

# ***NEW JERSEY LEGISLATIVE DIGEST***

*for March 20, 2006*

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### ***SENATE ACTION (SESSION)***

#### **Nominations Advise and Consent:**

TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT:

Roberto Alcazar, of Elizabeth.

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

Robert Campbell, Sr., of Mays Landing.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MEDICINE AND DENTISTRY OF NEW JERSEY - BOARD OF TRUSTEES:

Oliver B. Quinn, Esq., of Plainfield, to replace Christopher Paladino, resigned.

Robert J. Del Tufo, Esq., of Princeton, to replace Sonia Delgado, resigned.

TO BE COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND INSURANCE:

Steven M. Goldman, Esq., of Woodcliff Lake, to replace Holly Bakke, resigned.

#### **Nominations Received and Referred to SJU:**

TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT:

Robert Wilson, of Ramsey.

Sebastian Gaeta, Jr., of Glen Rock.

Walter Marshall, Jr., of Pitman.

Lorraine Pullen, of Piscataway.

Wendel Daniels, of Jackson.

Nancy Sivilli, of West Orange.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE DELAWARE RIVER AND BAY AUTHORITY:

Niels Favre, of Cape May City.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE MEADOWLANDS TRANSPORTATION PLANNING BOARD:

Mark Longo, of Bergenfield.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NEW JERSEY BUILDING AUTHORITY:

Richard D. Loccke, of Hackensack, to replace Gerald Della Salla, resigned.

TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NEW JERSEY COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION:

Lawrence M. Downes, of Princeton Junction, to replace Francis Mertz, resigned.

TO SERVE AS THE BRIGADIER GENERAL OF THE NEW JERSEY AIR NATIONAL GUARD:

Lawrence S. Thomas, of Sweetwater.

