

June 22nd Session Day Report

Senate Budget and Appropriations Committee

A2374 Directs EDA to establish program for public or private financing of certain renewable energy, water, and storm resiliency projects through use by municipalities of voluntary special assessments for certain property owners. **Passed w/ amendments**

A5075 Removes Fire Museum and Fallen Firefighters Memorial from auspices of DEP and establishes museum as independent organization; makes \$200,000 supplemental appropriation. **Passed w/ amendments**

A5121 Concerns provision of energy to certain manufacturing facilities by providing exemptions to certain energy related taxes. **Passed**

A5207 Prohibits State and local entities and private detention facilities from entering into agreement to detain noncitizens. **Passed**

A5345. Expands eligibility under New Jersey earned income tax credit program to allow taxpayers who are at least 18 years of age or older to qualify for modified benefit. **Passed**

A5365 Permits parent or guardian to request grade retention for student during 2021-2022 school year. **Passed**

A5758 Provides funding for experiential housing advocacy programs to provide legal services for low- and moderate-income tenants in need of housing assistance; appropriates \$2 million. **Passed**

A5816 Allows county boards of elections to expand staff and appoint clerk within county budgetary requirements. **Passed**

A5854 Requires position of resident advocate at each State veterans' memorial home. **Passed**

A5886 Awards project grants under "Securing Our Children's Future Fund" for school security projects in certain school districts; appropriates \$66,173,243. **Passed**

A5887 Awards project grants under "Securing Our Children's Future Fund" for water infrastructure projects in certain school districts; appropriates \$6,608,212. **Passed**

A5888 Provides project grants under "Securing Our Children's Future Fund" for career and technical education at county colleges; appropriates \$26,456,996. **Passed**

A5889 Provides project grants under "Securing Our Children's Fund" for career and technical education expansion in county vocational school districts; appropriates \$222,904,769. **Passed**

S598 Raises pay for election workers to \$400 per day or State minimum wage, whichever is greater; appropriates \$5,000,000 to Department of State. **Passed w/ amendments**

S609 Increases term of municipal court judge to five years.

S793 Commits \$3 million from Supplemental Workforce Fund for Basic Skill to NJ Community College Consortium for Workforce and Economic Development. **Passed**

S1147 Requires lead paint inspection on certain residential rental property, including upon tenant turnover; establishes lead-based paint hazard education program; appropriates \$3,900,000. **Substituted and Passed**

S1862 Requires Commissioner of Corrections to institute 30-minute shift overlap in State correctional facilities. **Passed**

S1953 Directs EDA to establish program for public or private financing of certain renewable energy, water, and storm resiliency projects through use by municipalities of voluntary special assessments for certain property owners. **Passed w/ amendments**

S2022 Appropriates \$46,380,012,000 in State funds and \$21,026,030,082 in federal funds for the State budget for fiscal year 2021-2022. **Passed**

S2605 Establishes successor program to solar renewable energy certificate program in BPU, including solicitation process for certain solar power generation facilities. **Passed w/ amendments**

S3284 Provides for accidental death benefit if death of TPAF member and certain PERS members is caused by COVID-19. **Passed**

S3287 Concerns provision of energy to certain manufacturing facilities by providing exemptions to certain energy related taxes. **Passed**

S3319 Eliminates certain juvenile justice fines, fees, costs, and other monetary penalties. **Passed w/ amendments**

S3361 Prohibits State and local entities and private detention facilities from entering into agreement to detain noncitizens. **Passed**

S3428 Expands eligibility under New Jersey earned income tax credit program to allow taxpayers who are at least 18 years of age or older to qualify for modified benefit. **Passed**

S3484 Increases amount of solar energy generation on lands eligible for farmland assessment under certain conditions; revises law concerning solar energy generation on preserved

farmland; directs BPU to provide certain incentives to "dual-use" solar projects on. **Passed w/ amendments**

S3501 Exempts certain commercial fishermen from coverage under "unemployment compensation law." **Passed**

S3600 Restores and revises Urban Enterprise Zone program; appropriates \$42,500,000. **Passed w/ amendments**

S3617 Establishes School Funding Formula Evaluation Task Force. **Passed**

S3633 Increases income eligibility limits for PAAD program and Senior Gold Prescription Discount Program by \$10,000. **Passed**

S3691 Provides financial relief to certain landlords and tenants in response to COVID-19 pandemic, adjusts certain court fees; and makes appropriations. **Passed w/ amendments**

S3798 Eliminates premiums and waiting periods for certain NJ FamilyCare enrollees and directs DHS to implement additional targeted outreach initiatives to increase enrollment. **Passed w/ amendments**

