

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST

NJSA: 2A:2-1

(Superior Court--Hudson County--two additional judges)

LAWS OF: 1985

CHAPTER: 313

Bill No: S2836

Sponsor(s): O'Connor and Cowan

Date Introduced: March 7, 1985

Committee: Assembly: Judiciary

Senate: Judiciary

Amended during passage: No

Date of Passage: Assembly: June 27, 1985

Senate: May 13, 1985

Date of Approval: August 28, 1985

Amendments during passage denoted by asterisks.

Following statements are attached if available:

Sponsor statement: Yes (Below)

Committee statement: Assembly Yes

Senate Yes

Fiscal Note: No

Veto Message: No

Message on Signing: ~~No~~ Yes

Following were printed:

Reports: No

Hearings: No

Sponsors' statement:

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SENATE, No. 2836

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

INTRODUCED MARCH 7, 1985

By Senators O'CONNOR and COWAN

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

AN ACT concerning judges of the Superior Court in certain
counties and amending N. J. S. 2A:2-1.

1 BE IT ENACTED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
2 *of New Jersey:*

1 1. N. J. S. 2A:2-1 is amended to read as follows:

2 2A:2-1. a. The Superior Court shall consist of not less than
3 **[331]** *333* judges. Each judge shall receive such annual salary as
4 shall be fixed by law.

5 b. (1) The Superior Court shall at all times consist of the follow-
6 ing number of judges of each county who at the time of their
7 appointment and reappointment were residents of that county:

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| 8 | Atlantic | 7 |
| 9 | Bergen | 24 |
| 10 | Burlington | 5 |
| 11 | Camden | 14 |
| 12 | Cape May | 3 |
| 13 | Cumberland | 5 |
| 14 | Essex | 26 |
| 15 | Gloucester | 8 |
| 16 | Hudson | [16] 18 |
| 17 | Hunterdon | 2 |
| 18 | Mercer | 8 |
| 19 | Middlesex | 18 |
| 20 | Monmouth | 12 |
| 21 | Morris | 11 |
| 22 | Ocean | 10 |

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.

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| 24 | Salem | 2 |
| 25 | Somerset | 5 |
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ASSEMBLY JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 2836

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: JUNE 24, 1985

This bill authorizes the appointment of two additional Superior Court judges for Hudson county.

SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 2836

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: APRIL 29, 1983

This bill authorizes the appointment of two additional judges in Hudson county.

A-1444, sponsored by Assemblyman Willie Brown, D-Essex, to permit State regulated institutions and public agencies to purchase securities issued by the African Development Bank. It prohibits the public or private purchase of investment from the bank which would be used in the Republic of South Africa. It was noted that this prohibition is unnecessary since South Africa is not a member of the Development Bank.

S-2610, sponsored by Senator Wynona Lipman, D-Essex, to designate the plaza in front of the Garden State Arts Center as "Count Basie Plaza" in recognition of his contributions to to the field of music.

S-2836, sponsored by Senator Edward O'Connor, D-Hudson, to provide for two additional Superior Court judges in Hudson County.

A-3855, sponsored by Assemblyman Wayne Bryant, D-Camden, to permit Camden and Middlesex counties to hire additional unclassified employees.

A-588, sponsored by Assemblyman Joseph Bocchini, D-Mercer, to establish certain rights of tenants with respect to the termination of leases before their expiration, as the result of the death or disability of the leasee or the leasee's spouse.

A-337, sponsored by Assemblyman Dennis Riley, D-Camden, to mandate that whenever a sewerage authority requires a person to deposit an amount of money exceeding \$5,000 for professional services, for inspection fees, or to satisfy performance guarantee requirements, that the money be deposited in an interest bearing account and that at least two-thirds of the interest be returned to the depositor.