

40:69A-153.1

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST

NJSA 40:69A-153.1 (Municipal elections--prohibit dual candidacy for certain offices)

LAWS 1981 CHAPTER 87

Bill No. S3134

Sponsor(s) Hirkala

Date Introduced Feb. 23, 1981

Committee: Assembly -----

Senate -----

Amended during passage  Yes  No

Date of Passage: Assembly March 5, 1981

Senate Feb. 26, 1981

Date of approval March 26, 1981

Following statements are attached if available:

Sponsor statement  Yes  No (Below)

Committee Statement: Assembly  Yes  No

Senate  Yes  No

Fiscal Note  Yes  No

Veto Message  Yes  No

Message on signing  Yes  No

Following were printed:

Reports  Yes  No

Hearings  Yes  No

Sponsor's statement:

This bill would prohibit dual candidacy for municipal offices to be filled at a regular municipal election held under the Faulkner Act. A person would be prohibited from accepting petitions for nominations for more than one office in the same regular municipal election.

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**SENATE, No. 3134**

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

INTRODUCED FEBRUARY 23, 1981

By Senator HIRKALA

(Without Reference)

AN ACT prohibiting dual candidacy in certain regular municipal elections, and supplementing the "Optional Municipal Charter Law," approved June 8, 1950 (P. L. 1950, c. 210; C. 40:69A-1 et seq.).

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

1 1. No person shall accept nomination for more than one muni-  
2 cipal office to be voted for at a regular municipal election to be  
3 held pursuant to Article 17 of P. L. 1950, c. 210 (C. 40:69A-150  
4 et seq.).

1 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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STATEMENT

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FROM THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

MARCH 27, 1981

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

PAT SWEENEY

Governor Brendan Byrne has signed S-3134, sponsored by Senator Joseph Hirkala (D-Passaic), which prohibits anyone in Faulkner Act municipalities from running for more than one municipal office at the same time.

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