

Legislative Action between October 29 , 2012 and January 11, 2013

Bill	Description	Sponsors	Action Date	Status	Law	Index
A3321_11.PDF	Amends "Administrative Procedure Act" to require State agencies to use various electronic technologies in rule-making procedures.	Burzichelli, J. Ramos, R.	12/20/2012	Rec. in Senate, Ref. State Gov., Wagering, Tourism & Historic Pres. C.		Administrative Procedures Act
S2157_11.PDF	Establishes the "New Jersey Residential Foreclosure Transformation Act."	Lesniak, R.	12/3/2012	Sub. For A3413, Passed Both Houses (43-32-0)		affordable housing foreclosure
A3592_11.PDF	Appropriates \$38.5 million from "2009 Farmland Preservation Fund" and "Garden State Farmland Preservation Trust Fund" to State Agriculture Development Committee for county planning incentive grants.	Albano, N. Eustace, T.	12/20/2012	Rec. In Senate, Sub. For S2397, Passed Both Houses (38-0)		agriculture preservation funding
A3591_11.PDF	Appropriates \$24,290,379 from "2009 Farmland Preservation Fund" and Garden State Farmland Preservation Trust Fund" to State Agriculture Development Committee for farmland preservation purposes.	Burzichelli, J. Benson, D.	12/20/2012	Rec. In Senate, Sub. For S2394, Passed Both Houses (38-0)		agriculture preservation funding
A3593_11.PDF	Appropriates \$16,250,000 from "2009 Farmland Preservation Fund" for planning incentive grants to municipalities for farmland preservation purposes.	Milam, M. Caputo, R.	12/20/2012	Rec. In Senate, Sub. For S2396, Passed Both Houses (38-0)		agriculture preservation funding

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A3594 I1.PDF	Appropriates \$4,083,320 from "2009 Farmland Preservation Fund," "2007 Farmland Preservation Fund," and "Garden State Farmland Preservation Trust Fund" for grants to certain nonprofit organizations for farmland preservation purposes.	Riley, C. Chivukula, U.	12/20/2012	Rec. In Senate, Sub. For S2395, Passed Both Houses (38-0)		agriculture preservation funding
A3578 I1.PDF	Establishes de minimus levels for regulation of air contaminants and hazardous air pollutants, and directs DEP to establish de minimus levels for regulation of hazardous substances.	Ramos, R.	12/6/2012	Intro. Ref. Environment & Solid Waste C.		air quality regulation
S829 I1.PDF A2490 I1.PDF	Requires COAH to promulgate rules and regulations providing for veterans' affordable housing assistance preference.	Smith, B. Beach, J.	12/3/2012	Passed Both Houses (76-0-0)		COAH
		Chivukula, U.	9/24/2012	Combined With A1744		veterans
A2005 I1.PDF	Provides corporation business tax and gross income tax credits for qualified investment in certain biotechnology businesses.	Singleton, T. Greenwald, L.	12/20/2012	Rec. in Senate, Ref. Economic Growth C.		economic development biotech
S1858 I1.PDF A1177 I1.PDF	Directs New Jersey Economic Development Authority and Secretary of Higher Education to promote the establishment of higher education and business partnerships.*	Buono, B. Cunningham,	12/13/2012	Ref. Budget & Appropriations C.		economic development
		Lampitt, P. Benson, D.	12/20/2012	Passed Assembly, Rec. in Senate, Ref. Budget & Appropriations C.		education
S2211 I1.PDF A3312 I1.PDF	The "New Jobs for New Jersey Act."	Sweeney, S. Gordon, R.	1/8/2013	Transferred To Senate Labor C.		economic development
		Burzichelli, J. Singleton, T.	12/13/2012	Rep. w/amendments, 2nd Reading		jobs

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S2245 11.PDF A3206 11.PDF	Expands neighborhood revitalization State tax credit to include gross income taxpayers; increases annual total amount of tax credits allowable from \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000.	Stack, B.	12/20/2012	Substituted By A3206		economic development
		Lampitt, P. Watson Coleman, B.	12/20/2012	Sub. For S2245, Passed Both Houses, (23-12)		neighborhood revitalization
S581 11.PDF A1084 11.PDF	"New Jersey Angel Investor Tax Credit Act;" provides credits against corporation business and gross income taxes for investing in New Jersey emerging technology businesses.	Madden, F. Weinberg, L.	12/17/2012	Sub. For A1084, Passed Both Houses (47-30-0)		economic development
		Quijano, A. Schaer, G.	12/17/2012	Substituted by S581		tax credit
S2447 11.PDF A3615 11.PDF	Codifies protections set forth in certain case law and limits use of eminent domain under the "Local Redevelopment and Housing Law."	Van Drew, J.	1/8/2013	Intro. Ref. Community & Urban Affairs C.		eminent domain
		Coutinho, A.	12/13/2012	Intro. Ref. Commerce & Economic Development C.		Local Redevelopment and Housing Law
A3535 11.PDF	Establishes "Energy Infrastructure Study Commission."					energy
		DeAngelo, W.	12/6/2012	Intro. Ref. Telecommunications & Utilities C.		Energy Infrastructure Study Commission
A3629 11.PDF	Provides corporation business tax credits and gross income tax credits for purchase of certain compressed natural gas vehicles.					energy
		Mosquera, G.	1/8/2013	Intro. Ref. Commerce & Economic Development C.		natural gas vehicles
A2888 11.PDF	Creates Office of Clean Energy.					Energy renewable energy
		Chivukula, U.	12/13/2012	Rep. 2nd Reading		
S2358 11.PDF A3488 11.PDF	Requires electric distribution lines be located underground in areas affected by severe weather or natural disasters.	Holzappel, J.	11/29/2012	Intro. Ref. Economic Growth C.		energy
		Wolfe, D. McGuckin, G.	12/3/2012	Intro. Ref. Telecommunications & Utilities C.		utility lines

