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A-111 Vainieri Huttle, V. (D-37); Johnson, G.M. (D-37);

Allows business tax credit to employers giving paid leave to employees for service with volunteer emergency services organizations.

Related Bill: S-457

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

*Public Safety - Emergency Services
Taxation - Business Taxes*

A-192 Johnson, G.M. (D-37); Vainieri Huttle, V. (D-37);

Creates presumption regarding disability pension and workers compensation eligibility for public employees and emergency personnel participating in World Trade Center operations; requires Commissioner of Health and Senior Services to develop health regis

Related Bill: S-619

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ASG

Labor - Workers Compensation

A-195 Johnson, G.M. (D-37); Vainieri Huttle, V. (D-37); Wagner, C. (D-38); Munoz, E. (R-21)

Increases contribution limit by counties and municipalities to volunteer first aid, ambulance, and rescue squads.

Related Bill: S-104

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHO

*Local Government - Counties
Local Government - Municipalities
Public Safety - Emergency Services*

A-209 Johnson, G.M. (D-37);

Creates defibrillator grant program in DHSS for municipalities; appropriates \$1.5 million.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

*Local Government - Municipalities
Public Safety - Emergency Services*

A-212 Bramnick, J.M. (R-21); Stender, L. (D-22); Lampitt, P.R. (D-6); Vainieri Huttle, V. (D-37)

Requires motorists to stop for pedestrians in or waiting to enter crosswalks.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ATR

Motor Vehicles - Traffic Safety

A-214 Bramnick, J.M. (R-21); Munoz, E. (R-21); Prieto, V. (D-32)

Requires traffic to stop for senior citizen transportation vehicles with certain equipment.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ATR

*Motor Vehicles - Traffic Safety
Senior Citizens*

A-229 Bramnick, J.M. (R-21);

Requires employers to provide time off from work for members of certain volunteer organizations to respond to fires under certain conditions.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Labor

Public Safety - Firefighters

A-238 Bramnick, J.M. (R-21); Vas, J. (D-19); Diegnan, P.J. (D-18); Wagner, C. (D-38)

"Janet's Law"; requires public schools, recreational fields and youth camps to have automated external defibrillators for youth athletic events, and public schools to include pupil training in use thereof and in cardio-pulmonary resuscitation.

Related Bill: S-1236

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AED

Health

Sports and Recreation

A-255 Vandervalk, C. (R-39); Greenstein, L.R. (D-14); McHose, A.L. (R-24); Chivukula, U.J. (D-17); Prieto, V. (D-32); Voss, J.M. (D-38)

Revises New Jersey Safe Haven Infant Protection Act.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHU

Human Services - Children

A-267 Vandervalk, C. (R-39); Connors, J. (D-7); Voss, J.M. (D-38);

Tucker, C.G. (D-28); Diegnan, P.J. (D-18); McKeon, J.F. (D-27); Evans, E. (D-35); Greenstein, L.R. (D-14)

Authorizes parent or guardian to request use of individualized health care plan for student with diabetes and provides for the emergency administration of glucagon for certain students.

Related Bill: S-2426

Dec 8, 2008 – Reported

Dec 8, 2008 – 2nd Rdg. in Sen.

Education

Education - Teachers and School Employees

Health - Disease

A-268 Vandervalk, C. (R-39);

Requires that all emergency departments have necessary pediatric equipment available.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHE

Human Services - Children

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-270 Vandervalk, C. (R-39);

Permits appointment of municipal emergency management coordinator from contiguous or adjoining municipality.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-320 Quigley, J.M. (D-32); Johnson, G.M. (D-37)

Establishes disaster needs and volunteer resources database program.

Position: Support

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

Terrorism

A-321 Quigley, J.M. (D-32); Lampitt, P.R. (D-6); Johnson, G.M. (D-37); Fisher, D.H. (D-3)

Requires photographic identification cards for certain health care professionals.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHE

Health - Professionals

A-325 Quigley, J.M. (D-32);

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Requires certain ambulances to be equipped with global positioning system technology; appropriates \$500,000 to DHSS.

Position: Opposed

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHS

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-448 Malone, J.R. (R-30); Chivukula, U.J. (D-17); Wisniewski, J.S. (D-19); Scalera, F. (D-36); Greenstein, L.R. (D-14); Diegnan, P.J. (D-18)
Includes local emergency management volunteers in Emergency Services Volunteer Length of Service Award Program.

Position: Support

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHS

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-458 Malone, J.R. (R-30); Lampitt, P.R. (D-6);

Requires the placement of defibrillators in a public school complex.

Position: No Position

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AED

*Education - School Facilities
Health*

A-527 Vas, J. (D-19);

Authorizes municipal governing body to create and maintain list of municipal residents in need of special assistance in case of emergency for public safety purposes.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHO

*Local Government - Municipalities
Public Safety*

A-543 Dancer, R.S. (R-30); Holzapfel, J.W. (R-10); Wolfe, D.W. (R-10)

Establishes defibrillator grant program in DHSS for placement of defibrillators in senior citizen centers.

Related Bill: S-1044

Position: Support

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHE

*Health
Senior Citizens*

A-640 Lampitt, P.R. (D-6); Greenwald, L.D. (D-6); Diegnan, P.J. (D-18)

Requires schools and youth baseball leagues to have defibrillators on site during baseball games and practices.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

*Health
Public Safety
Sports and Recreation*

A-653 Doherty, M.J. (R-23); Vas, J. (D-19); Biondi, P.J. (R-16); Karrow, M.A. (R-23); Angelini, M.P. (R-11); Rible, D.P. (R-11)

Allows certain volunteer firefighters, rescue and first aid squad members to claim \$500 income tax deduction.

Position: Monitor

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

*Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters
Taxation - Personal Income Tax*

A-660 Doherty, M.J. (R-23); Karrow, M.A. (R-23); Biondi, P.J. (R-16);

*Munoz, E. (R-21)
Exempts volunteer fire companies from charitable registration fees.*

Related Bill: S-1050

Position: Support with qualification

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

*Charities and Non Profit Organizations
Public Safety - Firefighters*

A-722 Greenwald, L.D. (D-6);

Authorizes county surrogates to establish or expand programs to provide information to law enforcement officers, firefighters and first aid squad members concerning the preparation of wills, living wills and powers of attorney.