S3842 Provides funding for experiential housing advocacy programs to provide legal services for low- and moderate-income tenants in need of housing assistance; appropriates \$2 million. **Passed**

S3848 Allows county boards of elections to expand staff and appoint clerk within county budgetary requirements. **Passed w/ amendments**

S3872 Permits parent or guardian to request grade retention for student during 2021-2022 school year. **Passed**

S3907 Requires position of resident advocate at each State veterans' memorial home. **Passed**

S3915 Makes permanent temporary enactment allowing certain alcoholic beverage retailers to sell and deliver alcoholic beverages and mixed drinks; establishes certain sale and delivery privileges for alcoholic beverage manufacturers. **Passed w/ amendments**

S3919 Renames Dismal Swamp and Dismal Swamp Preservation Commission as "Peter J. Barnes III Wildlife Preserve" and "Peter J. Barnes III Wildlife Preservation Commission." **Passed**

S3947 Requires that certain provider subsidy payments for child care services be based on enrollment. **Passed w/ amendments**

S3949 FY 2021 State supplemental appropriation; appropriates \$100.3 million in General Fund monies and \$14.4 million in Property Tax Relief Fund monies. **Passed**

S3954 Provides partial pension and retirement income exclusion for taxpayers with income between \$100,000 and \$150,000. **Passed**

S3959 Awards project grants under "Securing Our Children's Future Fund" for school security projects in certain school districts; appropriates \$66,173,243. **Passed**

S3960 Awards project grants under "Securing Our Children's Future Fund" for water infrastructure projects in certain school districts; appropriates \$6,608,212. **Passed**

S3961 Provides project grants under "Securing Our Children's Future Fund" for career and technical education at county colleges; appropriates \$26,456,996. **Passed**

S3962 Provides project grants under "Securing Our Children's Fund" for career and technical education expansion in county vocational school districts; appropriates \$222,904,769. **Passed**

S3965 Rescinds prohibition on return of certain items purchased from retail food stores during COVID-19 state of emergency; provides that future limitations on returns occur during declared public health emergency. **Passed**

S3982 Makes \$135 million in federal funds available to EDA to support eligible entities impacted by COVID-19 pandemic. **Passed**

S3990 [Establishes \$100,000,000 to DCA for purpose of studying and providing grants and technical assistance to license and registered child care providers to support workforce development and other improvements. **Passed w/ amendments**

S3993 Revises various provisions of "New Jersey Economic Recovery Act of 2020" and other economic development programs; establishes New Jersey Innovation Fellows Program; appropriates \$10 million. **Passed**

S3995 Establishes School and Small Business Energy Efficiency Stimulus Program Fund in BPU. **Passed**

S3997 "New Jersey College Affordability Act"; appropriates \$10 million. **Passed**

S3998 Authorizes State Treasurer to determine salary of Director of Division of Investment. **Passed**

S3999 Authorizes Secretary of State and New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission to share voter and motor vehicle information with state-based non-profit organization for maintaining accuracy of voter registration information. **Passed**

S4000 Establishes "New Jersey Debt Defeasance and Prevention Fund," appropriates \$3.7 billion. **Passed**

S4001 [bill added] Removes Fire Museum and Fallen Firefighters Memorial from auspices of DEP and establishes museum as independent organization; makes \$200,000 supplemental appropriation. **Passed**

Assembly Budget Committee

A12 (Coughlin / McKeon / Jasey) - Provides State grants for new accounts opened under New Jersey Better Educational Savings Trust (NJBEST) program; allows tax deductions for contributions to NJBEST accounts, certain tuition payments, and certain student loan payments; appropriates \$10 mil. **Passed**

A13 (Freiman / Armato / Pintor Marin) - Establishes "New Jersey Debt Defeasance and Prevention Fund," appropriates \$3.7 billion. **Passed w/ amendments**

A1372 (Holley / Wimberly / Benson) - Requires lead paint inspection prior to home purchases and tenant turnover; establishes educational program on lead hazards. (pending referral). **Committee Substitute and Passed**

A2135 / S829 (Tully / Swain / Murphy / Lagana / Singleton) - Requires property condition disclosure statement to indicate presence of lead plumbing in residential property. (A2135 is pending referral). **Passed w/ amendments**

A2722 (Mukherji) - Requires Commissioner of Corrections to institute 30-minute shift overlap in State correctional facilities. (pending referral) **Passed**