#### **Bills Introduced/Without Reference/Given Second Reading:**

SCR95 Sacco,N/Lance,L+1 Emerg. truck rules, extension-concurs

**Bills Introduced:**

S1648 Singer,R Stewardship of forests-concerns REF SEN  
S1649 Rice,R Title recordation-revises law REF SCU  
S1650 Rice,R Ed. tech.-concerns REF SED  
S1651 Turner,S Ovarian cancer awareness campaign-estab. REF SHH  
S1652 Turner,S Prosecutors off., co-St. reimburse costs REF SJU  
S1653 Turner,S Work First NJ-concerns emerg. asst. REF SHH  
S1654 Turner,S Collective labor negotiations-concerns REF SLA  
S1655 Turner,S Tuition cost, full-time-income tax cred. REF SED  
S1656 Turner,S NJBEST contrib.-allows tax deductions REF SED  
S1657 Turner,S Sellers of travel-prov. regis. and reg. REF SCM  
S1658 Turner,S Family day care prov.-concerns REF SHH  
S1659 Cardinale,G/Kean,T Sr, disab cit-fiscal victimization crime REF SJU  
S1660 Cardinale,G/Asselta,N Oyster resource enhancement prog.;\$150K REF SEG  
S1661 Connors,L Amber Alert sys.-concerns funding REF SLP  
S1662 Martin,R/Weinberg,L Leg. info. available to pub.-concerns REF SSG  
S1663 Lance,L Farmland, owned by Co/Mun-leasing REF SEG  
S1664 Ciesla,A/Singer,R Autism Registry-estab.;\$500K REF SHH  
S1665 Gormley,W Parking fac. constr. contracts-concerns REF SSG  
S1666 Scutari,N/Gill,N Uninsur./underinsur. motorist-concerns REF SCM  
S1667 Kyrillos,J Abbott dist.-concerns St. aid REF SED  
S1668 Kavanaugh,W+2 TPAF, PERS-concerns retir. benef. REF SSG  
S1669 Cardinale,G/Vitale,J Health prof injure patient-notify lic bd REF SCM  
S1670 Cardinale,G+1 Publication req-co, mun comply, Internet REF SCU  
S1671 Cardinale,G Workers comp. cases-req. completion REF SLA  
S1672 Cardinale,G/Weinberg,L New Bridge Landing Hist. Site;\$350K REF SWT  
S1673 Cardinale,G Life sustaining measures-withdrawal REF SHH  
S1674 Cardinale,G/Bucco,A Abortion funding-concerns REF SHH  
S1675 Gill,N Insur policies, cert.-concerns pymt caps REF SCM  
S1676 Bucco,A/Rice,R Capital gain tax qual excl-mil personnel REF SLP  
S1677 Inverso,P Sch Constr. Corp.-concerns investigation REF SJU  
S1678 Sweeney,S/Madden,F Handgun purchase-concerns permits REF SLP  
S1679 Sweeney,S So. Jersey Port Corporation-adds memb REF STR  
S1680 Sweeney,S Fish & game prot. assn memb-concern auth REF SEN  
S1681 Sweeney,S Animals, cert.-create emerg. plan REF SLP  
S1682 Madden,F MV fines-concerns REF STR  
S1683 Littell,R/Bucco,A Lake Muscongecong reg planning bd;\$30K REF SBA  
S1684 Littell,R+1 Sex off.-concerns cert. jobs REF SLP  
S1685 Lesniak,R Veh. prot. product warranties-concerns REF SCM  
S1686 Kean,T Ed. Reform Task Force-estab. REF SED  
S1687 Kean,T/Asselta,N Michael's Law-concerns REF SLP  
S1688 Codey,R UMDNJ bd. of trustees-concerns REF SED  
S1689 Karcher,E Rare diseases-concerns health insur benef REF SHH  
S1690 Doria,J Jersey City prop. tax relief;\$25M REF SCU  
S1691 Doria,J Alco. bev. lic., cert.-concerns REF SEG  
S1692 Doria,J Cash registers-req. item cost indicators REF SCM  
S1693 Doria,J Prescription drug sales-concerns REF SHH  
S1694 Doria,J First time home buyers-prov. tax cred REF SCU  
S1695 Cardinale,G Gun applicants-redundant fingerprinting REF SLP  
S1696 Cardinale,G Police off., retired-concerns fire arms REF SLP  
S1697 Cardinale,G Handgun permit-revises procedures REF SLP  
S1698 Cardinale,G Managing general agent-concerns REF SCM  
S1699 Cardinale,G Police, cert. out-of-st.-carry handguns REF SLP  
S1700 Cardinale,G Handgun-application evaluation standards REF SLP  
S1701 McNamara,H Sch. dist., cert.-concerns State aid REF SED  
S1702 McNamara,H Special ed. prog., svcs.-concerns REF SED  
S1703 Ciesla,A MV obstructing an intersection-proh. REF STR  
S1704 Ciesla,A Sch. teachers, priv.-assault against REF SED  
S1705 Ciesla,A Chaining or tethering animals-concerns REF SEG  
S1706 Ciesla,A Subcontracting, pub. sch.-concerns REF SED  
S1707 Kyrillos,J/Cardinale,G Sch. dist. budget-concerns REF SED  
S1708 Turner,S Contaminated sites-concerns REF SEN  
S1709 Doria,J Cargo containers-concerns REF SEN  
S1710 Adler,J Lake dredging/stream clean-approp money REF SEN  
S1711 Buono,B/Smith,B Contaminated sites-concerns REF SEN  
S1712 Buono,B/Smith,B Env. crimes-elim. statute of limitations REF SEN  
S1713 Connors,L Raffle lic.-concerns REF SWT  
S1714 Gill,N/Vitale,J+1 Auto. insur. underwriting rules-concerns REF SCM  
SCR88 Connors,L Leg. Code of Ethics-supplements REF SSG

