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### SENATE ACTION (QUORUM)

#### Bills Introduced:

S1290 Vitale,J PFRS reemp. retirees-concerns memb. REF SSG  
S1291 Singer,R Liquefied petroleum gas invoice-concerns REF SCM  
S1292 Sweeney,S Unemp. benef.-incr. duration REF SLA  
S1293 Coniglio,J Haz. air pollutants-monitoring & control REF SEN  
S1294 Cardinale,G/Singer,R Cred union, St-chartered-exemp sales tax REF SCM  
S1295 Turner,S Telephone rate change-concerns REF SCM  
S1296 Furnari,G/Martin,R Sept. 11, 2001 Anti-Terrorism Act-create REF SJU  
S1297 Allen,D/McNamara,H Newark pumping station;\$500K REF SEN  
S1298 Allen,D/Matheussen,J+1 Water supply interconnection study;\$500K REF SEN  
S1299 Matheussen,J/Allen,D+1 Drought monitoring/telemetry sys.;\$950K REF SEN  
S1300 Matheussen,J/Allen,D+1 Drought Mgmt. Fd.-creates;\$2.1M REF SEN  
S1301 McNamara,H/Suliga,J Statewide Water Supply Plan-revisions REF SEN  
S1302 Matheussen,J/Inverso,P Firefighter certifications-elim. fees REF SLP  
S1303 Martin,R/Vitale,J Tuition Aid Grant prog.-expands REF SED  
S1304 Cardinale,G/Baer,B Cable television competition-concerns REF SCM  
S1305 Ciesla,A Learner driv permit, special-reduce rate REF SCM  
S1306 Suliga,J+1 Adult cardiac surgery svcs.-concerns REF SHH  
S1307 Suliga,J/Bagger,R+1 Judge, Appeals Court-perform marriages REF SJU  
S1308 Allen,D PERS, PFRS, TPAF-purch of mil. svc. cred REF SSG  
SJR28 Cardinale,G/Baer,B Encouraging Cable TV Competition Comm. REF SCM

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

S11 Sca (1R) Lesniak,R Health care benef., retired emp.-concerns REP/SCA  
S34 Littell,R/Buono,B+32 Bioterrorism preparedness;\$27.242M REP  
S57 Kavanaugh,W+5 SPRS-permits svc. cred. purchase REP  
S349 Bark,M Vet. students, lic. exam-concerns REP  
S701 Sca (1R) McNamara,H Contaminated sites-concerns REP/SCA  
S764 Sca (1R) Allen,D Prop/casualty insur. refunds-time limits REP/SCA  
S770 Sca (1R) Allen,D/Cardinale,G Internet pharmacies/prescriptions-reg. REP/SCA  
S804 Bark,M/Kavanaugh,W NJ Conflicts, Interest Law-incr. penal REP  
S889 Scs (SCS) Smith,B/McNamara,H Land preserv., cert.-concerns REP/SCS  
S933 Turner,S Credit unions-sell title insurance REP  
S981 Turner,S Dogs, cert.-mun. court find dangerous REP  
S999 Sca (1R) Turner,S St. officials, cert.-reside in NJ REP/SCA  
S1033 Cardinale,G/Singer,R Ophthalmic dispensers/tech-permit incorp REP  
S1108 Singer,R/Codey,R Sires Stakes Prog.-concerns elig. REP  
S1144 Sca (1R) Cardinale,G/Baer,B Insur. fds., jt.-req. exams REP/SCA  
SR21 Bucco,A Falun Gong-Peoples Repub, China-release REP  
SR46 Furnari,G Elections-Senate St. Govt. Comm. review REP

**Bills Referred/SBA:**

S11 Sca (1R) Lesniak,R Health care benf., retired emp.-concerns  
S57 Kavanaugh,W+5 SPRS-permits svc. cred. purchase  
S1144 Sca (1R) Cardinale,G/Baer,B Insur. fds., jt.-req. exams

**Co-Sponsors Added:**

S76 (Bucco,A)  
S1298 (McNamara,H)  
S1299 (McNamara,H)  
S1300 (McNamara,H)  
S1306 (Lesniak,R)  
S1307 (Smith,B)

**Co-Sponsors Withdrawn:**

S863 (Suliga,J)

**Co-Prime Sponsors Added:**

S603 (Sweeney,S)  
S729 (Singer,R)  
S863 (Suliga,J)  
S906 (McNamara,H)  
SR35 (Baer,B)

