## LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST

**NJSA:** 43:15A-57.3

(PERS--reactivate

former accounts of certain

veteran members)

**LAWS OF:** 1985

CHAPTER: 283

Bill No: A3762

Sponsor(s): Charles

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Committee:

Assembly: -----

Senate: -----

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No

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Assembly No

Senate

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No

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# ASSEMBLY, No. 3762

# STATE OF NEW JERSEY

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- 7 to the latest federal decennial census within four years following
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# OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR **NEWS RELEASE**

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Release: FRIDAY, AUGUST 9, 1985

Governor Thomas H. Kean today signed legislation increasing the amount of funds which can be expended for funeral and burial expenses for a foster child or one receiving welfare assistance.

Assemblywoman The legislation, A-2846, was sponsored by Marlene Ford, D-Ocean.

Currently, the maximum payment for such expenses is \$550. The bill, effective in 30 days, increases that amount to a sum based on the average cost of a funeral and burial in the area.

Other bills signed by Kean include:

A-1929, sponsored by Assemblyman Anthony Marsella, D-Camden, to permit the Department of Energy to expend \$1 million to renovate public buildings in a program to reduce energy consumption. The \$1 million is in unexpended bond funds originally allocated to conduct energy audits of State buildings.

A-1963, sponsored by Assemblyman John Doyle, D-Ocean, to require designated parking spaces for handicapped persons at multiple dwellings with handicapped residents.

A-2764, sponsored by Assemblyman Paul Cuprowski, D-Hudson, to increase the annual pension of a minor child of a deceased member of the Jersey City Retirement System from \$600 to \$2,500.

A-3762, sponsored by Assemblyman Joseph Charles, D-Hudson, to reactivate the pension account of a municipal court judge in Union City, who had retired from public service and was re-employed within four years.