Position: Support

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AJU

*Local Government - Local Office
Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters
Public Safety - Police
Wills, Trusts and Estates*

A-735 Greenwald, L.D. (D-6);

Adds budget language specifying Medicaid reimbursement for various ambulance services provided to certain recipients.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHU

Human Services - Medicaid

A-762 Conners, J. (D-7); Chivukula, U.J. (D-17); Scalera, F. (D-36);

Conaway, H. (D-7); Greenwald, L.D. (D-6); Greenstein, L.R. (D-14)
Increases maximum LOSAP contributions and prospectively changes certain vesting requirements.

Position: Support with qualification

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-898 Holzapfel, J.W. (R-10);

Directs DHSS to adopt regulations concerning the billing practices and fees charged for basic and advanced life support services.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHE

*Health
Health - Finance*

A-905 Holzapfel, J.W. (R-10);

Ensures operation of certain motor fuel storage, distribution and dispensing facilities during disasters and emergencies.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHS

Energy

A-916 Scalera, F. (D-36); Diegnan, P.J. (D-18); Conners, J. (D-7);

Bramnick, J.M. (R-21)
Requires public school district to provide paid time off when certain volunteer emergency aid workers are called to alarm during work hours.

Position: Support

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AED

*Education - Teachers and School Employees
Public Safety - Emergency Services*

A-917 Scalera, F. (D-36); Chivukula, U.J. (D-17); Burzichelli, J.J. (D-3); Greenstein, L.R. (D-14); Munoz, E. (R-21); Conners, J. (D-7); Angelini, M.P. (R-11)

Establishes "New Jersey Fire and EMS Crisis Intervention Services" telephone hotline.

Related Bill: S-1772

Position: Support

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHS

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-918 Scalera, F. (D-36); Burzichelli, J.J. (D-3); Johnson, G.M. (D-37); McKeon, J.F. (D-27); Quigley, J.M. (D-32); Watson Coleman, B. (D-15); Cryan, J. (D-20); Wisniewski, J.S. (D-19); Greenstein, L.R. (D-14); Vas, J. (D-19); Giblin, T.P. (D-34); Prieto, V. (D-32)

Makes temporary insurance and temporary domestic security local cap exceptions permanent; exempts pre-July 7, 2004 contract obligations from current, lower cap.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHO

Local Budget and Finance

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-931 Scalera, F. (D-36); Quigley, J.M. (D-32); Burzichelli, J.J. (D-3); Caputo, R.R. (D-28); Lampitt, P.R. (D-6)

Grants volunteers affiliated with Citizen Corps immunity from civil liability when responding to emergency.

Jan 28, 2008 – Rep. with Aca

Jan 28, 2008 – Ref.: AJU

Civil Justice - Tort Liability

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-938 Thompson, S.D. (R-13); Vas, J. (D-19)

Includes auxiliary police officers in Emergency Services Length of Service Award Program.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

Public Safety - Police

A-985 Cruz-Perez, N. (D-5); Watson Coleman, B. (D-15); Chivukula, U.J. (D-17); Conaway, H. (D-7); Conners, J. (D-7); Cryan, J. (D-20); Greenwald, L.D. (D-6); Gusciora, R. (D-15); McKeon, J.F. (D-27); Quigley, J.M. (D-32); Roberts, J.J. (D-5); Scalera, F. (D-36)

Requires emergency first aid and first responder retraining for local law enforcement officers; establishes a "duty to act" in emergency situations for on-duty local law enforcement officers.

Position: Monitor

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Public Safety - Police

A-989 Cruz-Perez, N. (D-5); Roberts, J.J. (D-5); Greenwald, L.D. (D-6); Gusciora, R. (D-15); Watson Coleman, B. (D-15); Johnson, G.M. (D-37); Conners, J. (D-7); Conaway, H. (D-7)

Affords emergency services peer counselors confidentiality privileges.

Related Bill: S-1738

Position: Support

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-1043 Biondi, P.J. (R-16); DeCroce, A. (R-26);

Creates defibrillator grant program in DHSS for municipalities; appropriates \$1.7 million.

Position: Opposed with qualification

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHE

Local Government - Municipalities

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-1050 Biondi, P.J. (R-16);

Requires Medicaid program to increase reimbursement for ambulance services provided to Medicaid recipients who are also Medicare eligible to Medicare rate.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHE

Human Services - Medicaid

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-1058 Biondi, P.J. (R-16);

Authorizes licensed air ambulance services to be dispatched as air medical unit first responders in New Jersey and directs DHSS to establish certain dispatch guidelines.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHE

Aviation

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-1060 Biondi, P.J. (R-16); McKeon, J.F. (D-27)

Increases maximum municipal contribution to fire districts and volunteer fire companies; indexes amount biennially for inflation.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHO

Local Budget and Finance

Local Government - Municipalities

Public Safety - Firefighters

A-1074 Cryan, J. (D-20); Carroll, M.P. (R-25);

Authorizes municipalities and fire districts to require physician's certificate as condition for service or continuing service by volunteer fire fighters.

Dec 15, 2008 – Passed Assembly (76-0-1)

Dec 15, 2008 – Rec'd by Sen.

Dec 15, 2008 – Ref.: SCU

Local Government - Municipalities

Public Safety - Firefighters

A-1170 Oliver, S.Y. (D-34); Conners, J. (D-7); Conaway, H. (D-7)

Prohibits hospital from denying admission or services to patient based on patient's HMO coverage, and requires HMO's to cover legitimate emergency health care.

Position: Monitor

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AFI

Health - Facilities

Insurance - Health Insurance

A-1179 Oliver, S.Y. (D-34); Quigley, J.M. (D-32); Holzapfel, J.W. (R-10);

Greenstein, L.R. (D-14); Vainieri Huttle, V. (D-37); Wagner, C. (D-38); Giblin, T.P. (D-34); Ramos Jr., R.J. (D-33); Vas, J. (D-19); Scalera, F. (D-36); Conners, J. (D-7); Gusciora, R. (D-15); Love, S. (D-4); Chiappone, A. (D-31)
Imposes conditions on drivers approaching stopped emergency vehicles, tow trucks or highway maintenance vehicles displaying flashing lights.