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

**\*Effective March 7, 2002**

**New Jersey Commission on Holocaust Education:**

**Martha Rich, of Short Hills, to replace Hela Young, deceased.**

**Council on Local Mandates:**

**Janet L. Whitman, of Summit.**

**Advisory Council to Promote the Profession of Nursing in New Jersey:**

**Dr. Phyllis Hansell, RN, of Montclair.**

**\*Effective March 11, 2002**

**The 225th Anniversary of the American Revolution Celebration Commission:**

**Senator Bernard F. Kenny, Jr. (33)**

**The Senate adjourned at 5:45 P.M. to meet on Thursday, March 14, 2002 (QUORUM, Committee Groups "1" and "2" scheduled to meet).**

**ASSEMBLY ACTION (QUORUM)**

**Bills Introduced:**

A1998 Smith,R/Van Drew,J Mil. svc., cert.-free St. park admission REF AAN  
A1999 O'Toole,K Internet pharmacies/prescriptions-reg. REF AHH  
A2011 Carroll,M Human embryos-regulates use REF AHH  
A2012 Carroll,M Taxable income brackets-indexes REF AAP  
A2013 Carroll,M Telecommute-corp. bus. tax cred. REF ACE  
A2014 Carroll,M+1 Handgun permit-revises procedures REF ALP  
A2015 Carroll,M+1 Ban on Trafficking in Baby Body Parts REF AHH  
A2016 Carroll,M Women's Right to Know Act REF AFW  
A2017 Carroll,M+1 Abortifacients-proh. Medicaid funding REF AHH  
A2018 Carroll,M Bill of Rights State-lic. plate desig. REF ATR  
A2019 Carroll,M Elections, cert.-changes date REF ASG  
A2020 Carroll,M Honorably discharged memb.-tax deduction REF AMV  
A2021 Carroll,M/Merkt,R Rt. 24-dedesig. portions REF ATR  
A2024 Cohen,N Sales tax holiday-estab. Aug 31/Nov 29 REF AAP  
A2025 Ahearn,M Attorney & expert witness fees-concerns REF AJU  
A2026 Doria,J/Caraballo,W Pub. util.-concerns distributions REF ATU  
A2027 Pennacchio,J/Cryan,J Vital records-concerns certified copies REF AHH  
A2028 Chivukula,U Rescue squads, vol-crim background check REF ALP  
A2029 Chivukula,U Firefighters-auth. background checks REF ALP  
A2030 Kean,T Historic Prop. Reinvestment Act REF ACE  
A2031 O'Toole,K Vol. fire/rescue personnel-emp. discrim. REF ALA  
A2032 O'Toole,K Assist living resid-background checks REF AHH  
A2033 O'Toole,K Crim. memorabilia profits-escrow account REF ALP  
A2034 O'Toole,K Home health aides-document patient abuse REF AHH  
A2035 O'Toole,K Police Superintendent-req. NJ resid. REF ALP  
A2036 O'Toole,K Defibrillators, portable-bus. tax cred. REF AHH  
A2037 Hackett,M Telephone dialing req.-concerns REF ATU  
A2038 Friscia,A Children's protective eyewear-concerns REF AHH  
A2039 Cohen,N/Imprevuduto,A MV inspection-concerns REF AEN  
A2040 Carroll,M Human cloning-proh. REF AHH  
A2041 DiGaetano,P/Thompson,S Youth cts.-resolve cert. complaints, juv REF AJU  
A2042 Doria,J/Imprevuduto,A Safety prof., cert.-proh. advertising REF ACO  
ACR86 Carroll,M+1 Abortion-Constit amend proh use of St fd REF AHH  
AR103 Conners,J/Conaway,H Retired vet w/svc. disab.-concerns comp. REF AMV  
AR104 O'Toole,K Mike Tyson-bar lic. to fight in NJ REF ASG  
AR105 Geist,G Medicare+Choice prog-enact legislation REF ASI  
AR106 Wisniewski,J E-ZPass-Asm Transp Committee investigate REF ATR  
AR107 Cottrell,M/Thompson,S Prescrip. drug under Medicare-enact leg. REF ASI

