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The Members of both Houses of the 212th Legislature met in Joint Session to receive the Annual Budget Message from the Honorable Jon S. Corzine, Governor of the State of New Jersey.

### SENATE ACTION (QUORUM)

#### Bills Introduced:

S1715 Turner,S Delaware Riv Bridge Comm-suppl compact REF STR  
S1716 Turner,S Co. Superintendent of Sch.-St. pay costs REF SED  
S1717 Turner,S Guide, svc dogs-concerns NJT's treatment REF STR  
S1718 Turner,S Sch. Asthma Protocol Task Force;\$15K REF SED  
S1719 Turner,S Adoption expenses-income tax cred. REF SHH  
S1720 Turner,S CeaseFire pilot prog.;\$4M REF SLP  
S1721 Asselta,N Fed civil svc emp benf-excl cert amounts REF SLP  
S1722 Ciesla,A Water allocation permits-concerns REF SEN  
S1723 Madden,F Gov. declared emerg.-power to St. bodies REF SLP  
S1724 Madden,F Emerg. Mgmt. Act REF SLP  
S1725 Sweeney,S Higher ed. part-time staff-concerns REF SED  
S1726 Sweeney,S/Madden,F Constr. contracts-concerns prompt pymt. REF SLA  
S1727 Bark,M/Palaia,J+1 Temp. disab. benf.-concerns pymt. REF SLA  
S1728 Bark,M/Kean,T Intestate estate, cert. children-concern REF SJU  
S1729 Bark,M Prop. assessment notification-concerns REF SCU  
S1730 Allen,D Bd. of ed. memb.-background check REF SED  
S1731 Karcher,E/Madden,F+1 Farmland preserv. prop.-concerns REF SEN  
S1732 Smith,B/Buono,B Elder Fall Prev. Pilot Prog.-\$22M REF SHH  
S1733 Allen,D/Bark,M Loc. Mandates Council-concerns REF SCU  
S1734 Allen,D/Bark,M St/loc govt emp awards prog-concerns REF SSG  
S1735 Bark,M/Allen,D Taxpayer Rate Reduction;\$8M REF SCU  
S1736 Bark,M/Allen,D Regional Efficiency Aid Prog.;\$11M REF SCU  
S1737 Singer,R Funeral, disruption-concerns REF SJU  
S1738 Cardinale,G/Girgenti,J Rehab.-estab. as parole condition REF SLP  
S1740 Girgenti,J/Bucco,A Assaults against cert. teachers-concerns REF SED  
S1741 Littell,R/Cardinale,G St. Bd. of Ed.-concerns contract REF SED  
S1742 Littell,R/Buono,B+1 Compulsive gambling ed.-sch. curriculum REF SED  
S1743 Singer,R Tomato-desig. as St. Vegetable REF SEG  
S1744 Martin,R Abandoned/unclaimed mv-concerns REF STR  
S1745 Adler,J/Buono,B St. Auditor-concerns duties REF SSG  
S1746 Doria,J Retir. exclusions, cert.-incr. REF SHH  
S1747 Doria,J/Turner,S Sch. admin.-caps unused sick leave pymt. REF SED  
S1748 Connors,L Gang ed. seminars-concerns REF SED  
S1749 Connors,L Gang viol. prev.-offer instruction REF SED  
S1750 Kyrillos,J Teacher cert applications-req & deadline REF SED  
S1751 Asselta,N UEZ proj.-concerns funding REF SEG  
S1752 Asselta,N Pharmacy Qual. Assurance, Error Prev Act REF SCM  
S1753 Asselta,N Animal cruelty, cert.-civil action REF SEG  
S1754 Asselta,N Sheriff's off.-supplement staff REF SLP  
S1755 Ciesla,A Pub. contracting laws-concerns REF SSG  
S1756 Connors,L Street gang activity-concerns crimes REF SLP  
S1757 Buono,B/Vitale,J Access to Med. Research Act REF SHH  
S1758 Vitale,J/Weinberg,L Safe Patient Handling Act REF SHH