Related Bill: S-180

Position: Support

Dec 15, 2008 – Subs. by: S180

Motor Vehicles - Regulation

Motor Vehicles - Traffic Safety

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-1260 Moriarty, P.D. (D-4);

Permits EMT, paramedic, or investigator for county medical examiner's office to make determination and pronouncement of death under certain circumstances.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHE

Health

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-1263 Moriarty, P.D. (D-4); Burzichelli, J.J. (D-3); Fisher, D.H. (D-3);

Love, S. (D-4); Albano, N.T. (D-1); Scalera, F. (D-36)

Affords employment protection to certain volunteer emergency responders.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters

A-1292 Stender, L. (D-22); Burzichelli, J.J. (D-3); Greenstein, L.R. (D-14); Diegnan, P.J. (D-18); Conners, J. (D-7); Conaway, H. (D-7); Roberts, J.J. (D-5); Green, J. (D-22); McKeon, J.F. (D-27); Cryan, J. (D-20); Dancer, R.S. (R-30); Giblin, T.P. (D-34); Wisniewski, J.S. (D-19); Lampitt, P.R. (D-6)

Establishes low interest mortgage program in HMFA for volunteer fire and rescue squad members.

Position: Support

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHO

Housing - Housing Finance
Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters

A-1293 Stender, L. (D-22); Wisniewski, J.S. (D-19);

Adds representatives from the Department of Community Affairs to the Domestic Security Preparedness Task Force.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHS

Terrorism

A-1307 Stender, L. (D-22);

Requires each municipality to establish a Reverse 9-1-1 system.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Communications
Public Safety

A-1329 Stender, L. (D-22); Wisniewski, J.S. (D-19); Bramnick, J.M. (R-21); Ramos Jr., R.J. (D-33); Rumpf, B.E. (R-9)

Revises laws concerning pedestrian safety and traffic control; requires drivers to stop and remain stopped for pedestrians under certain conditions.

Mar 6, 2008 – Rep. with Aca
Mar 6, 2008 – 2nd reading in Assembly

Motor Vehicles - Traffic Safety
Transportation - Highways

A-1330 Stender, L. (D-22); Greenstein, L.R. (D-14); Egan, J.V. (D-17);

"Thomas P. Canzanella Twenty First Century First Responders Protection Act"; concerns workers' compensation for public safety workers.

Related Bill: S-569
Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ALA

Labor - Workers Compensation
Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters
Public Safety - Police
Terrorism

A-1336 Prieto, V. (D-32);

Requires NJT to install mile markers and develop emergency response access plan for railroad lines.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ATR

Transportation - Mass Transit

A-1358 Prieto, V. (D-32); Evans, E. (D-35)

Waives commercial driver's license requirements for certain Office of Emergency Management drivers.

Related Bill: S-522
Feb 28, 2008 – Posted but held: ATR

Motor Vehicles - Commercial Vehicles
Motor Vehicles - Regulation
Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-1386 Conaway, H. (D-7); Biondi, P.J. (R-16);

Establishes procedures for operation of air ambulance services.

Related Bill: S-629
Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHE

Aviation
Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-1402 Wagner, C. (D-38);

Permits students in grades nine through 12 to self-administer medication for life-threatening allergic reactions.

May 5, 2008 – Withdrawn

Education

A-1461 DeCroce, A. (R-26); Biondi, P.J. (R-16); Malone, J.R. (R-30)

Establishes State Capital Coordinating Council on Emergency Evacuation Routes and Procedures.

Mar 17, 2008 – Rec'd by Sen.
Mar 17, 2008 – Ref.: STR

Commissions
Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-1525 Angelini, M.P. (R-11);

Provides volunteer EMTs, volunteer firefighters mileage reimbursement; makes appropriations.

Related Bill: S-331

Position: Monitor

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters

A-1665 McHose, A.L. (R-24); Chivukula, U.J. (D-17); DeCroce, A. (R-26);

Doherty, M.J. (R-23); Biondi, P.J. (R-16); Merkt, R.A. (R-25); Karrow, M.A. (R-23); Chiusano, G.R. (R-24)

Exempts construction, expansion or renovation of buildings or other structures for police departments, fire departments, and volunteer first aid, emergency, ambulance or rescue squads from "Highlands Water Protection and Planning Act."

Related Bill: S-407
Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AEN

Environment - Natural Resources

A-1685 McHose, A.L. (R-24); Chiusano, G.R. (R-24);

Requires voter registration forms be made available when applying for hunting, fishing, or trapping license.

Position: Support

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: ASG

Elections
Sports and Recreation

A-1705 Munoz, E. (R-21); Chivukula, U.J. (D-17); Angelini, M.P. (R-11)

Establishes guidelines for operating authorized emergency vehicles in emergency situations.

Position: Opposed with qualification

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHS

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-1721 Munoz, E. (R-21); Conaway, H. (D-7)

Requires HMOs that contract with DHS to reimburse hospitals for emergency services based on cost of those services.

Related Bill: A-1811
Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHE

Insurance - Health Insurance
Public Safety - Emergency Services

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A-1787 Milam, M.W. (D-1);

Permits exclusion from calculation of adjusted municipal tax levy of increases greater than four percent in amounts required to be raised for emergency service purposes.

Jan 24, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 24, 2008 – Ref.: AHO

*Local Government - Municipalities
Public Safety - Emergency Services
Taxation - Property Tax*

A-1801 Milam, M.W. (D-1); Albano, N.T. (D-1);

Requires State to offer surplus State police vehicles to certain volunteer fire and emergency service organizations.

Related Bill: S-1155

Position: Support

Jan 24, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 24, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Public Safety - Police

A-1802 Milam, M.W. (D-1);

Concerns certain workers' compensation survivor benefits and certain supplemental benefits.

Jan 24, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 24, 2008 – Ref.: ALA

Labor - Workers Compensation

A-1893 Cohen, N.M. (D-20);

Designated Kevin Apuzzio's Law; allows municipalities to provide increased survivor pensions for certain volunteer emergency workers and requires municipalities to provide health and life insurance coverage to volunteer firefighters.

Sep 22, 2008 – Withdrawn

*Insurance - Health Insurance
Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters*

A-1897 Chivukula, U.J. (D-17);

Expands list of Safe Haven sites, provides drop-off location information be made available by 2-1-1 call centers; appropriates \$95,000.

Related Bill: S-184

Position: Opposed

Jan 28, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 28, 2008 – Ref.: AHU

Human Services - Children

A-1908 Scalera, F. (D-36); Roberts, J.J. (D-5); Chiappone, A. (D-31); Wagner, C. (D-38); Munoz, E. (R-21); Milam, M.W. (D-1); Albano, N.T. (D-1); Conners, J. (D-7); Schaer, G.S. (D-36); Chivukula, U.J. (D-17); Diegnan, P.J. (D-18); Weinberg, L. (D-37); Gordon, R.M. (D-38); Kean, T.H. (R-21); Sarlo, P.A. (D-36)

Requires DHSS and DHS to establish autism and intellectual and other developmental disabilities awareness program for certain first responders.