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

A282 Aca (1R) Gusciora,R/Vandervalk,C+6 EMT-cert. as EMT-Ds REP/ACA  
A289 Gusciora,R/Watson Coleman,B Airport Expansion Cit. Review Bds.-estab REP  
A361 Caraballo,W/O'Toole,K Right turn on red-optional REP  
A404 Aca (1R) Kean,T Great Swamp watershed area-concerns REP/ACA  
A415 Aca (1R) Kean,T/Merkt,R Bd. of elections-expands elig. age REP/ACA  
A510 Aca (1R) Cohen,N Civil Rights Act-estab. REP/ACA  
A564 Aca (1R) Imprevuduto,A Leased veh.-concerns cert. lic. plates REP/ACA  
A704 Aca (1R) Weinberg,L/Pou,N+1 Minority, female set-aside contract-req. REP/ACA  
A751 Cottrell,M/Vandervalk,C Work First NJ Prog.-concerns elig. REP  
A793 Aca (1R) Blee,F/D'Amato,P Pinelands Area-timed growth ordinance REP/ACA  
A911 Aca (1R) Cohen,N+2 Sept. 11, 2001 Anti-Terrorism Act-create REP/ACA  
A1586 Gregg,G/Green,J Dog, dangerous-proh. debarking REP  
A1753 Weinberg,L/Caraballo,W+2 Marriage lic. applications-concerns REP  
A1883 Imprevuduto,A/Doria,J Sch. dist.-purch. prop. w/surplus fds. REP  
A1943 Roberts,J/Cruz-Perez,N Water allocation-concerns REP  
A1944 Cruz-Perez,N Focus on Literacy-NJ-voluntary contrib. REP  
A1957 Ahearn,M/Conners,J Vet. prop. tax-permits retro. pymts. REP  
A1958 Cohen,N Loc. improvement liens-concerns REP  
A1980 Aca (1R) Roberts,J/Stanley,C Police & FF convention leave-modify prov REP/ACA  
A1997 Acs (ACS) Gusciora,R/Chivukula,U Land preserv., cert.-concerns REP/ACS  
A2022 Aca (1R) Van Drew,J/Smith,R Zoo emp.-concerns firearm possession REP/ACA  
AR22 Smith,R/Van Drew,J Aquaculture-incr. investment REP

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

AR46 Aca (1R) Corodemus,S Port Auth-annual report security measure REP/ACA  
AR86 Ahearn,M/Conners,J Montgomery GI Bill-amend ed. asst. prov. REP  
AR93 Ahearn,M Ramapo River Watershed-Gov preserve/prot REP  
AR97 Weinberg,L/Quigley,J+8 Women's Hist. Month-desig. March 2002 REP  
AR101 Aca (1R) Gusciora,R/Myers,C Asm Water Supply/Drought Emerg Leg Panel REP/ACA  
AR102 Gusciora,R/Myers,C Fed. Clean Air Act req.-not weaken REP  
AR103 Conners,J/Conaway,H Retired vet w/svc. disab.-concerns comp. REP

**Bills Reported Referred/AAP:**

A51 Aca (1R) Smith,T St. contracts, subcontracts-prompt pymt. REP/ACA REF AAP  
A407 Aca (1R) Green,J/Kean,T+1 St. aid reimb., cert. sch. dist-concerns REP/ACA REF AAP  
A557 Impreveduto,A RR lines-NJT devel. emerg. plan REP REF AAP  
A1199/1742 Acs (ACS) Payne,W Youth recreational fac.-proh. hwy. ramps REP/ACS REF AAP  
A1867 Steele,A/Merkt,R Nonprofit org.-participate St. contracts REP REF AAP  
A1926 Aca (1R) Egan,J/Malone,J+31 Pub. works contracts-concerns labor org. REP/ACA REF AAP  
A1929 Egan,J/Sarlo,P+2 Pub. safety worker-concerns cert. comp. REP REF AAP

**Bills Received from Senate/Without Reference/Given Second Reading:**

S15 Sca (1R) Adler,J Second Injury Fd. surcharges-concerns  
S17 Sca (1R) Codey,R St. disability benf fd-concerns withdraw  
S19 Sca (1R) Vitale,J/Buono,B Hosp. charity care funding-concerns

**Bills Received from Senate/Referred to Committee:**

S97 Sca (1R) Singer,R/Bark,M+1 Disab. vet. emblem-auth. lic. plate REF AMV  
S109 Sca (1R) Bennett,J/Palaia,J Local Bond Law-revises REF AHO  
S161 Bagger,R/Allen,D Social worker emp by hospices-definition REF AHH  
S227 Connors,L/Allen,D+1 Distinguished Flying Cross-lic. plate REF ATR  
S229 Connors,L/McNamara,H+1 Distinguished svc. medal-auth lic. plate REF AMV  
S239 Suliga,J+2 Toll rd auth-inform motorist, towing fee REF ATR  
S377 Sca (1R) Sacco,N+1 Commercial delivery veh-rear mirrors req REF ATR  
S432 Sca (1R) Bryant,W/Furnari,G+7 Flight instruction-background checks REF ATR  
S501 Vitale,J/McNamara,H+1 Water resources preserv-concerns funding REF AEN  
S533 Sa (1R) James,S Water/wastewater treatment svcs-concerns REF AEN  
S817 Girgenti,J Crim. memorabilia profits-escrow account REF ALP  
S1086 Sca (1R) Cardinale,G+1 Worship fac. prop.-tax exemp. status REF AHO  
S1087 Sca (1R) Cardinale,G/Inverso,P Homeowners' insur. policies-concerns REF ABI  
S1097 Sca (1R) Cardinale,G Earthquake insur.-concerns endorsements REF ABI  
S1139 Sca (1R) Codey,R/Singer,R United We Stand-estab. lic. plate REF ATR  
SJR18 Sca (1R) Connors,L Prop. Assessment Study Comm.-creates REF AHO

