Manos, of Convent Station, to replace Timothy C. Mooney.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NEW JERSEY URBAN ENTERPRISE ZONE AUTHORITY:

Edward J. Trawinski, Esq., of Fair Lawn.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY ADVISORY COUNCIL:

Kristie Woods, of Hillsdale, to replace Laurie J. Kalb, resigned.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE PALISADES INTERSTATE PARK COMMISSION:

Malcolm Borg, of Englewood.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE POLICE AND FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF NEW JERSEY BOARD OF TRUSTEES:

Joseph M. Boucher, of North Bergen.  
Alan C. Levine, of Paterson, to replace Douglas G. Hoffman.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE RICHARD STOCKTON STATE COLLEGE-BOARD OF TRUSTEES:

Honorable Gerald Weinstein, J.C.S., of Margate.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE SALEM COUNTY BOARD OF TAXATION:

Joseph Davenport, of Salem.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE SOMERSET COUNTY BOARD OF TAXATION:

Elia A. Pelios, Esq., of Bridgewater, to replace Albert R. Palfy.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF HUMAN SERVICES:

Paul T. Jordan, M.D., of Monmouth Beach.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY:

Karen Wilk, of Wanaque.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL PLANNERS:

Daniel C. McSweeney, of Lakewood.

**Nominations Reported from Committee: (cont'd)**

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE STATE LIBRARY ADVISORY COUNCIL:  
Charles J. O'Dowd, Jr., of Bergenfield.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE STATE REAL ESTATE APPRAISER BOARD:  
Barry J. Krauser, of Denville.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE SUSSEX COUNTY BOARD OF TAXATION:  
Bernard (Bob) R. Mitchell, of Sparta.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE TIDELANDS RESOURCE COUNCIL:  
Jay A. Davidson, of Brick.  
Richard M. Hale, of Edison.  
William R. Parsons, of Delran.  
George J. Kimmerle, of Mendham Township, to replace Kenneth G. Messina, resigned.  
Mary Pat Robbie, of Marlton.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE UNION COUNTY BOARD OF TAXATION:  
Christine M. Nugent, Esq., of Westfield.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE VETERANS' SERVICES COUNCIL:  
Daniel Weiss, of Bricktown.  
Berley Hanna, Jr., of Somerset, to replace Juan M. Dominguez, Jr.  
Edward A. Kelly, Jr., of Mount Laurel.  
Michael H. Wysong, of New Egypt, to replace Paul J. Tuliano, resigned.  
Charles A. Carroll, of Toms River, to replace Harry W. Morecroft, deceased.  
Raymond L. Zawacki, of Fords.

TO BE A WORKERS' COMPENSATION JUDGE:  
Arnold Buddy Goldman, of Lakewood.

TO BE AN ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE:  
Richard F. Wells, of Haddon Heights.  
Mumtaz Bari Brown, of South Orange.  
Joseph F. Martone, of Toms River.

**Bills Introduced:**

S1762 Bucco,A Screen for Life, Morris Co.;\$75K REF SHH  
S1763 Rice,R Belleville, Essex Co.;\$500K REF SCU  
S1764 Connors,L SHBP-co, mun emp waive benf. coverage REF SSG  
S1765 Connors,L Pub. officials-prov retirement terms REF SSG  
S1766 O'Toole,K Bd of freeholders-concerns election REF SSG  
S1767 Bucco,A PFRS-concerns cert. elig. REF SSG  
S1768 Littell,R/Sinagra,J+1 St.-owned open space-exemp resid sale REF SSG  
S1771 Ciesla,A Tourette Syndrome Assn.;\$150K REF SHH  
S1772 Cafiero,J/Allen,D+6 PAAD-exclude cert fed income tax rebates REF SSV  
S1773 Sinagra,J Intra-fac. bed transfer-exemp. need cert REF SHH  
S1774 Bucco,A Red Cross NJT communication sys;\$75K REF STR  
S1775 Turner,S Neighborhood Community Ctrs;\$10M REF SCU  
S1776 Turner,S Death penal. imposition-place moratorium REF SJU  
S1777 Turner,S Police/Firefighter Home-buyer Assist Act REF SSG  
S1778 Inverso,P/Vitale,J Emp. leasing co. law-modifies REF SCM  
S1779 Martin,R Minor, cert. fds.-concerns deposits REF SJU  
S1780 Cafiero,J/Allen,D Women's Comm. Network-estab;\$80K REF SWF  
S1781 Singer,R Prop.-Liab Insur Guaranty Assn-operation REF SCM  
S1782 Bucco,A/Kosco,L+7 Italian/Amer Heritage Culture & Ed Comm. REF SSG  
S1783 Kosco,L/Cafiero,J Basic skills training-concerns REF SCM  
S1784 McNamara,H/Connors,L Driv. privileges abuse-restores penal. REF SLP  
S1786 Sinagra,J Mortgage arrears-concern actions REF SCM  
S1787 Matheussen,J Cultural proj, so NJ-concerns funding REF SED  
S1788 Matheussen,J/Zane,R Driving under influence-concerns REF SLP