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

SCR89 Cardinale,G St. fd. for ed.-per pupil basis REF SED  
SCR90 Cardinale,G Leg. Code of Ethics-concerns REF SSG  
SCR91 Littell,R/Madden,F+1 Vol fire fighter/first aid-prop tax cred REF SCU  
SCR92 Ciesla,A/Connors,L+1 Homestead real prop.-limit assessment REF SCU  
SCR93 Lance,L Thomas Paine-honors contrib/achievements REF SSG  
SCR94 Doria,J St income tax surcharge-concerns rebates REF SBA  
SJR38 Weinberg,L/Sarlo,P+4 Korean American Day-desig January 13th REF SSG  
SR39 Cardinale,G+4 Canada goose hunting-expand in NJ REF SEN  
SR40 Cardinale,G/Bucco,A Partial-birth abortions-concerns REF SJU  
SR41 Kean,T Hungarian Uprising-comm. 50th anniv. REF SSG  
SR42 Weinberg,L/Gill,N+6 Discrim., women-ratify UN Convention REF SJU

**Bills On Emergency Resolution:**

ACR184 Wisniewski,J/Watson Coleman,B+5 Emerg. truck rules, extension-concurs (39-0) (Sacco)

**Bills Passed:**

A370 Chatzidakis,L/Bodine,F+3 Sch. lunches-concerns (40-0)  
A764 Aca (1R) Gordon,R/McKeon,J+7 Hunting, computer-assisted-proh. (40-0)  
A1053 Van Drew,J+2 Vessels, cert.-proh. taking fish (40-0)  
A1383 Quigley,J/Scalera,F+6 Fire emerg. procedures-concerns (40-0)  
A1957 Aca (1R) Wisniewski,J/Stender,L+4 Traffic safety req-incl in bid proposals (40-0)  
A2684 Aca (1R) Conaway,H/Connors,J+3 Sch. Dist. Fiscal Accountability Act (39-0)  
A2765 Caraballo,W/Stack,B+4 Child Advocate Office-concerns (28-8)  
A2813 AcaAca (2R) Wisniewski,J/Prieto,V+2 Transp. Trust Fd. Auth. Act-concerns (25-13)  
ACR184 Wisniewski,J/Watson Coleman,B+5 Emerg. truck rules, extension-concurs (40-0)  
S134 Sca (1R) Bucco,A/Girgenti,J+6 Mattresses-concern flammability standard (40-0)  
S341 Bark,M/Bucco,A Energy Star products-req. St. to purch. (40-0)  
S468 Sweeney,S+1 Income tax-unincorp. constr. contractors (36-2)  
S530 Buono,B/Rice,R Prop. tax exemp.-facade improvements (40-0)  
S535 Buono,B/Madden,F+1 Nurse, regis.-pronouncement of death (37-2)  
S695 Sa (1R) Weinberg,L/Bucco,A Dog lic. fee, mun.-incr. max. fee (28-10)  
S721 Inverso,P/Girgenti,J MV accidents-owner prov. info. (40-0)  
S780 Sca (1R) Madden,F Yo-Yo Waterballs-proh. sale (39-0)  
S795 James,S/Asselta,N Performing art ctrs-remove support limit (39-0)  
S942 ScaSa (2R) Singer,R/Rice,R Long-term care fac.-concerns (40-0)  
S997 Sca (1R) Buono,B+1 Accident reports-concerns (39-0)  
S1049/1472 ScsAa (SCS/1R) Karcher,E/Kyrillos,J+17 Fort Monmouth Econ. Revitalization Act (39-0)  
S1071 ScaSa (2R) Adler,J Loc. govt. off.-concerns bond coverage (39-0)  
S1208 Sca (1R) Turner,S Auto body repair fac.-liab. insur. (40-0)  
SJR14 Turner,S/Karcher,E Early Intervention Wk.-third wk. of May (40-0)  
SJR29 Sca (1R) Kyrillos,J/Vitale,J Deep-Vein Thrombosis Awareness Mo-March (40-0)