**Bills Combined:**

A1742 Stanley,C Entry/exit ramps study-safety hazards COMB/W A1199

**Bills Withdrawn From The Files:**

A132 Cruz-Perez,N/Conaway,H+1 Prescription med-concerns insur coverage FROM ABI  
A818 Conaway,H/Conners,J Domestic viol., child present-incr penal FROM AJU

**Co-Sponsors Added:**

A101 (Blee,F)  
A120 (Thompson,S)  
A131 (Johnson,G)  
A214 Aca (1R) (Egan,J)  
A275 (Steele,A)

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

A387 Acs (ACS) (Ahearn,M)  
A573 (Egan,J; Biondi,P)  
A700 (Conners,J; Conaway,H)  
A710 (Geist,G)  
A801 (Blee,F; D'Amato,P)  
A852 (Guear,G)  
A887 (Wolfe,D)  
A911 Aca (1R) (Bodine,F; Conners,J)  
A1078 (Doherty,M)  
A1081 (Doherty,M)  
A1085 (Doherty,M)  
A1317 (Perez-Cinciarelli,E; Hackett,M; Green,J; Steele,A; Cruz-Perez,N; Friscia,A)  
A1551 (Geist,G)  
A1655 (Ahearn,M)  
A1662 (Ahearn,M)  
A1717 (Ahearn,M)  
A1719 (Doherty,M)  
A1721 (Doherty,M)  
A1735 (Guear,G)  
A1745 (Sarlo,P)  
A1778 (Johnson,G)  
A1926 Aca (1R) (Cruz-Perez,N; Smith,R)  
A1929 (Smith,R; Friscia,A)  
A1936 (Doherty,M)  
A1941 (Doherty,M)  
A1947 (Thompson,S)  
A1955 (Chivukula,U; Gusciora,R; Cruz-Perez,N; Fraguela,R)  
A2008 Aca (1R) (Guear,G)  
A2014 (Doherty,M)  
A2015 (Doherty,M)  
A2017 (Doherty,M)  
ACR82 (Doherty,M)  
AJR26 (Doherty,M)  
AR89 (Ahearn,M)

**Co-Sponsors Withdrawn:**

A287 (Weinberg,L)  
A479 (DeCroce,A)  
A1926 Aca (1R) (Moran,J)

**Second Prime Sponsors Added:**

A101 (D'Amato,P)  
A104 (Cruz-Perez,N)  
A206 (Roberts,J)  
A277 (Steele,A)  
A287 (Weinberg,L)  
A542 Aca (1R) (Ahearn,M)  
A543 (Ahearn,M)  
A1172 (Johnson,G)  
A1317 (Chivukula,U)  
A1320 (Friscia,A)  
A1510 Aca (1R) (Steele,A)  
A1620 (Weinberg,L)  
A1623 (Steele,A)  
A1624 (Steele,A)  
A1702 (Steele,A)  
A1929 (Sarlo,P)  
A1995 (Thompson,S)  
A1997 Acs (ACS) (Chivukula,U)  
ACR83 Aca (1R) (Fraguela,R)  
ACR84 Aca (1R) (Burzichelli,J)  
AR22 (Van Drew,J)  
AR101 Aca (1R) (Myers,C)  
AR102 (Myers,C)

**The Assembly Speaker has made the following appointments:**

**\*Effective March 8, 2002**

**State Commission of Investigation:**

**Joseph R. Mariniello, Jr., of Ridgewood.**

**\*Effective March 11, 2002**

**Legislative Services Commission:**

**Assemblyman Albio Sires (33)**

**Assemblyman Joseph J. Roberts, Jr. (5)**

**Assemblyman Joseph V. Doria, Jr. (31)**

**Assemblywoman Loretta Weinberg (37)**

**State House Commission:**

**Assemblyman Anthony Impreveduto (32)**

**Law Revision Commission:**

**Albert Burstein, of Hackensack.**

**Notes to the February 4, 2002 Legislative Digest:**

**Bills Reported Referred/AAP:**

A1510 Aca (1R) Doria,J SHBP-co. offer incentive, waive coverage \*NOT\* REP

**Notes to the March 4, 2002 Legislative Digest:**

**Bills Introduced without Reference:**

AR99 Ahearn,M/Fisher,D Natl Prof Social Work Mo.-March, 2002 \*NOT\* REF AFW

**Bills Reported Referred/AAP:**

A1506 Doria,J Pregnant women w/HIV-prenatal care info. \*NOT\* REP

**The Assembly adjourned at 7:10 P.M. to meet on Thursday, March 14, 2002 (SESSION).**

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

None

**Bills Signed Into Law Since Last Session (3/7/2002):**

None