#### LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST

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CHAPTER: 166

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## CHAPTER 166 LAWS OF N. J. 1985 APPROVED 5-10-85

## ASSEMBLY, No. 3582

# STATE OF NEW JERSEY

### INTRODUCED APRIL 29, 1985

- By Assemblymen MARSELLA, RILEY, Assemblywoman WALKER, Assemblymen FLYNN, HERMAN, PANKOK, HOLLENBECK, PATERNITI, McENROE, Assemblywoman GARVIN, Assemblymen ZANGARI, M. ADUBATO, BROWN, THOMPSON, FRANKS, CUPROWSKI, VAINIERI, Assemblywoman KALIK, Assemblymen FOY, KAVANAUGH, Assemblywomen PERUN, OGDEN and Assemblyman KLINE
  - A SUPPLEMENT to "An act to place limits on expenditures by counties and municipalities and supplementing Title 40A of the New Jersey Statutes," approved August 18, 1976 (P. L. 1976, c. 68; C. 40A:4-45.1 et seq.).
- 1 BE IT ENACTED by the Senate and General Assembly of the State
- 2 of New Jersey:
- 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of P. L. 1976, c. 68 (C.
- 2 40A:4-45.1 et seq.), no municipality which included within its
- 3 1984 final appropriations an amount for the purchase of municipal
- 4 police vehicles and any equipment installed in or on those vehicles
- 5 shall be required in any subsequent local budget year to deduct from
- 6 its final appropriations upon which its permissible expenditures
- 7 are calculated the amount which it expended in the 1984 local
- 8 budget year for municipal police vehicles and any equipment in-
- 9 stalled in or on those vehicles.
- 1 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall be retroactive
- 2 to January 1, 1985.

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