**Bills Substituted:**

A370 Chatzidakis,L/Bodine,F+3 Sch. lunches-concerns SUB FOR S338  
A764 Aca (1R) Gordon,R/McKeon,J+7 Hunting, computer-assisted-proh. SUB FOR S574 (1R)  
A1053 Van Drew,J+2 Vessels, cert.-proh. taking fish SUB FOR S1455  
A1383 Quigley,J/Scalera,F+6 Fire emerg. procedures-concerns SUB FOR S1359 (1R)  
A1957 Aca (1R) Wisniewski,J/Stender,L+4 Traffic safety req-incl in bid proposals SUB FOR S641 (1R)  
A2684 Aca (1R) Conaway,H/Connors,J+3 Sch. Dist. Fiscal Accountability Act SUB FOR S1469 (2R)  
A2765 Caraballo,W/Stack,B+4 Child Advocate Office-concerns SUB FOR S1478  
A2813 AcaAca (2R) Wisniewski,J/Prieto,V+2 Transp. Trust Fd. Auth. Act-concerns SUB FOR S1470 (2R)  
ACR184 Wisniewski,J/Watson Coleman,B+5 Emerg. truck rules, extension-concurs SUB FOR SCR95  
S338 Bark,M/Allen,D Sch. lunches-concerns SUB BY A370  
S574 Sca (1R) McNamara,H/Buono,B Hunting, computer-assisted-proh. SUB BY A764 (1R)  
S641 Sca (1R) Girgenti,J/Bucco,A Traffic safety req-incl in bid proposals SUB BY A1957 (1R)  
S1359 Sca (1R) Sarlo,P Fire emerg. procedures-concerns SUB BY A1383  
S1455 Ciesla,A/Sweeney,S Vessels, cert.-proh. taking fish SUB BY A1053  
S1469 ScaSa (2R) Turner,S/Allen,D Sch. Dist. Fiscal Accountability Act SUB BY A2684 (1R)  
S1470 ScaSa (2R) Lesniak,R/Doria,J Transp. Trust Fd. Auth. Act-concerns SUB BY A2813 (2R)  
S1478 Vitale,J/Weinberg,L+1 Child Advocate Office-concerns SUB BY A2765  
SCR95 Sacco,N/Lance,L+1 Emerg. truck rules, extension-concurs SUB BY ACR184

**Bills Returned Second Reading/Amended:**

S61 SaSa (2R) Kavanaugh,W/Sweeney,S Incarcerated indiv.-proh temp disab benf (35-0) (Kavanaugh)  
S472 Sa (1R) Sweeney,S/Doria,J+1 Plant closings, cert-prenotification req (38-0) (Sweeney)  
S1115 ScaSa (2R) Rice,R/Turner,S Security deposits-concerns return (36-0) (Rice)  
S1447 Sa (1R) Cardinale,G/Lesniak,R+1 Cemeteries-concerns mgmt. and operation (36-0) (Cardinale)

**Bills Returned Second Reading/Substitute:**

S1471 ScaSaSS (SS) Codey,R/Buono,B+2 Cigarette tax rev. bonds-fd. cert. proj. (23-14) (Kenny)

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

A219 AcaAa (2R) Gregg,G/Conaway,H+3 Animal cruelty laws-concerns REF SEG  
A374 Chatzidakis,L/Bodine,F+4 Alt electrical energy-concern production REF SEG  
A496 Aca (1R) Bateman,C/Manzo,L+2 Abandoned/unclaimed mv-concerns REF STR  
A497 Bateman,C/Malone,J+4 Co. coll.-concerns bd. of trustees REF SED  
A908 Gusciora,R/Watson Coleman,B Delaware Riv Bridge Comm-suppl compact REF STR  
A1219 Diegnan,P/Barnes,P+6 Mun. court admin.-concerns REF SJU  
A1423 Scalera,F/Van Drew,J+1 Wage disputes, cert.-concerns REF SLA  
A1550 AcaAa (2R) Steele,A/O'Toole,K+4 Co corrections off/sheriff's off-concern REF SLP  
A1596 Aca (1R) Holzapfel,J/Barnes,P+2 Traveling sales crews-crim. hist check REF SCM  
A1929 Aca (1R) Burzichelli,J/Quigley,J+6 Animals, cert.-create emerg. plan REF SLP  
A2015 Aca (1R) Van Drew,J/Rumpf,B+2 Propane Consumer's Bill of Rights-estab. REF SEG  
A2542 Thompson,S/Conners,J+4 Higher ed. tuition asst.-concerns REF SLP  
A2702 Stender,L/Sires,A+2 Port Auth. contracts-concerns transfer REF SLP  
A2827/2037 Acs (ACS) Greenwald,L/Malone,J+9 St. Auditor-concerns duties REF SSG  
AJR75 Bodine,F/Bramnick,J+7 Anne Frank-honors her life REF SSG  
AJR87 McKeon,J/Chivukula,U Bipolar Disorder Awareness Mo.-April REF SHH