Related Bill: S-1217

Position: Support with qualification

Sep 9, 2008 – Signed by the Governor: PL80

*Health - Disease
Human Services - Disabled
Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters
Public Safety - Police*

A-1977 Scalera, F. (D-36); Cohen, N.M. (D-20); Evans, E. (D-35);

Lampitt, P.R. (D-6); Vas, J. (D-19)

Requires sports and entertainment facilities to submit evacuation plan with municipal emergency management coordinator.

Mar 17, 2008 – Rec'd by Sen.
Mar 17, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

*Public Safety - Emergency Services
Sports and Recreation*

A-1978 Cohen, N.M. (D-20);

Requires each public school to observe a period of silence on September 11 of each school year.

Sep 22, 2008 – Withdrawn

Education

A-1979 Munoz, E. (R-21); Rible, D.P. (R-11); Angelini, M.P. (R-11)

Provides immunity from civil liability to anyone who in good faith uses an automated external defibrillator in an emergency.

Jan 28, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 28, 2008 – Ref.: AJU

*Civil Justice - Tort Liability
Health*

A-1988 Munoz, E. (R-21); Biondi, P.J. (R-16); Coyle, D.M. (R-16)

"Highway Accident Property Tax Relief Act;" requires State to reimburse municipalities for costs of providing certain emergency services.

Position: Support with qualification

Jan 28, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jan 28, 2008 – Ref.: AHO

*Public Safety - Emergency Services
Taxation - Property Tax*

A-2058 Burzichelli, J.J. (D-3);

Provides surviving spouses of certain fire and police personnel who die in line of duty with workers' compensation for entire period of survivorship.

Related Bill: S-668

Feb 7, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Feb 7, 2008 – Ref.: ALA

*Labor - Workers Compensation
Public Safety - Firefighters
Public Safety - Police*

A-2119 Karrow, M.A. (R-23);

Requires Domestic Security Preparedness Planning Group to include a representative of New Jersey State First Aid Council.

Related Bill: S-1736

Position: Support

Feb 25, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Feb 25, 2008 – Ref.: AHS

Public Safety

A-2192 Rumpf, B.E. (R-9); Van Pelt, D.M. (R-9); Karrow, M.A. (R-23);

Allows certain volunteer firefighters, rescue and first aid squad members to claim \$5,000 income tax deduction.

Position: Support

Feb 25, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Feb 25, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

*Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters
Taxation - Personal Income Tax*

A-2309 Diegnan, P.J. (D-18); Vas, J. (D-19); Coutinho, A. (D-29);

Wisniewski, J.S. (D-19)

Requires assisted living facilities to have defibrillator on site and employees trained to use defibrillator.

Feb 26, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Feb 26, 2008 – Ref.: AHE

Health - Facilities

A-2351 Vandervalk, C. (R-39);

Authorizes special license plates for county and municipal emergency management volunteers.

Feb 26, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Feb 26, 2008 – Ref.: AHS

Motor Vehicles - Regulation
Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-2369 Cohen, N.M. (D-20);
Authorizes reimbursement for EMT training from EMT Training Fund for certain volunteer firefighters.

Position: Opposed with qualification
Sep 22, 2008 – Withdrawn

Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters

A-2395 Diegnan, P.J. (D-18); Barnes III, P.J. (D-18); Egan, J.V. (D-17); Lampitt, P.R. (D-6); Vainieri Huttel, V. (D-37); Wagner, C. (D-38)
Requires the placement of defibrillators in public use airports.

Feb 28, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Feb 28, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Aviation
Health

A-2404 Merkt, R.A. (R-25);
Requires impact statement for any proposed regulation affecting volunteer ambulance squads and fire companies.

Position: Support
Feb 28, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Feb 28, 2008 – Ref.: AHO

Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters

A-2443 Greenstein, L.R. (D-14);
Requires the placement of defibrillators in public school buildings.
Mar 3, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Mar 3, 2008 – Ref.: AED

Education - School Facilities
Health

A-2457 Rible, D.P. (R-11);
Requires Office of Emergency Management to maintain directory of emergency supplies.

Related Bill: S-451
Mar 6, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Mar 6, 2008 – Ref.: AHS

Environment - Natural Resources - Water Supply
Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-2476 Rible, D.P. (R-11);
Expands authority of emergency management departments in requesting assistance outside normal territorial jurisdictions.

Related Bill: S-534
Mar 10, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Mar 10, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-2616 Cohen, N.M. (D-20);
Provides certain requirements for donation container solicitations by charities.

Sep 22, 2008 – Withdrawn
Charities and Non Profit Organizations

A-2643 Lampitt, P.R. (D-6); Wagner, C. (D-38);
Requires acquisition of defibrillators for use in public and nonpublic high schools and training of certain personnel in usage; appropriates \$900,000.

Related Bill: S-1134
May 12, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
May 12, 2008 – Ref.: AED

Education
Health
Sports and Recreation

A-2677 Chiappone, A. (D-31);
Directs DHSS to develop plan to phase out use of powdered latex gloves in health care facilities and food service establishments.

May 12, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
May 12, 2008 – Ref.: AHE

Health
Health - Facilities

A-2698 Rible, D.P. (R-11);
Clarifies powers of public safety directors.

May 12, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
May 12, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Public Safety

A-2709 Quigley, J.M. (D-32); Greenwald, L.D. (D-6); Pou, N. (D-35); Cryan, J. (D-20); Lampitt, P.R. (D-6); Wagner, C. (D-38)
Requires that automated external defibrillators be located on every floor of State House and State House Annex; requires training for State Police.

May 12, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
May 12, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Health
State Government

A-2837 Rible, D.P. (R-11); Angelini, M.P. (R-11); Johnson, G.M. (D-37)
Exempts certain volunteer emergency service organizations from charitable contribution filing fees.

May 22, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
May 22, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Charities and Non Profit Organizations

A-2916 Bramnick, J.M. (R-21);
Requires impact statement for any proposed regulation affecting volunteer ambulance squad and fire company.

Related Bill: S-284

Position: Support
Jun 12, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jun 12, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters

A-3012 Cohen, N.M. (D-20);
Requires DHSS to establish emergency action plan for hospitals.
Sep 22, 2008 – Withdrawn

Health - Facilities
Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-3028 Rumpf, B.E. (R-9); Van Pelt, D.M. (R-9); Albano, N.T. (D-1); Milam, M.W. (D-1);

Requires State and county offices of emergency management to designate critical infrastructure in need of emergency power generators.

