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Legislative Committee December 12, 2024

To all members of the Legislative Committee, the total number of bills introduced is 9,697 already for this session. There were 90 new bills added since the last report. I added six new bills to our tracking lists (see attached). The total number of our tracked bills is now at 288, with 160 bills in Fire & Emergency Services, 73 bills in Firemen's Home, and 55 bills in Pensions. There are currently eleven bills sitting on The Governor's Desk waiting to be signed. The Governor signed ninety-nine bills into law to date.

One of our tracked bills is listed to be heard today in the Senate Commerce Committee. S-3098, which requires health insurers to provide coverage for biomarker testing. The Assembly version of this bill (A-4163) is listed to be heard in the Assembly Appropriations Committee on Monday, December 16, 2024.

On Thursday, December 19, 2024, there are both Assembly and Senate Voting Sessions listed on the schedule, but they haven't posted the list of bills to be heard yet.

Respectfully Submitted,



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Total Bills: 6 ★ = Tracked bill ☆ = Untracked bill

★	Bill	Introduced	Last Action	Progress	Status	Scheduled
★	A5091	12/09/2024	12/09/2024	Proposed	PFI	
		Danielsen (D17) — Increases PFRS accidental disability pension when disability is caused by a weapon.				
★	A5095	12/09/2024	12/09/2024	Proposed	PFI	
		Spearman (D5) — Establishes fire protection requirements for short-term farm labor housing.				
★	A5107	12/09/2024	12/09/2024	Proposed	PFI	
		Myhre (R9) — Requires public utility to charge volunteer emergency service organization residential rate.				
★	S3930	12/09/2024	12/09/2024	House1: Comm	SLP	
		Timberlake (D34) — Concerns safe operation of certain fire stations; establishes Fire Station Rehabilitation and Maintenance Code; establishes fire station, equipment, training, and maintenance fund; provides for replacement equipment for certain municipalities; and appropri				
★	S3937	12/09/2024	12/09/2024	House1: Comm	SEG	
		Amato (R9) — Requires public utility to charge volunteer emergency service organization residential rate.				
★	S3946	12/09/2024	12/09/2024	Proposed	PFI	
		Greenstein (D14) — Requires manufacturer of certain firefighting equipment containing perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances to provide written notice to purchaser; prohibits sale, manufacture, and distribution of certain firefighting equipment containing intentional				

Thursday, December 12, 2024

Assembly Budget Committee, Not Meeting.

Assembly Children, Families and Food Security Committee, Not Meeting.

Assembly Labor Committee, Not Meeting.

Assembly Science, Innovation and Technology Committee, Not Meeting.

Senate Higher Education Committee, Not Meeting.

Assembly, 10:00a Group C Committees; 1:00p Quorum; 2:00p Group D Committees.

Assembly Education Committee, 10:00a, 4th Floor, Committee Room 16, Annex.

For discussion only: A-1165

Assembly Judiciary Committee, 10:00a, 4th Floor, Committee Room 12, Annex.

Assembly Military and Veterans Affairs Committee, 10:00a, 4th Floor, Committee Room 13, Annex.

The committee will receive testimony about the evolving challenges of veteran homelessness.

Assembly Transportation and Independent Authorities Committee, 10:00a, 4th Floor, Committee Room 11, Annex.

Senate, 10:00a Group 3 Committees; 12:00p Quorum Call.

Senate Commerce Committee, 10:00a, 1st Floor, Committee Room 6, Annex. (Revised 12/10/2024)

★ S3098 Requires health insurers to provide coverage for biomarker testing.

Tracking: *Fire & Emergency Services* — Support

Senate Environment and Energy Committee, 10:00a, 1st Floor, Committee Room 1, Annex. (Revised 12/11/2024)

Senate Economic Growth Committee, 10:30a, 1st Floor, Committee Room 4, Annex.

Assembly Aging and Human Services Committee, 1:00p, 4th Floor, Committee Room 15, Annex.

Assembly Select Committee on Ballot Design, 1:00p, 4th Floor, Committee Room 11 Annex. (Revised 12/11/2024)

For discussion only: A5116

Assembly Environment, Natural Resources and Solid Waste Committee, 2:00p, 3rd Floor, Committee Room 9, Annex. (Revised 12/11/2024)

Assembly State and Local Government Committee, 2:00p, 4th Floor, Committee Room 16, Annex. (Revised 12/11/2024)

For Amendment only: A-4083

Assembly Tourism, Gaming and the Arts Committee, 2:00p, 4th Floor, Committee Room 12, Annex.



Monday, December 16, 2024

Assembly Health Committee, 10:00a, 4th Floor, Committee Room 16, Annex.

Assembly Public Safety and Preparedness Committee, 10:00a, 4th Floor, Committee Room 15, Annex.

For discussion only: A-4128

Assembly Select Committee on Ballot Design, 10:00a, 4th Floor, Committee Room 11 Annex.

Senate, 10:00a Group 4 Committees; 12:00p Quorum Call.

Senate Law and Public Safety Committee, 10:00a, 3rd Floor, Committee Room 10, Annex.

The committee will hear testimony from invited guests on cybersecurity issues affecting New Jersey, including, but not limited to, the implementation of P.L.2023, c.19, which requires certain cybersecurity incidents to be reported to the New Jersey Office of Homeland Security and Preparedness. Testimony also will be taken on the obligation of private entities to report these incidents.

Senate State Government, Wagering, Tourism and Historic Preservation Committee, 10:00a, 1st Floor, Committee Room 6, Annex.

Senate Military and Veterans' Affairs Committee, 11:00a, 1st Floor, Committee Room 1, Annex.

The Committee will receive testimony from invited speakers from the YWCA Northern New Jersey to discuss their new women's veteran programming, "Operation Sisterhood".

Assembly, Committees at Call of the Speaker; 1:00p Quorum.

Assembly Appropriations Committee, 1:00p, 4th Floor, Committee Room 11, Annex.

★ **A4163** Requires health insurers to provide coverage for biomarker testing.

Tracking: *Fire & Emergency Services* — Support

Assembly Oversight, Reform and Federal Relations Committee, 1:00p, 4th Floor, Committee Room 12, Annex.

The committee will receive testimony from invited speakers to discuss the potential economic impact of tariffs on Canadian products.

Senate Education Committee, 1:00p, 1st Floor, Committee Room 4, Annex.

The committee will receive testimony from invited speakers regarding the Charter School Program Act of 1995.

Assembly Commerce, Economic Development and Agriculture Committee, 2:00p, 4th Floor, Committee Room 15, Annex.

For Amendment only: A-4051



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LEGISLATIVE TRACKING SERVICE

Thursday, December 19, 2024

Assembly, Voting Session; Time and Board List to be announced.

Senate, 2:00p Voting Session; Board List to be announced.

New Jersey Law Revision Commission, 4:30p, remotely.

Consideration of memorandums and reports.

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