

**SENATE BILLS INTRODUCED AND PROPOSED FOR INTRODUCTION ON  
MAY 21, 2009**

**Asterisk (\*) = Proposed for Introduction**

S-2846 Rice (D-28)

Requires State entities to examine opportunity of minority and women-owned financial institutions to serve as senior managing underwriters, imposes reporting requirements, and enables establishment of aspirational levels of utilization and relative compen

S-2847 Turner (D-15)

Permits counties to establish a central municipal drug court.

S-2848 Madden (D-4)

Expands requirements for special learner's and examination permits. (2008:A-3068)

S-2849 Madden (D-4)

Designates State Highway Route 42 as the "Route 42 Purple Heart Memorial Veterans Highway"; appropriates \$2,500.

S-2850 Madden (D-4)

Extends service prevailing wage requirements to food service contracts and to local units and State authorities.

S-2851 Madden (D-4)

Permits tenant to be removed from leased housing due to criminal activity under certain circumstances.

S-2852 Lesniak (D-20)

Provides for certain surplus lines producer fees to be determined by regulation.

S-2853 Lesniak (D-20)

Mandates professional engineers to complete continuing professional competency requirements during each biennial licensure period. (2008:A-3835)

S-2854 Weinberg (D-37)

Requires contractors to provide Department of the Treasury with employment information about contracts with public bodies. (2008:A-2359; 2006:A-1813)

S-2855 Weinberg (D-37)

Requires boards of education to provide certain nutritional information for food and beverage items offered for sale in school cafeterias.

S-2856 Vitale (D-19); Weinberg (D-37)

"New Jersey Public Water Supply Fluoridation Act." (2008:A-3709)

S-2857 Vitale (D-19); Allen (R-7)

Establishes decal system in place of special license plates. (2008:A-3713)

S-2858 Turner (D-15)

Permits a student to participate in a voluntary survey if the district sends prior written notification to the student's parents. (2006:S-1268; 2004:S-760)

S-2859 Lesniak (D-20)

Concerns collateral of public depositories under "Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act." (2008:A-3998)

S-2860 Rice (D-28)

Revises and expands duties and responsibilities of Inspector General and establishes position of Deputy Inspector General for certain State departments to oversee and monitor allocation and spending of State funds at local level.

S-2861 Kean, T. (R-21)

Allows gross income tax credit for certain contributions to New Jersey Better Educational Savings Trust (NJBEST) Program and to certain other federally qualified tuition savings programs. (2008:A-3972)

S-2862 Kean, T. (R-21)

Permits municipalities and fire districts to appoint paid fire chiefs for paid and certain part-paid fire departments; clarifies duties and responsibilities. (2008:A-3578; 2006:A-964)

S-2863 Van Drew (D-1)

Revises criteria for eligibility to receive homestead property tax reimbursement for claimants affected by eminent domain. (2008:A-631; 2006:A-3493)

S-2864 Van Drew (D-1)

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S-2865 Sarlo (D-36); Sweeney (D-3)

Transfers management, administration and duties of "the workers' compensation security fund" to the New Jersey Property-Liability Insurance Guaranty Association.

\* S-2866 Whelan (D-2); Bateman (R-16)

Requires school districts to provide for the safe operation of electrically operated partitions in classrooms or other school facilities. (2008:A-3921)

\* S-2867 Van Drew (D-1)

Requires DEP to designate three sites in State park or forest where snowmobiles, all terrain vehicles, and dirt bikes may be used; regulates operation of those vehicles and certain other off-road vehicles. (2008:A-4040)

\* S-2868 Rice (D-28)

Codifies recommendations of Governor's Advisory Committee on Police Standards. (2008:A-3935)

\* S-2869 Sweeney (D-3)

Authorizes State Treasurer to sell surplus real property in City of Trenton and Township of Ewing, Mercer County, to winning auction bidder. (2008:A-3903)

\* S-2870 Van Drew (D-1)

Provides immunity to law enforcement officers who, in good faith, release driver in violation of provisional driver's license law. (2008:A-4030)

\* S-2871 Van Drew (D-1)

Requires the impoundment of certain motor vehicles with expired inspection stickers.

\* S-2872 Connors, C. (R-9)

Establishes NJ Alzheimer's Disease Study Commission. (2008:A-4008)

\* S-2873 O'Toole (R-40)

Prohibits persons convicted of certain crimes from serving on political party committees. (2008:A-3994)

- \* S-2874 Beach (D-6)  
Permits installation of GPS navigation devices which do not obstruct a motor vehicle operator's vision. (2008:A-2943)
  
- \* S-2875 Beach (D-6)  
Requires Division of Taxation to display Senior Gold prescription program information on tax return instructions. (2008:A-1177; 2006:A-2431)
  
- \* S-2876 Beach (D-6)  
Authorizes companies under BPU jurisdiction to bill customers electronically upon customers' request. (2008:A-2439)
  
- \* S-2877 Beach (D-6)  
Authorizes public providers of utility services to bill customers electronically upon customers' request. (2008:A-2610)
  
- \* S-2878 Whelan (D-2)  
Extends time period for renewal of lapsed alcoholic beverage retail licenses. (2008:A-3585)
  
- \* S-2879 Sweeney (D-3); Connors, C. (R-9)  
Provides for discounted resident trapping license fees for senior citizens. (2008:A-4001)
  
- \* S-2880 Haines (R-8)  
Increases the penalty for certain gang related crimes. (2008:A-3965)
  
- \* S-2881 Weinberg (D-37); Sarlo (D-36)  
Imposes temporary requirement on county treasurer to forward \$300 from certain mortgage execution sales to provide funding for Legal Services of New Jersey. (2008:A-3968)
  
- \* S-2882 Oroho (R-24); Weinberg (D-37)  
Makes various technical and procedural amendments to the "Municipal Land Use Law." (2008:A-1510)
  
- \* S-2883 Smith, B. (D-17); Kyrillos (R-13)  
Authorizes educational services commissions to purchase goods or services through nationally-recognized and accepted cooperative purchasing agreement.
  