Related Bill: S-2027
Jun 19, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jun 19, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Public Safety
Public Safety - Emergency Services
Terrorism

A-3039 Scalera, F. (D-36); Moriarty, P.D. (D-4); Wagner, C. (D-38); Burzichelli, J.J. (D-3); Conaway, H. (D-7); Connors, J. (D-7); Voss, J.M. (D-38)

Excludes financial benefit received by volunteer emergency responder from gross income.

Jun 19, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
Jun 19, 2008 – Ref.: AAP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-3045 Milam, M.W. (D-1); Rumpf, B.E. (R-9); Albano, N.T. (D-1); Van Pelt, D.M. (R-9)

Directs Office of Emergency Management to develop and undertake annual public awareness campaign concerning State's emergency coastal evacuation plan.

Related Bill: S-2034

Jun 19, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jun 19, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Beaches and Shores

Public Safety

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-3047 Milam, M.W. (D-1); Albano, N.T. (D-1); Rumpf, B.E. (R-9); Van Pelt, D.M. (R-9)

Prohibits towing and transportation of boats during emergency evacuations.

Related Bill: S-2030

Jun 19, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jun 19, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Boats and Vessels

Public Safety

Public Safety - Emergency Services

Transportation - Highways

A-3050 Rumpf, B.E. (R-9); Albano, N.T. (D-1); Milam, M.W. (D-1); Van Pelt, D.M. (R-9); Love, S. (D-4); Burzichelli, J.J. (D-3)

Allows counties to establish emergency management registry for individuals with special needs.

Related Bill: S-2026

Jun 19, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jun 19, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-3051 Rumpf, B.E. (R-9); Milam, M.W. (D-1); Albano, N.T. (D-1); Van Pelt, D.M. (R-9)

Establishes commission authorized to identify and locate emergency shelters.

Related Bill: S-2029

Jun 19, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jun 19, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Commissions

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-3052 Albano, N.T. (D-1); Rumpf, B.E. (R-9); Milam, M.W. (D-1); Burzichelli, J.J. (D-3); Van Pelt, D.M. (R-9); Gusciora, R. (D-15); Chivukula, U.J. (D-17); Lampitt, P.R. (D-6)

Expands emergency operations plans to include care for domestic animals.

Related Bill: S-2028

Nov 24, 2008 – Rec'd by Sen.

Nov 24, 2008 – Ref.: SEG

Animals

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-3054 Albano, N.T. (D-1); Rumpf, B.E. (R-9); Milam, M.W. (D-1); Van Pelt, D.M. (R-9); Love, S. (D-4)

Requires State and local emergency operations plans include provisions to address needs of families of emergency responders serving during a disaster or emergency.

Related Bill: S-2031

Jun 19, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Jun 19, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Public Safety

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-3074 Cohen, N.M. (D-20);

Revises dispatch protocol for mobile intensive care units.

Sep 15, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Sep 15, 2008 – Ref.: AHE

Health - Facilities

A-3138 Handlin, A.H. (R-13); Rible, D.P. (R-11);

Allows a motor fuel tax refund for fuel used by certain volunteer first responders operating personal vehicles during emergency responses.

Sep 22, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Sep 22, 2008 – Ref.: AAP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

Taxation - Alcohol, Gasoline and Tobacco Taxes

A-3183 Dancer, R.S. (R-30);

Codifies standard for rehospitalization after conditional discharge from psychiatric facility.

Position: Support

Sep 22, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Sep 22, 2008 – Ref.: AHU

Human Services - Mental Health

A-3286 Scalera, F. (D-36); Conners, J. (D-7); Biondi, P.J. (R-16)

Grants workers' compensation coverage to volunteer firefighters going to or returning from their stations when called to a fire.

Dec 8, 2008 – Reported

Dec 8, 2008 – Ref.: AAP

Labor - Workers Compensation

Public Safety - Firefighters

A-3396 Chiusano, G.R. (R-24); McHose, A.L. (R-24);

Provides authorized emergency vehicles protection under lemon law.

Related Bill: S-2304

Oct 27, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Oct 27, 2008 – Ref.: ACO

Motor Vehicles

Public Safety - Emergency Services

A-3434 Scalera, F. (D-36); Albano, N.T. (D-1);

Establishes that board of fire commissioners provide emergency medical services to areas encompassing each fire district.

Related Bill: S-2282

Nov 13, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Nov 13, 2008 – Ref.: AHS

Public Safety - Emergency Services

ACR-139 Karrow, M.A. (R-23);

Proposes constitutional amendment requiring Legislature to enact statute authorizing property tax deduction for primary residence of volunteer fire fighter, first aid, or emergency services squad member.

Feb 25, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

Feb 25, 2008 – Ref.: AHO

Constitutional Amendments

Public Safety - Emergency Services

Public Safety - Firefighters

Taxation - Property Tax

ACR-175 Biondi, P.J. (R-16); McHose, A.L. (R-24); Chiusano, G.R. (R-24)

Proposes constitutional amendment permitting Legislature to adopt statute allowing municipalities to enact ordinances authorizing property tax deduction for primary residence of volunteer firefighter or first aid squad member.

May 12, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

May 12, 2008 – Ref.: AHO

Constitutional Amendments

Public Safety - Emergency Services

Public Safety - Firefighters

Taxation - Property Tax

ACR-176 Scalera, F. (D-36);

Designates May 18 through 24, 2008, as "Emergency Medical Services Week."

Related Bill: SCR-104

May 12, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.

May 12, 2008 – Ref.: AHS

May 12, 2008 – Reported
 May 12, 2008 – 2nd reading in Assembly

Commemorations
Public Safety - Emergency Services

AR-57 Vandervalk, C. (R-39);

Encourages boards of education to include CPR training as part of high school curriculum.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
 Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AED

Education - Curricula

AR-60 Quigley, J.M. (D-32);

Urges Port Authority of NY and NJ and Delaware River Port Authority to expeditiously provide defibrillators on every rapid transit train set.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
 Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHE

Authorities - Interstate
Health
Transportation - Mass Transit

AR-65 Holzapfel, J.W. (R-10); Rumpf, B.E. (R-9)

Urges Commissioner of Health and Senior Services to investigate charges for paramedic services billed by Monmouth Ocean Hospital Service Corporation to Monmouth and Ocean County residents.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
 Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AHE

Public Safety - Emergency Services

AR-67 Scalera, F. (D-36); Quigley, J.M. (D-32); Voss, J.M. (D-38); Prieto, V. (D-32); Vas, J. (D-19)

Encourages teachers and school employees to become Community Emergency Response Team volunteers.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
 Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: AED

Education - Teachers and School Employees

AR-68 Scalera, F. (D-36); Conaway, H. (D-7); Cruz-Perez, N. (D-5);

Prieto, V. (D-32); Lampitt, P.R. (D-6)
Urges wireless telephone companies to inform their subscribers that they may participate in ICE (In Case of Emergency) campaign.