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

S1759 Vitale,J/Doria,J Sr. homeowners-exempt, mun. permit fees REF SCU  
S1760 Madden,F/Vitale,J Organ donation-concerns REF STR  
S1761 Vitale,J/Coniglio,J Viol. Prev. in Health Care Fac. Act REF SHH  
S1762 Vitale,J/Bryant,W Personal care svcs.-concerns reimb. REF SHH  
S1763 Rice,R Motor Veh. Comm.-concerns REF STR  
S1764 Rice,R Dental Sch.-expansion, renovation;\$30M REF SED  
S1765 Bark,M/Littell,R Vets-exemp., fees for mil. lic. plates REF STR  
S1766 Cardinale,G Invol. outpatient commitment-concerns REF SHH  
S1767 Cardinale,G/Weinberg,L Bergen Co., New Hope, Inc.;\$100K REF SHH  
S1768 Weinberg,L/Coniglio,J Monk parakeet-concerns REF SEN  
S1769 Weinberg,L/Doria,J+1 Haz. substance reporting req.-concerns REF SEN  
S1770 Turner,S Sch. Dist. Governance Study Comm.-estab. REF SED  
S1771 Karcher,E Review Lic Req, Community-Based Care Ctr REF SHH  
S1772 Karcher,E Deeds, morgage w/SS no-proh via Internet REF SCM  
S1773 Turner,S Death, cert. mv off-clarify jurisdiction REF SLP  
SCR96 Bark,M/Allen,D Streamlining Shared Svcs. Task Force REF SCU  
SCR97 Cardinale,G Pledge of Allegiance-regards recitation REF SED  
SCR98 Cardinale,G Real prop.-reduce assessment REF SCU  
SJR39 Turner,S Mercer Co. Vet. Mem. Hwy.-desig. Rt. 129 REF STR  
SJR40 Cardinale,G Sch. prayer, voluntary-amend. constit. REF SED  
SJR41 Scutari,N Eyeglass Recycling Mo.-desig. May REF SHH  
SR43 Turner,S Farmland Tax Assessment Task Force-estab REF SEG  
SR44 Turner,S Tpk. Auth-reduce toll 50%, trucks 12-6am REF STR  
SR45 Turner,S Section 8 housing vouchers-incr fds. REF SCU  
SR46 Connors,L Community Emerg. Response Teams-recog. REF SLP

**Co-Sponsors Added:**

S1727 (Palaia,J) Temp. disab. benf.-concerns pymt.  
S1731 (Smith,B) Farmland preserv. prop.-concerns  
S1742 (Palaia,J) Compulsive gambling ed.-sch. curriculum  
S1769 (Smith,B) Haz. substance reporting req.-concerns

**Co-Sponsors Withdrawn:**

S756 (Madden,F) St. constit convention-prop. tax reform

**Co-Prime Sponsors Added:**

S708 (Adler,J) Sch. bd. election-Nov. general election  
S737 (Kean,T) Camp. contrib.-proh. cert. bus. entities  
S756 (Madden,F) St. constit convention-prop. tax reform  
S1188 (Adler,J) Elections, cert.-concerns date  
S1192 (Karcher,E) Corruption of pub. resources-estab crime  
S1220 (Turner,S) Special ed. svcs.-concerns cert. info.

**The Senate adjourned at 3:36 P.M. to meet again at a date and time to be announced.**

***ASSEMBLY ACTION (QUORUM)***

**Bills Introduced:**

A2870 Conners,J/Cruz-Perez,N+1 Funeral disruption-concerns offense REF AMV  
A2871 Epps,C+1 PAAD recipients-allow choice of pharmacy REF AHE  
A2872 Epps,C+1 Nursing Student Support Prog.-estab. REF AHE  
A2873 Lampitt,P/Greenwald,L Pub. sch., mun. emp.-unused sick leave REF AHO  
A2874 Epps,C+1 St.-admin retir sys-transfer of svc cred REF ASG  
A2875 Epps,C+2 Health care qual. improvement fd.-estab. REF AHE  
A2876 McHose,A/O'Toole,K Annual approp. act-amends REF AAP  
A2877 Barnes,P Drug free sch. zones-concerns REF ALP  
A2878 Barnes,P Blue Heart Law Enforcement Asst. Prog. REF ALP

