

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST

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LAWS OF: 1998

CHAPTER: 71

NJSA: 30:4-27.24 to 30:4-27.38
"Sexually Violent Predator Act"

BILL NO: S895 (Substituted for A1919/A1615 - ACS)

SPONSOR(S): Martin and Bucco

DATE INTRODUCED: March 23, 1998

COMMITTEE:

ASSEMBLY: Appropriations

SENATE: Law and Public Safety

AMENDED DURING PASSAGE: Yes

DATE OF PASSAGE:

ASSEMBLY: June 25, 1998

SENATE: May 28, 1998

DATE OF APPROVAL: August 12, 1998

THE FOLLOWING ARE ATTACHED IF AVAILABLE:

FINAL TEXT OF BILL: Senate Committee Substitute Enacted
(Amendments during passage denoted by superscript numbers)

S895

SPONSORS STATEMENT: Yes (Begins on page 14 of original bill)

COMMITTEE STATEMENT:

ASSEMBLY: Yes

SENATE: *Yes*

FLOOR AMENDMENT STATEMENTS: *No*

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ESTIMATE: *Yes*

A1919/A1615 - ACS

SPONSORS STATEMENT: *No*

COMMITTEE STATEMENT:

ASSEMBLY: *Yes*

May 4, 1998

(Identical to Senate Committee Statement for S895)

June 15, 1998

SENATE: *No*

FLOOR AMENDMENT STATEMENTS: *No*

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ESTIMATE: *Yes*

(Identical to Legislative Fiscal Estimate for S895)

A1919

SPONSORS STATEMENT: *Yes* (Begins on page 14 of original bill)
(Bill and Sponsors Statement identical to S895)

COMMITTEE STATEMENT:

ASSEMBLY: *No*

SENATE: *No*

FLOOR AMENDMENT STATEMENTS: *No*

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ESTIMATE: *No*

A1615

SPONSORS STATEMENT: *Yes* (Begins on page 7 of original bill)

COMMITTEE STATEMENT:

ASSEMBLY: *No*

SENATE: *No*

FLOOR AMENDMENT STATEMENTS: *No*

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ESTIMATE: *No*

VETO MESSAGE: *No*

GOVERNOR'S PRESS RELEASE ON SIGNING: *Yes*

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