May 5, 2008 – Reported
 May 5, 2008 – 2nd reading in Assembly

Communications

AR-120 Scalera, F. (D-36);

Recognizes NJ Community Emergency Response Teams.

Related Bill: SR-28

May 19, 2008 – Intr. in Asm.
 May 19, 2008 – Ref.: AHS

Commemorations
Public Safety - Emergency Services

AR-137 Cohen, N.M. (D-20);

Constitutes Assembly Financial Institutions and Insurance Committee as special committee to investigate the processes of Emergency Medical Services system; grants committee subpoena power.

Sep 22, 2008 – Withdrawn

Commissions
Legislature
Public Safety - Emergency Services

S-104 Weinberg, L. (D-37); Sarlo, P.A. (D-36)

Increases contribution limit by counties and municipalities to volunteer first aid, ambulance, and rescue squads.

Related Bill: A-195

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
 Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: SCU

Local Government - Counties
Local Government - Municipalities
Public Safety - Emergency Services

S-167 Bucco, A.R. (R-25); Haines, P.E. (R-8); Kean, T.H. (R-21); Lance, L. (R-23)

Permits municipalities to offer prescription drug benefit to certain retired volunteer firefighters and other emergency aid volunteers.

Position: Support

Oct 2, 2008 – Reported
 Oct 2, 2008 – 2nd Rdg. in Sen.
 Oct 2, 2008 – Ref.: SBA

Insurance - Health Insurance
Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters

S-168 Bucco, A.R. (R-25); Pennacchio, J. (R-26);

Makes certain requirements concerning downhill skiing.

Related Bill: A-3612

Jan 13, 2009 – Rec'd by Asm.
 Jan 13, 2009 – Ref.: ATG

Sports and Recreation

S-173 Bucco, A.R. (R-25); Sarlo, P.A. (D-36); Van Drew, J. (D-1)

Requires training in diabetes care for certain school employees and use of medical management plans in schools for students with diabetes.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
 Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: SED

Education - Teachers and School Employees
Health - Disease
Human Services - Children

S-180 Bucco, A.R. (R-25); Girgenti, J.A. (D-35); Oliver, S.Y. (D-34); Quigley, J.M. (D-32); Holzapfel, J.W. (R-10); Greenstein, L.R. (D-14);

Madden, F.H. (D-4); Cunningham, S.B. (D-31); Whelan, J. (D-2); Kyriillos, J.M. (R-13); Vainieri Huttel, V. (D-37); Wagner, C. (D-38); Giblin, T.P. (D-34); Ramos Jr., R.J. (D-33); Vas, J. (D-19); Scalera, F. (D-36); Conners, J. (D-7); Gusciora, R. (D-15); Love, S. (D-4); Chiappone, A. (D-31)

Imposes conditions on drivers approaching stopped emergency vehicles, tow trucks or highway maintenance vehicles displaying flashing lights.

Related Bill: A-1179

Dec 15, 2008 – Subs. for: A1179
 Dec 15, 2008 – Passed Assembly (76-0-1)
 Dec 15, 2008 – Passed both houses (Sent to Gov.)

Motor Vehicles - Regulation
Motor Vehicles - Traffic Safety
Public Safety - Emergency Services

S-184 Bucco, A.R. (R-25); Sweeney, S.M. (D-3); Oroho, S.V. (R-24)

Requires DCF to provide Safe Haven information to county and municipal agencies, social service agencies, physicians, pregnancy crisis centers, adoption agencies and colleges and universities.

Related Bill: A-1897

Position: Support

Mar 3, 2008 – Passed Senate (39-0-0)
 Mar 3, 2008 – Rec'd by Asm.
 Mar 3, 2008 – Ref.: AHU

Human Services - Children

S-212 Singer, R.W. (R-30);

Permits certain vehicles operated by emergency response workers to use red lights and sirens.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
 Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

S-284 Kean, T.H. (R-21); Allen, D.B. (R-7);

Requires impact statement for any proposed regulation affecting volunteer ambulance squad and fire company.

BILL REPORT

Position: Support

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: SSG

Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters

S-331 Kean, S.T. (R-11);

Provides volunteer EMTs, volunteer firefighters mileage reimbursement; makes appropriations.

Related Bill: A-1525

Position: Monitor

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters

S-341 Ciesla, A.R. (R-10); Bateman, C. (R-16);

Establishes "Volunteer Emergency Services Highway Reimbursement Fund."

Position: Support

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: STR

Public Safety - Emergency Services
Transportation - Highways

S-354 Ciesla, A.R. (R-10); Van Drew, J. (D-1); Allen, D.B. (R-7);

Bateman, C. (R-16); Gordon, R.M. (D-38)
Permits local government units to grant Length of Service Award Program points to certain activated military members.

May 5, 2008 – Rec'd by Asm.
May 5, 2008 – Ref.: AMV

Veterans and Military

S-407 Lance, L. (R-23); Bucco, A.R. (R-25); Oroho, S.V. (R-24)

Exempts construction, expansion or renovation of buildings or other structures for police departments, fire departments, and volunteer first aid, emergency, ambulance or rescue squads from "Highlands Water Protection and Planning Act."

Related Bill: A-1685

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: SEN

Environment - Natural Resources

S-430 Pennacchio, J. (R-26);

Makes certain requirements concerning downhill skiing.

Position: Monitor

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: SWT

Public Safety
Sports and Recreation

S-451 Haines, P.E. (R-8); Van Drew, J. (D-1);

Requires Office of Emergency Management to maintain directory of emergency supplies.

Related Bill: A-2457

Mar 3, 2008 – Passed Senate (39-0-0)
Mar 3, 2008 – Rec'd by Asm.
Mar 3, 2008 – Ref.: AHS

Environment - Natural Resources - Water Supply
Public Safety - Emergency Services

S-457 Buono, B. (D-18);

Allows business tax credit to employers giving paid leave to employees for service with volunteer emergency services organizations.

Related Bill: A-111

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Public Safety - Emergency Services
Taxation - Business Taxes

S-522 Sacco, N.J. (D-32);

Waives commercial driver's license requirements for certain Office of Emergency Management drivers.