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

A2879 Gusciora,R+1 Mun. prosecutors-devel. mand guidelines REF AJU  
A2880 Beck,J Loc. Unit Audit Teams-create prog. REF ASG  
A2881 Beck,J Govt. Auditing & Oversight Acct.-estab. REF ASG  
A2882 Beck,J Govt. Auditing & Oversight Acct.-approp. REF ASG  
A2883 Beck,J Mun. fees, unpaid-convert into tax lien REF AHO  
A2884 Beck,J Treasurer, sch moneys-concerns position REF AED  
A2885 Beck,J Cost benchmarks-concerns REF AHO  
A2886 Beck,J Fiscal notes-concerns REF AHO  
A2887 Beck,J Sick leave, accumulated-concerns REF AHO  
A2888 Johnson,G/Barnes,P Fed. law enforcement off.-concerns REF ALP  
A2889 Bateman,C/Handlin,A Bus., relocating to St.-prov. website REF ACE  
A2890 Rumpf,B/Bramnick,J Debit card info., cert.-proh. printing REF ACO  
A2891 Burzichelli,J Responsible Emp. Act REF ALA  
A2892 Greenwald,L Alco. bev. lic., cert.-concerns REF ALP  
A2893 Watson Coleman,B Affordable housing-concern heating costs REF AHO  
A2894 Rumpf,B/Connors,C Raffle lic.-concerns REF ATG  
A2895 Carroll,M/Merkt,R Govt. emp.-proh. cert political activity REF ASG  
A2896 Carroll,M/Merkt,R Pub. off. and emp.-concerns comp. REF ASG  
A2897 Blee,F Clean Elections Pilot Proj of 2007-estab REF ASG  
A2898 Cohen,N/McHose,A Funeral, disruption-concerns REF AMV  
A2899 Cohen,N Leg.-concerns access to cert. info REF AJU  
A2901 Cohen,N Juv. employ in drug distribution-upgrade REF AJU  
A2902 Cohen,N Food producers-concerns limited liab. REF AJU  
A2903 Cohen,N NJ Parentage Act-amends, suppl. REF AJU  
A2904 Cohen,N Firearm theft, cert.-upgrades REF AJU  
A2905 Cohen,N Guardians-concerns immunity REF AJU  
A2906 Cohen,N Counterfeiting-concerns REF AJU  
A2907 Cohen,N Banks-prov. suspicious transaction REF AFI  
A2908 Albano,N/Van Drew,J+17 Domestic Viol. and Abuse Comm.-estab. REF AJU  
A2909 Albano,N/Van Drew,J Sex offenders, repeat-incr mand min term REF AJU  
A2910 Van Drew,J Tpk. Auth.-representation of regions REF ATR  
A2911 Van Drew,J+1 Tourism invest proj.-corp bus tax credit REF ATG  
A2912 Van Drew,J Unemp. comp. benef.-concerns REF ALA  
A2913 Van Drew,J TPAF vet. retir.-paid health benef. REF ASG  
A2914 Van Drew,J+1 Working dogs-concerns cert. access REF ALP  
A2915 Doherty,M/Karrow,M+7 Highlands Water Prot/Planning Act-revise REF AEN  
A2916 Dancer,R Pub. off. candidates-finan. disclosure REF ASG  
A2917 Blee,F/Albano,N St. sch aid, cert sch dist-concerns addl REF AED  
A2918 Blee,F/Albano,N St. sch. aid, cert. dist.-concerns REF AED  
A2919 Baroni,B Adoption registry, vol.-estab. REF AHU  
A2920 Holzapfel,J/Barnes,P Obstruction of admin. of law-concerns REF AJU  
A2921 Greenstein,L Health care benef. termination-concerns REF AFI  
A2922 Greenstein,L Inactive comm, committees, councils-elim REF ASG  
A2923 Kean,S/Cryan,J Veh. prot. product warranties-concerns REF ACO  
A2924 Kean,S Child support overpymts-estab. procedure REF AJU  
A2925 Conaway,H Renal dialysis svcs., outpatient-concern REF AHE  
A2926 Karrow,M/DeCroce,A Highlands Region devel.-refund cert fees REF AEN  
A2927 Cohen,N MV secret compartments-proh. REF AJU  
A2928 Cohen,N Name change application-concerns resid REF AJU  
A2929 Giblin,T/Payne,W+7 Div. of Elections-transfers REF ASG  
A2930 Van Drew,J Health prof.-concerns cert relationships REF AHE  
A2931 Van Drew,J Hwy. constr proj, cert-req. pub. hearing REF ATR  
A2932 Van Drew,J Hist. preserv tax cred pilot prog-create REF AEN  
A2933 Van Drew,J/Albano,N Tolls-suspend during coastal evacuation REF ATR  
A2934 Van Drew,J St. emp. paid health benef.-concerns REF ASG  
A2935 Chivukula,U/Watson Coleman,B Primary care practitioners-loan redemp REF AED  
A2936 Scalera,F/Schaer,G+1 Tanning fac.-concerns use by minors REF AHE  
A2937 Vandervalk,C Safe Haven Infant Prot. Act-revises REF AHU  
A2938 Greenwald,L/Cruz-Perez,N+3 Picture phones-concerns privacy invasion REF AJU  
A2939 Van Drew,J/Stender,L+30 American-made flags-concerns St. purch REF ALA  
A2949 Conaway,H Clinical demo. proj.-concerns REF AHE  
ACR186 Carroll,M Judges salaries-amends constitution REF AJU  
ACR187 Carroll,M/Merkt,R+5 Supreme Ct. decisions-overturning REF ASG  
ACR188 Carroll,M/Gregg,G+1 Leg.-proh holding more than one office REF ASG  
ACR189 Carroll,M Pub. ed.-prov. Leg. w/ final auth. REF AED  
ACR190 Giblin,T/Johnson,G+16 Gang Prev. Deterrence Act-Cong. enact REF ALP  
AJR106 Baroni,B Pregnancy & Infant Loss Remembrance Day REF AHU  
AJR107 Johnson,G/Vainieri Huttie,V Korean Amer. Day-desig. Jan.13th each yr REF ASG  
AR160 Beck,J Prop. tax relief & reform-leg encouraged REF ASG

