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Stephen Altamuro was sworn in as a member of the General Assembly for the 4th Legislative District.

SENATE ACTION

The Senate did not meet. The Senate will meet on Monday, June 9, 2003 (QUORUM, Committee Groups "1" and "2" scheduled to meet).

ASSEMBLY ACTION (QUORUM)

Bills Introduced:

A3678 Pou,N/Barnes,P+1 Crim. hist. background checks-concerns REF ALP
A3679 Friscia,A Job discrim., proh.-cert. reasons REF ALA
A3680 Friscia,A Paid time off from work-min. standards REF ALA
A3681 Wisniewski,J/Van Drew,J Tobacco vending machine-minors' access REF AHH
A3682 Previte,M Sch. dist. budgets-concerns REF AED
A3683 Previte,M Sch. dist. budgets-concerns REF AED
A3684 Carroll,M/Holzzapfel,J+2 Locksmiths, mv dealers-concerns REF ALP
A3685 Greenwald,L/Guear,G Sch. bd. travel expense-concerns REF AED
A3686 Watson Coleman,B Nursing Home Quality of Care Fd. Act REF ABU
A3687 Chivukula,U/Egan,J Nursing degree prog-foreign med sch grad REF AED
A3688 Heck,R/Azzolina,J Charitable contrib.-info. in internet REF ACO
A3689 Gusciora,R/Chivukula,U Contaminated site-remediation asst. REF AEN
A3690 Dancer,R/Malone,J+4 Mil. leave benef.-penal. for denial REF AMV
A3691 Van Drew,J Vulnerable adults, abuse-req. reporting REF ASI
A3692 Stanley,C+1 Alzheimer's disease-fac. prov. training REF ASI
A3693 Smith,R Finan. instit.-proh. discrim., mil. svc. REF ABI
A3694 Stanley,C+1 Alzheimer's disease-fac. list svcs. REF ASI
A3695 Smith,R Marine fisheries prog-voluntary contrib. REF AAP
A3696 Imprevuduto,A/Doria,J Respiratory Care Pract. Lic. Act-revise REF ARP
A3697 Greenstein,L Emerg. svcs. volunteer, cert.-immunity REF AJU
A3698 McKeon,J Tuition prog.-allow tax deduction REF AED
A3699 McKeon,J Mun. lic. prof., small mun.-share svcs. REF AHO
A3726 McKeon,J Alco. beverage lic.-concerns REF ALP
A3727 Malone,J/Dancer,R Homeless students-limit transp. costs REF AED
A3728 McKeon,J Sch. dist., small-share superintendents REF AED
A3729 Vandervalk,C/Cohen,N Individual deferred annuities-concerns REF ABI
A3730 Vandervalk,C/Cohen,N Life insur policies-concerns replacement REF ABI
A3731 Van Drew,J TPAF vet. retir.-paid health benef. REF ASG
A3732 Previte,M Motorists passing other mvs-concerns REF ALP
A3733 Azzolina,J/Bramnick,J Consumer reporting agencies-concerns REF ACO
A3734 Van Drew,J Drunk driv. w/ minor-incr. penal. REF ALP
A3735 Bodine,F/Carroll,M+16 Hist. preserv. projects, cert.;\$6.036M REF AAN
A3736 Heck,R Hist. preserv. projects, cert.;\$5.291M REF AAN
A3737 McKeon,J Land surveying-concerns practice REF ARP
A3738 Doria,J/Perez-Cinciarelli,E Kindergarten prog. in pub. sch.-concerns REF AED
A3739 Johnson,G/Weinberg,L+5 Equity in Ed. Prog.-estab. in DOE REF ABU

Bills Introduced: (cont'd)

