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P.L.1989, CHAPTER 288, approved January 12, 1990
1988 Senate No. 1807

1 **AN ACT** concerning certain graduate fellowships and
2 supplementing chapter 71 of Title 18A of the New Jersey
3 Statutes.

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5 **BE IT ENACTED** by the Senate and General Assembly of the
6 *State of New Jersey*:

7 1. The Legislature finds and declares that the seven
8 individuals who perished aboard the Space Shuttle "Challenger"
9 on January 28, 1986 reflected the ideals and aspirations of every
10 American; that they and their achievements stand as testimony
11 to the limitless potential of all human endeavor; that the
12 tragedy of their deaths must never be allowed to obscure the
13 initiative and dedication which characterized their lives; and the
14 memory of their accomplishments as individuals and as
15 astronauts must be preserved and continuously renewed as an
16 inspiration to future generations.

17 2. Of the Garden State Graduate Fellowships awarded
18 pursuant to P.L.1977, c.345 (C.18A:71-26.1 et seq.) seven shall
19 be reserved and dedicated as follows:

20 The Gregory Jarvis Fellowship
21 The Sharon Christa McAuliffe Fellowship
22 The Ronald McNair Fellowship
23 The Ellison Onizuka Fellowship
24 The Judith Resnik Fellowship
25 The Francis R. Scobee Fellowship
26 The Michael Smith Fellowship

27 3. Each eligible institution may recommend one proposed
28 graduate fellow to be the recipient of a dedicated fellowship. In
29 making its recommendation, the faculty shall select an
30 individual of high academic achievement and outstanding
31 promise. The names of the individuals and materials in support
32 of the nomination shall be submitted to the Student Assistance
33 Board, which shall make the final determination of the seven
34 individuals selected to receive the dedicated fellowships.
35 Nominees who are not selected for a dedicated fellowship shall

1 be eligible for a nonreserved Garden State Graduate Fellowship.

2 4. Annually, at a regularly scheduled public meeting of the
3 State Board of Higher Education, seven individuals selected by
4 the Student Assistance Board shall be presented with the award
5 and with materials commemorating the lives and the
6 achievements of the seven astronauts for whom they are named.

7 5. The Student Assistance Board shall adopt pursuant to the
8 "Administrative Procedure Act," P.L.1968, c.410 (C.52:14B-1 et
9 seq.) rules and regulations necessary to implement the provisions
10 of this act.

11 6. This act shall take effect immediately.

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HIGHER EDUCATION

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Education-Finance and State Aid

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17 **Dedicates seven of the Garden State Graduate Fellowships to**
18 **the astronauts who died aboard the Space Shuttle "Challenger".**

SENATE, No. 1807

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Introduced Pending Technical Review by Legislative Counsel

PRE-FILED FOR INTRODUCTION IN THE 1988 SESSION

By Senator DORSEY

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ASSEMBLY HIGHER EDUCATION AND REGULATED
PROFESSIONS COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 1807

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: DECEMBER 4, 1989

The Assembly Higher Education and Regulated Professions Committee favorably reports Senate Bill No. 1807.

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SENATE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

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STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: SEPTEMBER 29, 1988

The Senate Education Committee favorably reports this bill without committee amendments.

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This bill was pre-filed for introduction in the 1988 session pending technical review. As reported the bill includes the changes required by technical review which has been performed.

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