LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST

NJSA: 40:54-17.1 (Libraries - retain photocopy revenues for

authorized functions

LAWS OF: <u>1983</u> CHAPTER: <u>70</u>

Bill No: <u>A1074</u>

Sponsor(s): Kern and others

Date Introduced: March 8, 1982

Committee: Assembly: Education

Senate: Education

Amended during passage: /// No

Date of Passage: Assembly: <u>June 28, 1982</u>

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Following statements are attached if available:

// (Below) Yes Sponsor statement: Assembly // Committee statement: Yes Senate Yes // Fiscal Note: /// No Veto Message: /// No

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Following were printed:

 Reports:
 /// No

 Hearings:
 /// No

Sponsors' statement:

This bill permits public libraries to retain revenues received from the operation of photocopy machines and to use them for regularly authorized functions of public libraries.

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ASSEMBLY, No. 1074

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

INTRODUCED MARCH 8, 1982

By Assemblyman KERN, Assemblywoman WRIGHT and Assemblyman KOSCO

Referred to Committee on Education

An Act concerning free public libraries and supplementing chapter 54 of Title 40 of the Revised Statutes.

- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State
- 2 of New Jersey:
- 1. The board of trustees of a free public library may use and
- 2 expend for library purposes all moneys received from the operation
- 3 of photocopy machines within the library and shall account for
- 4 the receipts and expenditures in the same manner as is required
- 5 for funds appropriated to the board of trustees by the governing
- 6 body of the municipality.
- 1 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

STATEMENT

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ASSEMBLY EDUCATION COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

ASSEMBLY, No. 1074

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: JUNE 14, 1982

Provisions:

Assembly Bill No. 1074 authorizes the board of trustees of a free public library to use all revenues received from the operation of photocopy machines within the library.

BACKGROUND:

Currently, any revenues received from photocopy machines in municipal libraries must be submitted to the municipality rather than being used by the library. Assembly Bill No. 1074 would permit libraries to retain and appropriate such revenues for use in their annual budget.

SENATE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

ASSEMBLY, No. 1074

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: SEPTEMBER 23, 1982

The Senate Education Committee favorably reports this bill and endorses the Assembly Education Committee Statement which reads as follows:

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OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1983

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Governor Thomas H. Kean has signed the following bills:

S-3100, sponsored by State Seantor John A. Lynch, D-Middlesex, which extends the municipal budget calendar for 1983. The bill provides for a five week extension on various filing deadlines for municipal budget preparation. It was made necessary by delays in revisions to the cap law and in obtaining State and Federal aid figures. The extension applies for this year only.

A-3046, sponsored by Assemblyman Walter J. Kavanaugh, R-Somerset, which amends the County College Contracts Law to permit county colleges to prepare separate plans and specifications for the various aspects of a construction, repair or alteration job when the total cost of the work to be done exceeds \$4,500.

S-1187, sponsored by State Senator John H. Dorsey, R-Morris, which permits local boards of health and county health departments to enforce the Solid Waste Management Act.

A-1074, sponsored by Assemblyman Walter M.D. Kern, R-Bergen, which will permit public libraries to keep and use revenues realized from the operation photocopy machines. Currently, libraries can charge for the use of the machines, but must turn the revenues over to the municipality rather than use them itself.

S-1202, sponsored by State Senator Carmen A. Orechio, D-Essex, which allows municipalities to conduct "cap" referenda using school election laws concerning polling places and compensation of election workers. The bill is intended to save money for a municipality, since school elections are conducted in a less expensive manner that normal municipal elections.