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

S1049/1472 ScsAa (SCS/1R) Karcher,E/Kyrillos,J+17 Fort Monmouth Econ. Revitalization Act

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

A1053 Van Drew,J+2 Vessels, cert.-proh. taking fish  
A1152 Aca (1R) Dancer,R Real prop. leases-concerns  
A1711 Aca (1R) Fisher,D/Burzichelli,J+8 Cemeteries-concerns mgmt. and operation  
A1957 Aca (1R) Wisniewski,J/Stender,L+4 Traffic safety req-incl in bid proposals  
A2684 Aca (1R) Conaway,H/Conners,J+3 Sch. Dist. Fiscal Accountability Act  
A2765 Caraballo,W/Stack,B+4 Child Advocate Office-concerns  
A2813 AcaAca (2R) Wisniewski,J/Prieto,V+2 Transp. Trust Fd. Auth. Act-concerns  
A2900/2818 Acs (ACS) Caraballo,W/O'Toole,K+3 UMDNJ-concern bd. of trustees  
ACR184 Wisniewski,J/Watson Coleman,B+5 Emerg. truck rules, extension-concurs

**Co-Sponsors Added:**

S191 (Asselta,N) Sch. dist. budget cap-util, energy costs  
S340 (Asselta,N) Main St. NJ prog.-concerns  
S544 (Vitale,J) Cervical cancer-health insur. coverage  
S737 (McNamara,H) Camp. contrib.-proh. cert. bus. entities  
S756 (Madden,F) St. constit convention-prop. tax reform  
S993 Sca (1R) (Allen,D) Harassment prev., pub. sch.-concerns  
S997 Sca (1R) (Sarlo,P) Accident reports-concerns  
S1049/1472 ScsAa (SCS/1R) (Sarlo,P) Fort Monmouth Econ. Revitalization Act  
S1093 (Kenny,B) Involuntary commitment-concerns  
S1210 (Madden,F) Leukemia, Lymphoma Society-vol. contrib.  
S1365 (Inverso,P) Gun Court Pilot Prog.-estab.  
S1459 (Weinberg,L) Lead screening-HMOs report, req.  
S1462 (Singer,R) Community Health Svc. Pilot Initiative  
S1471 ScaSaSS (SS) (Sarlo,P) Cigarette tax rev. bonds-fd. cert. proj.  
S1480 (Madden,F) Prosecutor's agents-prov. for appt.

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

S1490 (Lance,L) Cosmetic med. procedure tax-repeal  
S1642 (Vitale,J) Medicaid recipients-long term car  
S1668 (Ciesla,A; Littell,R) TPAF, PERS-concerns retir. benef.  
S1670 (Rice,R) Publication req-co, mun comply, Internet  
S1684 (Cardinale,G) Sex off.-concerns cert. jobs  
S1714 (Doria,J) Auto. insur. underwriting rules-concerns  
SCR91 (Kyrillos,J) Vol fire fighter/first aid-prop tax cred  
SCR92 (McNamara,H) Homestead real prop.-limit assessment  
SCR95 (Turner,S) Emerg. truck rules, extension-concurs  
SJR38 (Cardinale,G; Coniglio,J; Allen,D; McNamara,H) Korean American Day-desig January 13th  
SJR39 (Ciesla,A; Inverso,P; Vitale,J; Sarlo,P) Mercer Co. Vet. Mem. Hwy.-desig. Rt. 129  
SR42 (Scutari,N; Karcher,E; Vitale,J; Turner,S; Buono,B; Allen,D) Discrim., women-ratify UN Convention