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

AR161 Watson Coleman,B African-Amer. pol. trailblazers-honors REF ASG  
AR162 Carroll,M/Merkt,R Illegal immigrants-estab. holding fac. REF ASG  
AR163 Van Drew,J+1 Beach replenishment fds.-fed. govt. prov REF AEN  
AR164 Doherty,M/Gregg,G+4 FY 2004 spending-10% reduction REF AAP  
AR165 Van Drew,J/Albano,N+4 Abbott sch. dist. reform-Asm. support REF AED

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

S341 Bark,M/Bucco,A Energy Star products-req. St. to purch. REF ASG  
S468 Sweeney,S+1 Income tax-unincorp. constr. contractors REF ALA  
S530 Buono,B/Rice,R Prop. tax exemp.-facade improvements REF AHO  
S695 Sa (1R) Weinberg,L/Bucco,A Dog lic. fee, mun.-incr. max. fee REF AHO  
S721 Inverso,P/Girgenti,J MV accidents-owner prov. info. REF ALP  
S780 Sca (1R) Madden,F Yo-Yo Waterballs-proh. sale REF ACO  
S795 James,S/Asselta,N Performing art ctrs-remove support limit REF ASG  
S942 ScaSa (2R) Singer,R/Rice,R Long-term care fac.-concerns REF AHE  
S997 Sca (1R) Buono,B+1 Accident reports-concerns REF ATR  
S1208 Sca (1R) Turner,S Auto body repair fac.-liab. insur. REF AFI  
SJR14 Turner,S/Karcher,E Early Intervention Wk.-third wk. of May REF AHU  
SJR29 Sca (1R) Kyriillos,J/Vitale,J Deep-Vein Thrombosis Awareness Mo-March REF AHE

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

S134 Sca (1R) Bucco,A/Girgenti,J+6 Mattresses-concern flammability standard  
S535 Buono,B/Madden,F+1 Nurse, regis.-pronouncement of death  
S1071 ScaSa (2R) Adler,J Loc. govt. off.-concerns bond coverage

**Bills Transferred:**

A151 Vandervalk,C/Cohen,N+1 Health wellness insur. benef.-revises FROM AFI TO AHE