A4530 (Speight / Vainieri Huttel / Armato) - Provides that New Jersey residents have access to one cost-free postpartum home visit. (pending referral). **Committee Substitute and Passed**

A4554 (Karabinchak / Burzichelli / Houghtaling) - Directs BPU to establish utility-scale solar energy development program. (pending referral). **Committee Substitute and Passed**

A4656 (McKnight / Wimberly / Sumter) - Authorizes creation of local civilian review boards to review police operations and conduct; appropriates \$800,000. (pending referral) **Passed w/ amendments**

A4688 / S3000 (Benson / Verrelli / Vainieri Huttel / Weinberg / Greenstein) - Codifies and establishes certain network adequacy standards for pediatric primary and specialty care in Medicaid program. (pending referral). **Passed w/ amendments**

A4706 (Tucker / McKnight) - Requires Division of Travel and Tourism establish Black Heritage Trail; establishes NJ Black Cultural Heritage Commission. (pending referral) **Passed**

A5019 / S2996 (Taliaferro / Johnson / Testa / Sweeney) - Allows Board of Cosmetology Hairstyling licensees to operate mobile facilities when providing services. (pending referral). **Passed w/ amendments**

A5306 (Downey / Mukherji) - Allows certain voters residing overseas to vote in any election in this State regardless of duration of overseas residency or intent to return. (pending referral). **Passed w/ amendments**

A5520 (Vainieri Huttel / McKnight / Benson) - Increases income eligibility limits for PAAD program and Senior Gold Prescription Discount Program by \$10,000. **Passed w/ amendments**

A5539 (Burzichelli / Benson / Zwicker) - Provides partial pension and retirement income exclusion for taxpayers with income between \$100,000 and \$150,000. (pending referral) **Passed**

A5641 / S3658 (Chiaravalloti / Mukherji / Carter / Cunningham / Scutari) - Eliminates mandatory minimum terms of imprisonment determined by Legislature to be of non-violent nature. (pending referral). **Passed**

A5684 (Timberlake / Jasey / McKnight) - Provides mortgage payment relief for residential property owners and small landlords during time of coronavirus disease 2019 pandemic. (pending referral). **Passed**

A5685 (Timberlake / Wimberly / McKnight) - Provides financial relief to certain landlords and tenants in response to COVID-19 pandemic; and making appropriations. (pending referral). **Passed w/ amendments**

A5689 (Greenwald / Mukherji / Mazzeo) - Appropriates \$25,000,000 from General Fund to Department of State for travel and tourism advertising and promotion for recovery from COVID-19 pandemic. (pending referral). **Passed w/ amendments**

A5698 (Mazzeo / Armato) - Makes \$5 million in federal funds available to Stockton University to support North Athletic Complex project. (pending referral). **Passed**

A5766 / S3724 (Burzichelli / Verrelli / Vainieri Huttel / Bucco / Sweeney) - Appropriates \$5 million to New Jersey Pediatric Cancer Fund. (pending referral). **Passed**

A5805 (Lopez / Benson / Johnson) - Eliminates premiums and waiting periods for certain NJ FamilyCare enrollees; directs DHS to implement additional targeted outreach initiatives to increase enrollment; revises reporting requirements; appropriates \$20 million. (pending referral). **Passed w/ amendments**

A5814 (Swain / Tully) - Creates School Bus Safety Ombudsman position in, but not of, Department of Education. (pending referral) **Passed**

A5862 (Armato / Quijano / Benson) - "Responsible Collective Negotiations Act." (pending referral). **Passed w/ amendments**

A5863 (Swain / Zwicker / Mazzeo) - Establishes child care revitalization fund in Department of Children and Families; appropriates \$100,000,000. (pending referral). **Passed w/ amendments**

A5868 / S3967 (Benson / Verrelli / Vainieri Huttel / Cruz-Perez) - Establishes Opioid Recovery and Remediation Fund and Opioid Recovery and Remediation Fund Advisory Council; provides for funds received from opioid settlements to support substance use disorder prevention and treatment programs. (pending referral). **Passed**

A5870 (Pintor Marin / Burzichelli) - Appropriates \$46,380,012,000 in State funds and \$21,026,030,082 in federal funds for the State budget for fiscal year 2021-2022. (pending intro and referral). **Passed**

A5871 (Pintor Marin / Burzichelli) - FY 2021 State supplemental appropriation; appropriates \$100.3 million in General Fund monies and \$14.4 million in Property Tax Relief Fund monies. (pending intro and referral). **Passed**

A5904 (Johnson / Mazzeo / Zwicker) - Makes \$135 million in federal funds available to EDA to support eligible entities impacted by COVID-19 pandemic. **Passed**