A3740 Holzapfel,J Jughandles-proh. addl. on rd. or hwy. REF ATR
A3741 Greenstein,L Parolees-concerns conditions REF AJU
A3742 Van Drew,J/Perez-Cinciarelli,E+1 False Claims Act-estab. REF AJU
A3743 Weinberg,L/Watson Coleman,B Family Equality Act REF AHH
A3744 Conover,K/Blee,F Sch. equip.-concerns sharing REF AED
A3745 Scalera,F/Van Drew,J+1 Charitable org., cert.-concerns REF ACO
A3746 Sires,A/Impeveduto,A Env. infrastructure proj.-approp. fds. REF AEN
A3747 Green,J/Pou,N Env. infrastructure proj.-concerns loans REF AEN
A3748 Conaway,H/Scalera,F Temp disab. benf-emp notification req. REF ALA
ACR181 Roberts,J/Impeveduto,A Legislative Code of Ethics, 2002-adopts REF ASG
ACR182 Gusciora,R/Quigley,J Env. Infrastructure Trust-FY 2004 plan REF AEN
AR308 Caraballo,W/Van Drew,J Motor Sports Assembly Task Force-creates REF ATG
AR309 Fisher,D/Chivukula,U Sci. and Tech. Comm.-suppl. approp. REF ACE

Bills Reported from Committee/Given 2nd Reading:

A2764 Aca (1R) Chatzidakis,L+2 Wood, arsenic-treated-proh. St. purch. REP/ACA
A3029 Kean,S/Wolfe,D Explosive devices-proh. sch. emp. handle REP
A3151/3560 Acs (ACS) Caraballo,W/Burzichelli,J Elections admin.-concerns REP/ACS
A3217 Aca (1R) Bateman,C/Altamuro,S Co. coll.-concerns bd. of trustees REP/ACA
A3301 Greenstein,L/Johnson,G Bail-concerns sufficiency hearings REP
A3331 Aca (1R) Diegnan,P/Doria,J+5 Teacher certification-concerns REP/ACA
A3344 Wolfe,D/Holzapfel,J+1 Blueberry, highbush-desig. as St. fruit REP
A3389 Stender,L/Conners,J St-owned vet resid fac.-sales tax exemp. REP
A3503 Doria,J/Perez-Cinciarelli,E+4 Solid waste mgmt.-concerns REP
A3529 Aca (1R) Greenstein,L/Guear,G Telephone/electronic mail-concerns REP/ACA
A3533 Dancer,R/Malone,J+1 Distinguished svc. medal-clarifies req. REP
A3542 Greenstein,L/Diegnan,P Uniform Mediation Act-enacts REP
A3557 Greenwald,L Sch. photographers-concerns REP
A3620 Caraballo,W/Watson Coleman,B Cross burning-concerns REP
A3648 Aca (1R) Gusciora,R Standard Industrial Class. Sys.-replace REP/ACA
A3666 Aca (1R) Stender,L/Sarlo,P+3 Equivalency or waiver-Ed. Comm. approve REP/ACA
A3748 Conaway,H/Scalera,F Temp disab. benf-emp notification req. REP
ACR134 Cryan,J/Conners,J+12 Pearl Harbor Mem.-create REP
AR222 Vandervalk,C+1 Mental health court pilot prog.-estab. REP
AR303 Friscia,A/Guear,G Fair Labor Standards Acts-concerns REP
S357 Kenny,B/Charles,J+1 Retir sys, cert cities-changes loan rate REP
S493 Vitale,J/Matheussen,J+4 St-owned vet resid fac.-sales tax exemp. REP
S1322 Scs (SCS) Bryant,W Bail-concerns sufficiency hearings REP
S1750 Codey,R Criminal Code provisions-amends REP
S1868 ScaSaAca (3R) Cafiero,J/Matheussen,J+30 Drunk driv.-enact ordinance REP/ACA

Bills Reported Referred/AAP:

A2817 Aca (1R) Van Drew,J Vets' org. posts-rehab.;\$300K REP/ACA REF AAP
A2826 Aca (1R) Smith,R/Van Drew,J Mercury advis.-notify pregnant women REP/ACA REF AAP
A3343/1982 Acs (ACS) Conners,J/Conaway,H PERS, TPAF-concerns vet memb benf REP/ACS REF AAP
S1202 ScaAca (2R) Buono,B+4 Mercury advis.-notify pregnant women REP/ACA REF AAP
S1947 ScaAca (2R) Martin,R/Palaia,J+1 Pupils, teachers-wear protective devices REP/ACA REF AAP

Bills Reported Referred/ABU:

A3689 Aca (1R) Gusciora,R/Chivukula,U Contaminated site-remediation asst. REP/ACA REF ABU
A3746 Sires,A/Impeveduto,A Env. infrastructure proj.-approp. fds. REP REF ABU
A3747 Green,J/Pou,N Env. infrastructure proj.-concerns loans REP REF ABU
ACR182 Gusciora,R/Quigley,J Env. Infrastructure Trust-FY 2004 plan REP REF ABU

Bills Combined:

A1982 Asselta,N/Steele,A TPAF, PERS retir-highest benf year based COMB/W A3343 (ACS)
A3560 Greenstein,L Help Amer. Vote Act-conforms;\$4.350M COMB/W A3151 (ACS)

Bills Transferred:

A540 Aca (1R) Roberts,J/Geist,G+19 Prop. tax reform-St. constit. convention FROM AAP TO ABU
A3334 Roberts,J/Cruz-Perez,N Mun. rehab.-econ. devel. incentives FROM AHO TO ABU
A3577 Fisher,D/Burzichelli,J Toxic Catastrophe Prev. Act-amends FROM AEN TO AHS
A3578 Burzichelli,J/Fisher,D Hydrogen fluoride, concentrated-proh use FROM AEN TO AHS
A3579 Burzichelli,J/Fisher,D Contractors-concerns background checks FROM ALA TO AHS
A3587 Fisher,D/Burzichelli,J Nuclear plant security-possess firearms FROM ALP TO AHS
A3621 Weinberg,L Individual Health Coverage Prog.-concern FROM ABI TO AHH
S1750 Codey,R Criminal Code provisions-amends FROM AJU TO ASG
S1868 ScaSaAca (3R) Cafiero,J/Matheussen,J+30 Drunk driv.-enact ordinance FROM ALP TO AJU

Concurrent Resolutions Placed On Desk:

ACR169 Cryan,J/Greenwald,L+2 Garden St Preserv Trust-incr bonding cap

Bills Received from Senate/Concurrence w/Governor's Recommendation/Given Second Reading:

S418 w/GR (1R) Bryant,W/Littell,R+2 Home repair finan. contract-concerns
S571 Scs w/GR (SCS/1R) Codey,R/Vitale,J+3 Health Care Consumer Info. Act

Bills Received from Senate/Concurrence w/Senate Amendments/Given Second Reading:

A2617 AcaAcaSca (3R) Johnson,G/Conaway,H+22 DNA testing-concerns
A3226/3290 AcsScaSa (ACS/2R) Burzichelli,J/Guear,G+17 Id theft-upgrade penal.

Bills Received from Senate/Referred to Committee:

S513 Martin,R/Allen,D+2 Coll. bd. of trustees-req. layoff notice REF AED
S581 Sca (1R) Codey,R/Kyrillos,J+1 Crane operators, cert.-prov. licensure REF ARP
S1453 Sca (1R) Connors,L/Sweeney,S+1 Nuclear plant guards-possess firearms REF AHS
S1647 ScaSa (2R) Bucco,A/Palaia,J+2 Managed care plans-pymt. of svcs. REF ABI
S1787 Sca (1R) Vitale,J+1 Sch. buses-concerns REF ATR
S1891 ScaSa (2R) Bennett,J/Singer,R+4 Vaccinations-concerns REF AHH
S2126 Sca (1R) Bark,M/Fumari,G Energy Star products-req. St. to purch. REF ASG
S2336 Sca (1R) Bryant,W/Bark,M Mun. rehab.-econ. devel. incentives REF ABU
S2397 Buono,B/Turner,S Outstanding Ed Svc Prof-Gov Annual Award REF AED

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

S2360 ScaSa (2R) Palaia,J/Inverso,P+2 American flag-concerns pub. display

Co-Sponsors Added:

A403 Aca (1R) (Bateman,C)
A2883 Aca (1R) (Pennacchio,J)
A2932 (Wolfe,D)
A2949 Aca (1R) (Diegnan,P)
A3289 (Diegnan,P)
A3291 (Chivukula,U)
A3462 (Arnone,M)
A3473 (Stender,L)
A3547 (Stender,L)
A3692 (Van Drew,J)
A3694 (Van Drew,J)
ACR161 (Bateman,C; Connors,J)