**Bills Withdrawn From The Files:**

A1565 Wolfe,D/Kean,S+2 Boating safety courses-concerns FROM ALP

**Co-Sponsors Added:**

A371 (Beck,J) Regional Efficiency Aid Prog.-concerns  
A409 AcaAa (2R) (Conners,J) Emerg. bldg. inspection prog.-estab.  
A464 (Prieto,V) Gang related loitering-enact ordinance  
A896 (Prieto,V) Historic Prop. Reinvestment Act  
A906 Aca (1R) (Epps,C) Police & fire promo. exam-residency cred  
A914 Aca (1R) (Giblin,T) Sch. dist. contracts-annual report  
A927 (Giblin,T) Mun. border, major devel.-concerns rev.  
A929 (Epps,C) Crim. records-automatic expungement  
A1066 (Prieto,V) Passenger vehicle-concerns  
A1432 (Prieto,V) Dog lic. fee-mun. set amt.  
A1487 (Rooney,J) Bus. entities, cert.-limit pol. contrib.  
A1489 (Rooney,J) Camp contrib.-concerns  
A1632 (Kean,S) Policyholders liab.-concerns  
A1705 (Barnes,P; Gordon,R) Wages and benef-responsible bus practices  
A1839 (Gusciora,R) False info., env. laws-crim. penal.  
A1841 (Gusciora,R) Env. laws-incr. civil penal.  
A1851 (Prieto,V) Auto. insur. rate reductions-concerns  
A1858 (Prieto,V) St. constit convention-prop. tax reform  
A1954 (Mayer,D) Mileage reimb.-set at IRS rate  
A2064 (Epps,C) Photo radar devices-auth. use  
A2175 (Epps,C) Sch. dist.-concerns crim. hist. check  
A2182 (Epps,C) Mun. court fines-concerns  
A2189 (Epps,C) Crim. conduct, sch. prop.-concerns  
A2216 (Epps,C) Attorneys' fees-concerns awarding

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

A2322 Aca (1R) (Beck,J) Victims of crime-revise statutes  
A2441 (Mayer,D) St. emp., essential-prov. comp. time  
A2537/2656 Acs (ACS) (Conners,J) Prescription Drug Retail Price Registry  
A2617 (Vainieri Huttler,V; Panter,M; Giblin,T; Vas,J; Beck,J; Albano,N) Song, St.: "I'm from NJ"  
A2633 (Beck,J) St/loc govt emp awards prog-concerns  
A2777 (Beck,J) Taxpayer Rate Reduction;\$8M  
A2868 (Quigley,J) Human trafficking-concerns  
A2869 (Quigley,J) DUI arrestees-hold in protective custody  
ACR97 (Mayer,D) Vet. prop. tax deduction-extend elig.  
ACR167 (Beck,J) Streamlining Shared Svcs. Task Force  
AJR92 (Corodemus,S) Coastal NJ Evacuation Task Force-estab.  
AJR104 (Corodemus,S) Rett Syndrome Awareness Day-desig.  
AR155 (Oliver,S) Sgt. Leigh Ann Hester-recog.

**Co-Sponsors Withdrawn:**

A2864 (Greenwald,L) Chiefs of police-concerns

**Second Prime Sponsors Added:**

A2218 (Whelan,J) Sch. buses-extends useful life

**Second Prime Sponsors Withdrawn:**

A2035 (Van Drew,J) Water diverted for agric.-concerns

**Third Prime Sponsors Added:**

A430 (Prieto,V) Sch. supplies, donated-corp bus tax cred  
A1798 (Prieto,V) Police/ff civil svc. lists-concerns  
A1990 (Moriarty,P) Legal notices-concerns electronic pub.  
A2208 (Albano,N) Vocational sch. dist.-concerns funding  
A2583 (Barnes,P) Sexually oriented bus.-concerns  
A2830 (Van Drew,J) Hunting w/bow and arrow-concerns  
A2870 (Greenstein,L) Funeral disruption-concerns offense  
ACR138 (McHose,A) Eminent domain-limit exercise

**Fourth Prime Sponsors Added:**

A838 (Albano,N) Core curriculum standards aid-concerns  
A1456 (Greenstein,L) Vet. civil svc. preference-expand elig.

**Fourth Prime Sponsors Withdrawn:**

A2838 (Van Drew,J) MV repairs-regulates use, cert. parts

**The Assembly adjourned at 4:56 P.M. to meet again at a date and time to be announced.**

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

None

**Bills Signed Into Law Since Last Session (03/20/2006):**

None