Related Bill: A-1358

Position: Monitor

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: STR

Motor Vehicles - Regulation
Public Safety - Emergency Services

S-533 Girgenti, J.A. (D-35); Bucco, A.R. (R-25);

Provides for DCA to set maximum loan amounts to volunteer emergency service organizations to purchase vehicles and equipment.

Position: Support

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

S-534 Girgenti, J.A. (D-35); Sarlo, P.A. (D-36); Allen, D.B. (R-7)

Expands authority of emergency management departments in requesting assistance outside normal territorial jurisdictions.

Mar 3, 2008 – Passed Senate (38-0-0)
Mar 3, 2008 – Rec'd by Asm.
Mar 3, 2008 – Ref.: ALP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

S-553 Sweeney, S.M. (D-3); Madden, F.H. (D-4);

Authorizes payment of funeral expenses for certain public safety employees killed in line of duty.

Position: Support

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Public Safety - Police

S-558 Sweeney, S.M. (D-3); Van Drew, J. (D-1);

Increases maximum LOSP contributions and prospectively changes certain vesting requirements.

Position: Support with qualification

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: SCU

Public Safety - Emergency Services

S-569 Sweeney, S.M. (D-3); Singer, R.W. (R-30); Cunningham, S.B. (D-31); Madden, F.H. (D-4); Adler, J.H. (D-6)

"Thomas P. Canzanella Twenty First Century First Responders Protection Act"; concerns workers' compensation for public safety workers.

Related Bill: A-1330

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: SLA

Labor - Workers Compensation
Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters
Public Safety - Police
Terrorism

S-610 Vitale, J.F. (D-19);

Creates an integrated State medical examiner system by increasing the authority of the State Medical Examiner regarding forensic investigations, establishing regional medical examiner offices, and eliminating the county medical examiner system.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: SHH

Health - Professionals
State Office

S-619 Vitale, J.F. (D-19); Weinberg, L. (D-37);

Creates presumption regarding disability pension and workers compensation eligibility for public employees and emergency personnel participating in World Trade Center operations; requires Commissioner of Health and Senior Services to develop health regis

Related Bill: A-192

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: SSG

Labor - Workers Compensation

S-629 Vitale, J.F. (D-19); Gordon, R.M. (D-38);

Establishes procedures for operation of air ambulance services.

Related Bill: A-1386

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: SHH

Aviation

Public Safety - Emergency Services

S-751 Codey, R.J. (D-27);

Requires State designated children's hospitals to have Pediatric Emergency Physician on duty at all times in emergency department.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: SHH

Health - Facilities

Human Services - Children

S-810 Sweeney, S.M. (D-3); Madden, F.H. (D-4)

Waives commercial driver's license fees for certain volunteer firefighters.

Jan 28, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Jan 28, 2008 – Ref.: STR

Motor Vehicles - Commercial Vehicles

Public Safety - Firefighters

S-851 Kyrillos, J.M. (R-13);

Requires ambulances to be equipped with global positioning system technology.

Position: Opposed

Jan 28, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Jan 28, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

S-1000 Madden, F.H. (D-4); Redd, D.L. (D-5);

Requires public and nonpublic high schools to have person trained in cardio-pulmonary resuscitation on site at all school athletic events and practices.

May 5, 2008 – Rep. w/Sca

May 5, 2008 – 2nd Rdg. in Sen.

May 5, 2008 – Ref.: SBA

Education

Health

Sports and Recreation

S-1002 Madden, F.H. (D-4);

Eliminates eligibility time limit on tuition benefits for spouses of certain public safety workers killed in performance of their duties.

Jan 28, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Jan 28, 2008 – Ref.: SED

Education - Finance

Public Safety - Firefighters

Public Safety - Police

S-1014 Weinberg, L. (D-37);

Requires that medical gas cylinders, containers and vessels used in health care facilities be color-coded to identify contents.

Jan 28, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Jan 28, 2008 – Ref.: SHH

Environment - Hazardous Substances

Health - Facilities

S-1044 Buono, B. (D-18); Madden, F.H. (D-4)

Establishes defibrillator grant program in DHSS for placement of defibrillators in senior citizen centers.

Related Bill: A-543

Feb 14, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Feb 14, 2008 – Ref.: SHH

Health

Senior Citizens

S-1049 Lance, L. (R-23);

Authorizes reimbursement for EMT training from EMT Training Fund for certain volunteer firefighters.

Position: Opposed

Feb 14, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Feb 14, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

Public Safety - Firefighters

S-1050 Lance, L. (R-23); Bateman, C. (R-16)

Exempts volunteer fire companies from charitable registration fees.

Related Bill: A-660

Position: Support with qualification

Feb 14, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Feb 14, 2008 – Ref.: SCM

Charities and Non Profit Organizations

Public Safety - Emergency Services

S-1073 Bucco, A.R. (R-25);

Adds members representing fire fighting and fire safety interests to the Domestic Security Preparedness Planning Group.

Feb 14, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Feb 14, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Federal Relations

Public Safety - Firefighters

Terrorism

S-1134 Buono, B. (D-18); Madden, F.H. (D-4);

Requires acquisition of defibrillators for use in public and nonpublic high schools and training of certain personnel in usage; appropriates \$900,000.

Related Bill: A-2643

Feb 14, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Feb 14, 2008 – Ref.: SED

Education

Health

Sports and Recreation

S-1155 Van Drew, J. (D-1);

Requires State to offer surplus State police vehicles to certain volunteer fire and emergency service organizations.

Related Bill: A-1801

Position: Support

Feb 14, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Feb 14, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Public Safety - Police

S-1217 Weinberg, L. (D-37); Gordon, R.M. (D-38); Kean, T.H. (R-21); Sarlo, P.A. (D-36)

Requires DHSS and DHS to establish autism and intellectual and other developmental disabilities awareness program for certain first responders.

Related Bill: A-1908

Position: Opposed with qualification

Jun 23, 2008 – Subs. by: A1908

Health - Disease

Human Services - Disabled

Public Safety - Emergency Services

Public Safety - Firefighters

Public Safety - Police

S-1242 Kyrillos, J.M. (R-13);

BILL REPORT

Permits appointment of municipal emergency management coordinator from contiguous or adjoining municipality.

Feb 21, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Feb 21, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

S-1374 Vitale, J.F. (D-19); Madden, F.H. (D-4);

Designates September 11 each year "September 11 Remembrance Day" in New Jersey.

Position: Support with qualification

Oct 23, 2008 – Passed Senate (38-0-0)

Oct 23, 2008 – Rec'd by Asm.