- \* S-2884 Smith, B. (D-17); Madden (D-4)  
Concerns regulation of paratransit vehicles and drivers transporting persons in wheelchairs.
  
- S-2885 Girgenti (D-35); Sweeney (D-3)  
Makes emergency medical technician certification valid for five years.
  
- \* S-2886 Weinberg (D-37); Stack (D-33)  
Authorizes central municipal court to hear cases brought by county office of consumer affairs.
  
- S-2887 Beach (D-6); Scutari (D-22)  
Authorizes New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust to expend certain sums to make loans for environmental infrastructure projects.
  
- S-2888 Whelan (D-2); Vitale (D-19)  
Appropriates funds to DEP for environmental infrastructure projects. (2008:A-2778)
  
- S-2889 Gordon (D-38); Smith, B. (D-17)

Makes certain changes to the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust Financing Program. (2008:A-2779)

\* S-2890 Kean, T. (R-21)

Directs Attorney General to publicize information about human trafficking hotlines; mandates law enforcement training on responding to the needs of victims of the crime of human trafficking.

\* S-2891 Karrow (R-23)

Specifies certain information to be included in user-friendly plain language budget summary forms for school districts.

\* S-2892 Baroni (R-14)

"Transparency in Local Government Act."

\* S-2893 Turner (D-15)

Establishes three categories for investigative findings of allegations of child abuse or neglect, substantiated, not substantiated, and unfounded.

\* S-2894 Kean, S. (R-11); Singer (R-30)

Authorizes Council on Affordable Housing to enter into memoranda of understanding with certain planning entities; establishes presumption of compliance with council's regulations; establishes moratorium on builder's remedy.

\* S-2895 Karrow (R-23)

Authorizes unemployment benefits for shared work programs.

\* S-2896 Oroho (R-24); Cardinale (R-39)

Requires physicians to provide patients opportunity to view obstetrical ultrasound or sonogram prior to performing abortion. (2008:A-4025)

\* S-2897 Baroni (R-14)

Designates State Highway Route 29 tunnel in the City of Trenton as "Robert D. Prunetti Tunnel."

\* S-2898 Codey (D-27)

Establishes in DOE a four-year Community Service Phase Two Pilot Enhancement Program.

\* S-2899 Sarlo (D-36); Codey (D-27)

Adds certain third and fourth degree crimes as crimes which have bail restrictions.

\* S-2900 Codey (D-27)

Allows New Jersey gross income taxpayers to elect to deduct certain losses from certain investment arrangements discovered to be criminally fraudulent.

S-2901 Whelan (D-2)

Requires guidance offered by Local Finance Board to members of local governing body employed by casino, or regarding casino employment of immediate family member thereof, be in form of public advisory opinion.

S-2902 Scutari (D-22)

Reduces threshold value of surplus State-owned real property and easements above which legislative review and approval is required before sale.

S-2903 Turner (D-15)

Establishes 60 day amnesty period for certain motor vehicle surcharges.

\* S-2904 Whelan (D-2)

Allows construction of wind dependent energy facilities within 500 feet of mean high water line of tidal waters under certain circumstances.

SCR-147 Madden (D-4)

Calls on the United States Department of Labor to reject a proposed rule for the assessment of occupational health risks. (2008:ACR-215)

\* SCR-148 Beach (D-6)

Designates May 2009 as "Military Appreciation Month" in New Jersey and supporting National Military Appreciation Month. (2008:ACR-178)

SCR-149 Gordon (D-38); Buono (D-18)

Approves FY 2010 Financial Plan of New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust.

\* SCR-150 Kean, S. (R-11); Madden (D-4)

Urges President and Congress to delay normalizing relations with Cuba until Joanne Chesimard is extradited. (2008:ACR-234)

SJR-78 Kean, T. (R-21)

Designates April 10th each years as Sibling's Day.

\* SJR-79 Redd (D-5); Cunningham (D-31)

Permanently designates September "Sickle Cell Disease Awareness Month" in New Jersey. (2008:AJR-118)

\* SR-129 Baroni (R-14); Pennacchio (R-26)

Establishes "Public Pension Fund Sustainability Investigative Commission" to study viability of public employee retirement funds.

\* SR-130 Van Drew (D-1)

Urges DHSS to develop strategies to address concerns raised by DPA regarding assisted living facilities. (2008:AR-196)

\* SR-131 Van Drew (D-1)

Requests DHSS to consider how consumer fraud law can more effectively protect residents of assisted living facilities. (2008:AR-198)