A5905 (Timberlake / Speight / Spearman) - Establishes "Rental Assistance Navigation Program" in DCA; makes appropriation. (pending referral) **Passed w/ amendments**

A5906 (Chaparro) - Rescinds prohibition on return of certain items purchased from retail food stores during COVID-19 state of emergency; provides that future limitations on returns occur during declared public health emergency. (pending referral). **Passed**

A5933 (Coughlin / Mukherji) - Designates Department of Health State office building in Trenton as "Judith M. Persichilli Building." (pending referral). **Passed**

A5938 (Chiaravalloti) - Authorizes State Treasurer to determine salary of Director of Division of Investment. (pending referral). **Passed**

A5939 (Pintor Marin / Burzichelli) - Revises various provisions of "New Jersey Economic Recovery Act of 2020" and other economic development programs; establishes New Jersey Innovation Fellows Program; appropriates \$10 million. (pending intro and referral). **Passed**

A5942 (Pintor Marin) - Authorizes Secretary of State and New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission to share voter and motor vehicle information with state-based non-profit organization for maintaining accuracy of voter registration information. **Passed**

A5943 (Greenwald / Mazzeo / Armato) - Temporarily modifies taxes and credits of casino licensees; permanently redefines promotional gaming credits to include certain coupons and table game wagers; requires priority funding for senior and disabled for senior and disabled transportation services. (pending intro and referral). **Passed**

A5944 (Lampitt / DeAngelo / Giblin) - Establishes School and Small Business Energy Efficiency Stimulus Program Fund in BPU. **Passed**

ACR200 (Houghtaling / Downey / Dancer) - Amends State Constitution to permit sports wagering through casinos and certain horse racetracks on any collegiate athletic competitions; permits sports wagering through certain off-track wagering facilities on any professional, collegiate, or amateur athletic competitions. (pending referral). **Passed w/ amendments**

AJR161 (Tucker) - Calls upon Congress to release funds to offset COVID-19 related losses to DMVA's veteran memorial homes, and to fully fund rebuilding two veteran memorial homes. (pending referral). **Passed**

S829. Requires property condition disclosure statement to indicate presence of lead plumbing in residential property. **Passed**

S2996 Allows Board of Cosmetology Hairstyling licensees to operate mobile facilities when providing services. **Passed w/ amendments**

S3000 Codifies and establishes certain network adequacy standards for pediatric primary and specialty care in Medicaid program. **Passed w/ amendments**

S3658 Eliminates mandatory minimum terms of imprisonment determined by Legislature to be of non-violent nature. **Passed**

S3724 Appropriates \$5 million to New Jersey Pediatric Cancer Fund. **Passed**

S3967 Creates sexual assault prevention and response program and coordinator in DMVA. **Passed**

SCR133 (Sarlo / Gopal) - Amends State Constitution to permit sports wagering through casinos and current or former horse racetracks on any collegiate athletic competitions. (pending referral). **Passed**

Assembly Housing Committee

A1372 (Holley / Wimberly / Benson) - Requires lead paint inspection prior to home purchases and tenant turnover; establishes educational program on lead hazards. **Committee Substitute and Passed**

A5684 (Timberlake / Jasey / McKnight) - Provides mortgage payment relief for residential property owners and small landlords during time of coronavirus disease 2019 pandemic. (pending referral) **Passed**

A5685 (Timberlake / Wimberly / McKnight) - Provides financial relief to certain landlords and tenants in response to COVID-19 pandemic; and making appropriations. **Passed w/ Amendments**

A5905 (Timberlake / Speight / Spearman) - Establishes "Rental Assistance Navigation Program" in DCA; makes appropriation. **Passed**

Assembly Agriculture Committee

A1565 (Houghtaling / Taliaferro / Mazzeo) - Creates alternate voting members on county agriculture development boards. **Passed**

A2094 (Swain / Houghtaling / Tully) - Establishes "pollinator-friendly" label for plants. **Passed**

A2126 (Tully / Houghtaling / Swain) - Directs DEP to establish pollinator habitat program for closed landfills. **Passed**

A2401 (Wimberly / Lopez / Coughlin) - "Responsible Dog Ownership Act." **Committee Substitute and Passed**

A5434 (Dancer / Armato / Houghtaling) - Increases amount of solar energy generation on lands eligible for farmland assessment under certain conditions; revises law concerning solar energy generation on preserved farmland; directs BPU to provide certain incentives to "dual-use" solar projects. **Committee Substitute and Passed**