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

S1789 Bennett,J Navy Seabee emblems-auth lic plate REF STR  
S1790 Kosco,L/Allen,D Civil svc. sys-concerns layoffs REF SSG  
S1791 Cafiero,J SCI-grants permanent status REF SJU  
S1794 Sinagra,J Pub. works pymt. bonds-concerns REF SSG  
SR114 Cafiero,J/Kosco,L Nat'l. Cancer Survivors Day-June 3 REF SHH

**Bills Reported from Committee/Given 2nd Reading:**

A1152 Garrett,E/Gregg,G+2 Pet trust fds.-recognize validity REP  
A1706 Aca (1R) Wisniewski,J Elevators, resid.-accommodate stretchers REP  
A2267 Bateman,C/Garcia,R+1 Underground storage tank fac.-liab. REP  
A2397 Aca (1R) Vandervalk,C/Rooney,J+4 Luring, enticing child-clarify provision REP  
A2454 Aca (1R) Carroll,M/Murphy,C+2 Affordable housing-concerns zoning REP w/o recommendation  
A2499 Collins,J/Asselta,N Delaware-New Jersey Compact-amends REP  
A3238 Aca (1R) Russo,D/Cohen,N Special Civil Part, cert. fees-clarifies REP  
A3366 Sca (1R) Biondi,P Devel., review applications-concerns REP/SCA w/o recommendation  
A3536 Holzapfel,J/Impeveduto,A Certified pub. accountant-modify lic req REP  
S415 Scs (SCS) Lynch,J Warehouseman-concerns liens REP/SCS  
S1009 Bassano,C/Cardinale,G Judicial memb-file finan disclosure stmt REP w/o recommendation  
S1099 Sca (1R) Singer,R Devel., review applications-concerns REP/SCA  
S1158 Cardinale,G Underground storage tank fac.-liab. REP  
S1267 Sca (1R) McNamara,H Flood prot. proj.-concerns participation REP/SCA  
S1408 Sca (1R) Martin,R Prof. lic. bd.-ability to prot. pub. REP/SCA  
S1564 Cafiero,J/Matheussen,J+1 Cosmetology and hairstyling-concerns REP  
S1752 Inverso,P/McNamara,H Farmland preserv proj-northern NJ;\$26.5M REP  
S1753 Zane,R/Cafiero,J Farmland preserv proj-southern NJ;\$10.6M REP  
S1754 Cafiero,J/Connors,L Farmland preserv.-pinelands;\$9M REP  
S1755 Zane,R/Bark,M Farmland preserv. purposes;\$12.886M REP  
S1756 Bennett,J/Singer,R Farmland preserv purposes;\$21.014M REP  
S1946 Sca (1R) Bucco,A Kennel definition-incl. guard dogs REP/SCA  
S1954 Scs (SCS) Cafiero,J/Matheussen,J Jury svc-persons 65 yrs or older excused REP/SCS  
S1960 Zane,R/Matheussen,J+1 Gloucester Co.-create 2 addl. judgeships REP  
S2005 Allen,D/DiFrancesco,D+7 Luring, enticing child-clarify provision REP  
S2061 Bucco,A/Cardinale,G Affordable housing-concerns zoning REP w/o recommendation  
S2087/2233 Scs (SCS) Kosco,L/Bennett,J+9 Sexual assault, cert-concern parole elig REP/SCS  
S2154 Robertson,N Pet trust fds.-recognize validity REP  
S2155 Kavanaugh,W/Lynch,J Judges, former-perform marriages REP  
S2200/2317 Scs (SCS) Rice,R Viol. crimes, housing auth. prop.-report REP/SCS  
S2243 Bennett,J/Palaia,J Vol. firefighter survivor-incr. pension REP  
S2320 Bennett,J Safety prof., cert.-proh. advertising REP  
S2324 Cardinale,G/Bennett,J+1 Special Civil Part, cert. fees-clarifies REP  
S2345 Scs (SCS) McNamara,H/Adler,J Env. cleanup laws-stature of limitations REP/SCS  
S2355 Singer,R/Inverso,P Consumer loans-concerns REP  
S2372 Sca (1R) Allen,D/Inverso,P Prop/casualty insur. refunds-10 bus days REP/SCA  
S2388 Littell,R Temp. disab. benef.-reciprocal agreements REP  
S2394 Sca (1R) Cardinale,G Earthquake insur., cert.-concerns REP/SCA  
S2396 Inverso,P Certified pub. accountant-modify lic req REP  
S2425 Sca (1R) Martin,R Arbitration procedures-concerns rules REP/SCA  
S2428 Sca (1R) Cardinale,G Insur. Producer Lic. Act of 2001 REP/SCA  
S2436 Sca (1R) Matheussen,J Small emp. health benef. purch. alliances REP/SCA  
S2445 Cafiero,J Park devel. proj.;\$12.789M REP  
SR100 Girgenti,J Great Falls Hist. Dist. Study Act, 2001 REP  
SR101 Bennett,J/Ciesla,A Hudson Riv. Superfund-supports REP  
SR109 Zane,R/Kosco,L West Nile Virus-expedite equine vaccine REP