Oct 23, 2008 – Ref.: ASG

Commemorations

Terrorism

S-1502 Turner, S.K. (D-15);

Designates September 11 each year "September 11 Remembrance Day" in New Jersey.

Position: Support with qualification

Mar 6, 2008 – Prop. for Sen. intro.

S-1508 Turner, S.K. (D-15);

Requires municipal police forces to have cardiac defibrillators; establishes minimum number of units for each municipality.

Position: Monitor

Mar 10, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Mar 10, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Public Safety - Police

S-1534 Baroni, B. (R-14);

Requires public school districts to provide CPR training and certification as part of curriculum; requires DOE to provide CPR instructor training; requires certain teachers to obtain training in CPR instruction.

Position: Monitor

Mar 17, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Mar 17, 2008 – Ref.: SED

Education - Curricula

S-1551 Baroni, B. (R-14);

Creates emergency alert plan for missing elderly people.

Related Bill: A-277

Apr 7, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Apr 7, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Public Safety

Senior Citizens

S-1576 Van Drew, J. (D-1); Lance, L. (R-23); Madden, F.H. (D-4)

Assures workers' compensation benefits to police, fire and emergency personnel rendering aid under certain emergency circumstances.

Apr 7, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Apr 7, 2008 – Ref.: SLA

Labor - Workers Compensation

Public Safety - Emergency Services

Public Safety - Firefighters

Public Safety - Police

S-1735 Allen, D.B. (R-7);

Requires Domestic Security Preparedness Planning Group to conduct mock exercise pertaining to agricultural bioterrorism; and appropriates \$150,000 therefor from New Jersey Domestic Security Account.

May 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

May 8, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Agriculture

Terrorism

S-1736 Allen, D.B. (R-7);

Requires Domestic Security Preparedness Planning Group to include a representative of New Jersey State First Aid Council.

Related Bill: A-2119

Position: Support

May 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

May 8, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Public Safety

S-1738 Allen, D.B. (R-7);

Affords emergency services peer counselors confidentiality privileges.

Related Bill: A-989

Position: Support

May 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

May 8, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

S-1772 Madden, F.H. (D-4); Sarlo, P.A. (D-36); Kean, S.T. (R-11)

Establishes "New Jersey Fire and EMS Crisis Intervention Services" telephone hotline.

Related Bill: A-917

Position: Support

Oct 2, 2008 – Rep. w/Sca

Oct 2, 2008 – 2nd Rdg. in Sen.

Oct 2, 2008 – Ref.: SBA

Public Safety - Emergency Services

S-1806 Kean, T.H. (R-21); Vitale, J.F. (D-19);

Requires DHSS to make available on its website a New Jersey Report Card for Pediatric Emergency Room Services.

May 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

May 8, 2008 – Ref.: SHH

Health - Facilities

S-1844 Cunningham, S.B. (D-31); Girgenti, J.A. (D-35); Whelan, J. (D-2)

Establishing a "Silver Alert System" for missing elderly people.

Related Bill: A-2844

May 19, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

May 19, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Senior Citizens

S-1949 Turner, S.K. (D-15);

Establishes subcommittee of local emergency councils to develop school crisis response action plans; appropriates \$3 million.

Position: Opposed with qualification

Jun 9, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Jun 9, 2008 – Ref.: SED

Commissions

Education

S-2031 Van Drew, J. (D-1); Connors, C.J. (R-9); Bucco, A.R. (R-25)

Requires State and local emergency operations plans include provisions to address needs of families of emergency responders serving during a disaster or emergency.

Related Bill: A-3054

Jun 16, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Jun 16, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Public Safety

Public Safety - Emergency Services

S-2079 Sweeney, S.M. (D-3);

Extends reimbursement for EMT training from EMT Training Fund to paid technicians.

Jun 23, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

Jun 23, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

S-2083 Baroni, B. (R-14);

Requires the placement of defibrillators in public school buildings.

Related Bill: A-2443

Oct 2, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.

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Education - School Facilities
Health

S-2179 Allen, D.B. (R-7);
Requires Domestic Security Preparedness Planning Group to include a representative of New Jersey State First Aid Council.

Position: Support
Oct 2, 2008 – Prop. for Sen. intro.
Public Safety

S-2282 Van Drew, J. (D-1);
Establishes that board of fire commissioners provide emergency medical services to areas encompassing each fire district.

Related Bill: A-3434
Oct 20, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Oct 20, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Public Safety - Emergency Services

SCR-23 Allen, D.B. (R-7);
Proposes a constitutional amendment to prohibit the diversion of dedicated State revenue and to suspend dedicated revenue measures if not appropriated for their dedicated purposes during a fiscal year.

Jan 8, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Jan 8, 2008 – Ref.: SBA

Constitutional Amendments
State Budget and Finance

SCR-72 Oroho, S.V. (R-24); Bucco, A.R. (R-25); Madden, F.H. (D-4); Bateman, C. (R-16)
Proposes constitutional amendment requiring Legislature to enact statute authorizing \$200 property tax credit for primary residence of volunteer fire fighter or first aid squad member.

Feb 14, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Feb 14, 2008 – Ref.: SCU

Constitutional Amendments
Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters
Taxation - Property Tax

SCR-73 Bucco, A.R. (R-25);
Proposes constitutional amendment requiring Legislature to enact statute authorizing property tax deduction for primary residence of volunteer firefighter, first aid or emergency services squad member.

Feb 21, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Feb 21, 2008 – Ref.: SCU

Constitutional Amendments
Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters
Taxation - Property Tax

SCR-104 Weinberg, L. (D-37); Whelan, J. (D-2);
Designates May 18 through 24, 2008, as "Emergency Medical Services Week."

Related Bill: ACR-176
May 22, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
May 22, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Commemorations
Public Safety - Emergency Services

SJR-35 Rice, R.L. (D-28);
Designates September 11 of each year as "American Heroes Day."

Feb 21, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Feb 21, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Commemorations
Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Police

SR-26 Madden, F.H. (D-4);
Urges local police, fire, and emergency service departments to respectfully sound their sirens at 3 p.m. on Memorial Day.

Jan 28, 2008 – Intr. in Sen.
Jan 28, 2008 – Ref.: SLP

Public Safety - Emergency Services
Public Safety - Firefighters
Public Safety - Police

SR-28 Connors, C.J. (R-9); Van Drew, J. (D-1);
Recognizes NJ Community Emergency Response Teams.

Mar 4, 2008 – Res. filed with Sec. of State

Commemorations
Public Safety - Emergency Services