**Co-Prime Sponsors Added:**

S341 (Bucco,A) Energy Star products-req. St. to purch.  
S864 (Allen,D) Mun. consolidation-concerns  
S868 (Allen,D) Regional Efficiency Aid Prog.-concerns  
S899 (Lance,L) Grace's Law-child hearing aids coverage  
S1000 (Bucco,A) Fred's Law-concerns mv accident  
S1084 (Weinberg,L) Victimization of sr. cit., disab.-crime  
S1398 (Asselta,N) Pharmacy benef. mgmt. co.-concerns  
S1459 (Rice,R) Lead screening-HMOs report, req.  
S1461 (Kean,T) Meningococcal meningitis-prov. info.  
S1462 (Weinberg,L) Community Health Svc. Pilot Initiative  
S1480 (Connors,L) Prosecutor's agents-prov. for appt.  
S1490 (Bucco,A) Cosmetic med. procedure tax-repeal  
S1518 (Coniglio,J) Child restraint sys.-inspector immunity  
S1522 (Coniglio,J) Disabled-estab. co. off.  
SCR47 (Allen,D) Statutes-Loc. Mandate Council examine  
SJR34 (Scutari,N) NY/NJ/Phil. Airspace Redesign-oppose

**Co-Sponsors Added to Bills Substituted:**

A370 (Bark,M; Allen,D) Sch. lunches-concerns  
A764 Aca (1R) (McNamara,H; Buono,B) Hunting, computer-assisted-proh.  
A1053 (Ciesla,A; Sweeney,S) Vessels, cert.-proh. taking fish  
A1383 (Sarlo,P) Fire emerg. procedures-concerns  
A1957 Aca (1R) (Girgenti,J; Bucco,A) Traffic safety req-incl in bid proposals  
A2684 Aca (1R) (Turner,S; Allen,D; Bryant,W) Sch. Dist. Fiscal Accountability Act  
A2765 (Vitale,J; Weinberg,L; Kean,T) Child Advocate Office-concerns  
A2813 AcaAca (2R) (Lesniak,R; Doria,J) Transp. Trust Fd. Auth. Act-concerns  
ACR184 (Sacco,N; Lance,L; Turner,S) Emerg. truck rules, extension-concurs

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

**\*Effective March 14, 2006**

**Death Penalty Study Commission:**

**Honorable John F. Russo, of Toms River.**

**The Senate adjourned at 5:07 P.M. to meet again on Tuesday, March 21, 2006 (QUORUM/JOINT SESSION/Budget Message).**

***ASSEMBLY ACTION***

**The Assembly did not meet. The Assembly will meet on Tuesday, March 21, 2006 (QUORUM/JOINT SESSION/Budget Message).**

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

A370 Chatzidakis,L/Bodine,F+3 Sch. lunches-concerns  
A764 Aca (1R) Gordon,R/McKeon,J+7 Hunting, computer-assisted-proh.  
A1053 Van Drew,J+2 Vessels, cert.-proh. taking fish  
A1383 Quigley,J/Scalera,F+6 Fire emerg. procedures-concerns  
A1957 Aca (1R) Wisniewski,J/Stender,L+4 Traffic safety req-incl in bid proposals  
A2684 Aca (1R) Conaway,H/Conners,J+3 Sch. Dist. Fiscal Accountability Act  
A2765 Caraballo,W/Stack,B+4 Child Advocate Office-concerns  
A2813 AcaAca (2R) Wisniewski,J/Prieto,V+2 Transp. Trust Fd. Auth. Act-concerns  
S1049/1472 ScsAa (SCS/1R) Karcher,E/Kyrillos,J+17 Fort Monmouth Econ. Revitalization Act

**Bills Signed Into Law Since Last Session (3/16/06):**

None