Second Prime Sponsors Added:

A779 (Conover,K)

Second Prime Sponsors Added: (cont'd)

A780 (Conover,K)
A781 (Conover,K)
A785 (Conover,K)
A786 (Conover,K)
A791 (Conover,K)
A792 (Conover,K)
A793 Aca (1R) (Conover,K)
A795 (Conover,K)
A797 (Conover,K)
A889 (Conover,K)
A1697 (Conover,K)
A1893 Sca (1R) (Conover,K)
A1994 (Blee,F)
A2324 (Conover,K)
A2347 (Van Drew,J)
A2353 (Conover,K)
A2886 (Conover,K)
A2979 (Conover,K)
A3045 (Conover,K)
A3181 (Conover,K)
A3182 (Conover,K)
A3217 Aca (1R) (Altamuro,S)
A3542 (Diegnan,P)
A3544 (Blee,F)
A3559 (Merkt,R)
A3586 (Barnes,P)

Third Prime Sponsors Added:

A277 (Gear,G)
A3217 Aca (1R) (Malone,J)
A3331 Aca (1R) (Malone,J)
A3432 Aca (1R) (Scalera,F)
A3559 (Diegnan,P)
A3689 (Myers,C)
A3747 (Gusciora,R)

Fourth Prime Sponsors Added:

A3746 (Gusciora,R)

The Assembly Speaker has made the following appointments:

***Effective May 28, 2003**

New Jersey Collaborating Center for Nursing Board:

Kathi Kendall Sengin, RN, PhD, CNAA, of Princeton.

***Effective May 29, 2003**

New Jersey Collaborating Center for Nursing Board:

Marianne Duffy, MA, RN, CNAA, BC, of Morganville.

Constance M. Wilson, of Trenton.

Rosemary Capelli, MA, RN, of Hamilton.

The Assembly Speaker has made the following appointments: (cont'd)

***Effective May 29, 2003**

Council on Local Mandates:

Sam Crane, of Pennington.

***Effective June 5, 2003**

Assembly Appropriations Committee:

Assemblyman Frederick Scalera (36), to replace Assemblyman Paul Sarlo (36), resigned.

Assembly Consumer Affairs Committee:

Assemblyman Frederick Scalera (36), to replace Assemblyman Jeff Van Drew (1).

Assembly Tourism and Gaming Committee:

Assemblyman Jeff Van Drew (1), to replace Assemblyman Gary Guear (14), as Chairman.

Assemblyman Robert Smith (4), to replace Assemblyman Gary Guear (14).

Assemblywoman Linda Stender (22), to replace Assemblyman Jeff Van Drew (1), as Vice-Chairman.

Assembly Labor Committee:

Assemblyman Joseph Egan (17), to replace Assemblyman Paul Sarlo (36), resigned as Vice-Chairman.

Assemblyman Gary Guear (14), to replace Assemblyman Paul Sarlo (36), resigned.

Note to the March 6, 2003 Legislative Digest:

Bills Reported from Committee/Given 2nd Reading:

A2905 Acs (ACS) Greenstein,L/Merkt,R+1 Wills and estates-revises REP/ACS *NOT* REF AAP

The Assembly adjourned at 7:25 P.M. to meet on Monday, June 9, 2003 (QUORUM, Committees at the call of the Speaker).

Bills Passed Both Houses/Sent To Governor:

None

Bills Signed Into Law Since Last Session (5/29/2003):

P.L.2003, c.80. S2117 Inverso,P/Bennett,J+11 06/02/2003 Farmland preserv. purposes;\$28.82M
P.L.2003, c.81. S2118 Matheussen,J/Lance,L+15 06/02/2003 Farmland preserv. purposes;\$18.725M
P.L.2003, c.82. S2127 Turner,S/Buono,B+3 06/02/2003 Farmland preserv. purposes;\$11.118M
P.L.2003, c.83. S2128 Sweeney,S/Burzichelli,J+3 06/02/2003 Farmland preserv. purposes;\$14.548M