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A3483 I1.PDF	Establishes NJ Task Force on Underground Utility Lines.	Handlin, A.	Rumana, S.	12/3/2012	Intro. Ref. Telecommunications & Utilities C.		energy utility lines
A2887 I1.PDF	Requires Energy Master Plan to include long-term capacity planning and infrastructure planning.	Chivukula, U.		12/13/2012	Rep. 2nd Reading		Energy Master Plan infrastructure planning
S2121 I1.PDF A3199 I1.PDF	The "Green Building and Infrastructure Tax Credit Act"; provides tax credits for certain green buildings and wood utility poles.	Sarlo, P.	Smith, B.	12/17/2012	Rep. w/amendments, 2nd Reading		green building
		Spencer, G.	Ramos, R.	7/30/2012	Intro. Ref. Environment & Solid Waste C.		tax credit
A710 I1.PDF	Requires construction of certain new State buildings, facilities, and structures to include green or blue roofs.	Ramos, R.	McKeon, J.	12/13/2012	Rep. w/amendments, 2nd Reading		green roofs
A0711 I1.PDF	Requires DEP to adopt rules concerning blue roofs and green roofs and provides priority consideration for related permits and other authorizations.	Ramos, R.	McKeon, J.	12/3/2012	Assembly Floor Amendments Passed		green roofs NJDEP
S2289 I1.PDF A3541 I1.PDF	Provides "Highlands Water Protection and Planning Act" exemption for artificial turf field construction by local government units.	Gordon, R.	Pennacchio,	12/6/2012	Intro. Ref. Environment & Energy C.		Highlands
		Johnson, G.	DeCroce, B.	12/6/2012	Intro. Ref. Environment & Solid Waste C.		artificial turf
S247 I1.PDF A3644 I1.PDF	Establishes moratorium on hydraulic fracturing for purpose of natural gas exploration or production until certain conditions are met.	Gordon, R.		1/10/2012	Intro. Ref. Environment & Energy C.		hydraulic fracturing
		O'Scanlon, D.		1/8/2013	Intro. Ref. Environment & Solid Waste C.		

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A3521 I1.PDF	Requires electric and gas public utilities to file maps and information concerning utility infrastructure to municipal emergency management personnel.	Cryan, J. Quijano, A.	12/6/2012	Intro. Ref. Telecommunications & Utilities C.		infrastructure utilities /emergency management
S2247 I1.PDF A3370 I1.PDF	Appropriates \$8,930,975 from "2009 Green Acres Fund" for grants to certain nonprofit entities to acquire or develop lands for recreation and conservation purposes.	Greenstein, L. Oroho, S.	12/3/2012	Sub. For A3370, Passed Both Houses (75-0-0)		open space
		Milam, M. Albano, N.	12/3/2012	Substituted By S2247		funding
S2246 I1.PDF A3369 I1.PDF	Appropriates \$55 million from "2009 Green Acres Fund" for local government open space acquisition and park development projects, and approves \$2,400,800 from 1995 bond act for coastal blue acres projects.	Whelan, J. Beck, J.	12/3/2012	Sub. For A3369, Passed Both Houses (74-0-1)		open space
		Eustace, T. Wagner, c.	12/3/2012	Substituted By S2246		funding
S2248 I1.PDF A3368 I1.PDF	Appropriates \$45 million from "2009 Green Acres Fund" and \$12 million from "2009 Blue Acres Fund" for State acquisition of lands for recreation and conservation purposes, including Blue Acres projects.	Smith, B. Connors, C.	12/3/2012	Sub. For A3368, Passed Both Houses (75-0-0)		open space
		Spencer, G. Riley, C.	12/3/2012	Substituted By S2248		funding
A3569 I1.PDF	Requires existing and new senior residential multiple dwellings to install standby generators to provide electricity in case of emergency.					senior housing
		Wimberly, B. Sumter, S.	12/6/2012	Intro. Ref. Telecommunications & Utilities C.		emergency generators
A3550 I1.PDF	Clarifies that certain types of sewage and sewage sludge expelled from a public sewer system or public sewage treatment plant are not hazardous substances for purposes of "Spill Compensation and Control Act."					sewage
		Spencer, G. Handlin, A.	12/6/2012	Intro. Ref. Environment & Solid Waste C.		Spill Compensation and Control Act.

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S2 I2.PDF	Encourages local unit sharing of services; makes appropriations.	Sweeney, S. Krill's, J.	12/3/2012	Rec. in Assembly, Ref. Housing & Local Government C.		shared services appropriations
S1084 I1.PDF A2408 I1.PDF	The "Adopt a Stormwater Management Basin Act."	Sarlo, P.	12/13/2012	Rep. w/amendments, 2nd Reading		Stormwater Management Basin Act
		Spencer, L. McKeon, J.	9/27/2012	Rep. w/amendments, Ref. Appropriations C.		