**Bills Referred/SBA:**

S1752 Inverso,P/McNamara,H Farmland preserv proj-northern NJ;\$26.5M  
S1753 Zane,R/Cafiero,J Farmland preserv proj-southern NJ;\$10.6M  
S1754 Cafiero,J/Connors,L Farmland preserv.-pinelands;\$9M  
S1755 Zane,R/Bark,M Farmland preserv. purposes;\$12.886M  
S1756 Bennett,J/Singer,R Farmland preserv purposes;\$21.014M  
S1946 Sca (1R) Bucco,A Kennel definition-incl. guard dogs  
S1960 Zane,R/Matheussen,J+1 Gloucester Co.-create 2 addl. judgeships  
S2445 Cafiero,J Park devel. proj.;\$12.789M

**Bills Combined:**

S2233 Kosco,L/Allen,D+2 No Early Release Act-specifies crimes COMB/W S2087  
S2317 Turner,S Housing auth.-report cert. info. COMB/W S2200

**Bills Recommitted:**

A3241 AcaSca (2R) Malone,J/DeCroce,A+1 Graduated driv. lic.-concerns RCM SBA  
S2146 Sca (1R) Singer,R Graduated driv. lic.-concerns RCM SBA

**Bills Transferred:**

A3235 Aca (1R) DeCroce,A/Doria,J+2 Organ donor-estab. lic. plate FROM STR TO SLP

**Bills Withdrawn From The Files:**

S2426 Palaia,J/Allen,D Tax sale cert.-redeem, installment pymts FROM SCU

**Co-Sponsors Added:**

S1768 (Bennett,J)  
S1772 (Zane,R; Connors,L; Inverso,P; Ciesla,A; Matheussen,J; Martin,R)  
S1782 (Cardinale,G; Palaia,J; Sinagra,J; Inverso,P; Cafiero,J; Girgenti,J; Vitale,J)  
S2051 (Singer,R)  
S2341 (Bennett,J)

**Co-Prime Sponsors Added:**

S2243 (Palaia,J)  
S2247 (Palaia,J)  
S2345 Scs (SCS) (Adler,J)

**The Senate adjourned at 6:30 P.M. to meet on Thursday, June 14, 2001 (QUORUM, Committee Groups "3" and "4" scheduled to meet).**

***ASSEMBLY ACTION***

**The Assembly did not meet. The Assembly will meet on Thursday, June 14, 2001 (SESSION).**

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

None

**Bills Signed Into Law Since Last Session (06/07/01):**

None