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Senate, No. 1327

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2 student-athletes and supplementing chapter 11 of Title 18A of
3 the New Jersey Statutes.

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5 **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
6 *of New Jersey:*

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10 Jersey State Interscholastic Athletic Association shall annually
11 disseminate to each student enrolled in the district or nonpublic
12 school who participates in interscholastic athletics the National
13 Collegiate Athletic Association's freshman eligibility standards for
14 participation in collegiate athletics.

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16 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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18 **STATEMENT**

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45 Collegiate Athletic Association eligibility standards for
participation in collegiate athletics.

SENATE, No. 1327

STATE OF NEW JERSEY 215th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED FEBRUARY 6, 2012

Sponsored by:

Senator RICHARD J. CODEY

District 27 (Essex and Morris)

Senator STEVEN V. OROHO

District 24 (Morris, Sussex and Warren)

Assemblywoman MILA M. JASEY

District 27 (Essex and Morris)

Assemblyman ALBERT COUTINHO

District 29 (Essex)

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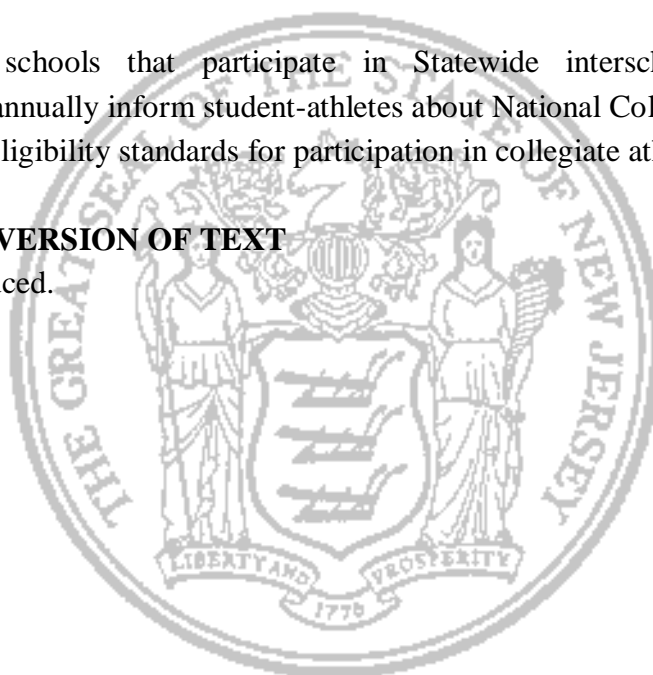
District 18 (Middlesex)

SYNOPSIS

Requires schools that participate in Statewide interscholastic sports programs to annually inform student-athletes about National Collegiate Athletic Association eligibility standards for participation in collegiate athletics.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As introduced.



(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 1/29/2013)

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SENATE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 1327

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: JUNE 4, 2012

The Senate Education Committee favorably reports Senate Bill No. 1327.

This bill requires each school district or nonpublic school that participates in Statewide interscholastic sports programs sanctioned by the New Jersey State Interscholastic Athletic Association to annually disseminate to each student enrolled in the district or nonpublic school who participates in interscholastic athletics the National Collegiate Athletic Association's (NCAA) freshman eligibility standards for participation in collegiate athletics.

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ASSEMBLY EDUCATION COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 1327

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: DECEMBER 13, 2012

The Assembly Education Committee reports favorably Senate Bill No. 1327.

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As reported by committee, this bill is identical to Assembly Bill No. 1293, which was also reported on the same date.

ASSEMBLY, No. 1293

STATE OF NEW JERSEY 215th LEGISLATURE

PRE-FILED FOR INTRODUCTION IN THE 2012 SESSION

Sponsored by:

Assemblywoman MILA M. JASEY

District 27 (Essex and Morris)

Assemblyman ALBERT COUTINHO

District 29 (Essex)

Assemblyman DANIEL R. BENSON

District 14 (Mercer and Middlesex)

SYNOPSIS

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CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

Introduced Pending Technical Review by Legislative Counsel



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This bill was pre-filed for introduction in the 2012-2013 session pending technical review. As reported, the bill includes the changes required by technical review, which has been performed.

As reported by committee, this bill is identical to Senate Bill No. 1327, which was also reported on the same date.