LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST

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additional days)

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ASSEMBLY, No. 1589

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

INTRODUCED JUNE 10, 1982

By Assemblymen VAN WAGNER, FLYNN, KARCHER, DOYLE, HERMAN, RILEY, GORMAN, ROCCO, Assemblywoman COSTA, Assemblymen ROD, PALAIA, NAPLES, BENNETT, WATSON, Assemblywoman PERUN, Assemblymen PATERNITI, PELLY, WOLF, PANKOK, OTLOWSKI, LESNIAK, Assemblywoman GARVIN, Assemblymen McENROE, ZANGARI, CHARLES, DORIA, T. GALLO, BAER, MAZUR, GILL, Assemblywoman OGDEN, Assemblyman HAYTAIAN, Assemblywoman BROWN, Assemblymen KELLY, COWAN, JANISEWSKI, LACORTE and MILLER

An Act concerning charity racing days for the developmentally disabled and amending P. L. 1977, c. 200.

- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State
- 2 of New Jersey:
- 1. Section 1 of P. L. 1977, c. 200 (C. 5:5-44.2) is amended to read
- 2 as follows:
- 3 1. Each holder of a permit to hold or conduct horse race meetings
- 4 shall, with the approval of the New Jersey Racing Commission be
- 5 allotted [one] 3 racing [day] days in addition to the days autho-
- 6 rized by the New Jersey Racing Commission pursuant to P. L. 1940,
- 7 c. 17 (C. 5:5-22 et seq.); provided, however, that should any permit
- 8 holder reject the additional [day] days, the commission may allot
- 9 [it] them among the remaining permit holders, and provided
- .0 further that the provisions of this section shall not apply where
- 11 to do so would require the breach of an agreement entered into by
- 12 the commission. Said additional [day] days shall be known as
- 13 "Charity Racing Day Days for the Developmentally Disabled."

EXPLANATION—Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

Matter printed in italics thus is new matter.

- 1 2. Section 2 of P. L. 1977, c. 200 (C. 5:5-44.3) is amended to read 2 as follows:
- 3 2. All moneys received by the commission, pursuant to section 46
- 4 of P. L. 1940, c. 71 (C. 5:5-66), as its share of the total contribu-
- 5 tions to all parimutuel pools conducted or made on the additional
- 6 racing [day] days hereinbefore provided for shall be distributed
- 7 to the organizations and in the amounts designated by the New
- '8 Jersey State Developmental Disabilities Council, created pursuant
- 9 to Executive Order Number 20 of 1971 as modified pursuant to
- 10 Executive Order Number 49 of 1973 and Executive Order Number
- 11 42 of 1976, as hereinafter prescribed.
- 1 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

STATEMENT

This bill provides for 2 additional racing days for a total of 3 to be known as "Charity Racing Days for the Developmentally Disabled," at each race meeting held each year. The additional days are being authorized because the funds that were derived from one Charity Racing Day have been seriously eroded by prior actions of the Legislature. It was not the intent of the Legislature to take away funding from the nonprofit organizations receiving moneys from Charity Racing Days for the developmentally disabled. Therefore, proceeds from the 2 additional days will return the pool of money to the approximate level that it was when the program began, thereby restoring the funding originally intended by the Legislature. The State share of the proceeds from the parimutuel pools for those days shall continue to be distributed among the nonprofit organizations serving the developmentally disabled residents of New Jersey in accordance with the provisions in this act.

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SENATE STATE GOVERNMENT, FEDERAL AND INTERSTATE RELATIONS AND VETERANS AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

ASSEMBLY, No. 1589

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: OCTOBER 25, 1982

This bill increases from one to three the number of "Charity Racing Days" for the developmentally disabled that a holder of a permit to conduct horse racing meetings can schedule. These proceeds are distributed to organizations designated by the New Jersey State Developmental Disabilities Council.

The three "Charity Racing Days" would be in addition to the racing days authorized by the New Jersey Racing Commission.

According to the sponsor's statement, the "additional days are being authorized because the funds that were derived from one Charity Racing Day have been seriously eroded by prior actions of the Legislature."

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
JANUARY 21, 1983

CONTACT: CARL GOLDEN

Governor Thomas H. Kean today signed legislation to require persons who apply for a moped license or learner's permit to furnish proof of age and identity.

The legislation, $\underline{S-335}$, was sponsored by Senator C. Louis Bassano, R-Union.

It would require an applicant for a permit or a license to furnish proof that he or she is 15 years of age. It would also require that proof of identity be furnished once for the permit and once again for the actual operator's license.

The legislation is designed to overcome situations in which permits or licenses have been issued to those under the age of 15 years of age. The legislation is effective 45 days from date of enactment.

The Governor also signed:

S-888, sponsored by Senator Wynona Lipman, D-Essex, to establish the principle that children born out of wedlock have the same rights to parent-child relationships and to benefits from their parents as children born in wedlock. The legislation is designed to facilitate attempts by the Division of Public Welfare to obtain support from fathers who refuse to admit paternity.

A-583, sponsored by Assemblyman John Doyle, D-Ocean, to increase from 25 percent to 50 percent the amount of capital funds which state-chartered banks may invest in real property used in the operation of their business.

<u>A-1589</u>, sponsored by Assemblyman Richard VanWagner, D-Monmouth, to provide for two additional "Charity Racing Days for the Developmentally Disabled" at each race track in the state. Currently, each track establishes one day per year for the charity.

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