

40A:4-45.9

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST

NJSA 40A:4-45.9 (Urban aid--allow expenditure outside "caps" without affecting cap base)

LAWS 1981 CHAPTER 155

Bill No. A3253

Sponsor(s) Jackman and Gallo

Date Introduced March 23, 1981

Committee: Assembly -----

Senate -----

Amended during passage  Yes  No

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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

Sponsors' statement:

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**ASSEMBLY, No. 3253**

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

INTRODUCED MARCH 23, 1981

By Assemblymen JACKMAN and T. GALLO

(Without Reference)

AN ACT concerning aid to certain municipalities and supplementing  
P. L. 1981, c. 61 (C. 40A:4-45.7 et seq.).

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

1 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of the act to which this act  
2 is a supplement, any municipality which received urban aid funds  
3 in 1980 and is authorized to anticipate the receipt of urban aid  
4 funds in 1981, may include its 1980 appropriation of urban aid  
5 funds within its 1981 final appropriations for the purposes of  
6 calculating its spending limitations pursuant to P. L. 1976, c. 68  
7 (C. 40A:4-45.1 et seq.), and expend 1981 urban aid funds as an  
8 exception to the spending limitations in its 1981 budget. There-  
9 after, the municipality shall not include appropriations of urban  
10 aid funds made in 1981 or any year thereafter in its final appro-  
11 priations for the purpose of calculating its spending limitations in  
12 its 1982 or any subsequent budget, but shall expend urban aid  
13 funds as an exception to those limitations in those budgets.

1 2. This act shall take effect immediately, and shall be retro-  
2 active to January 1, 1981.

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STATEMENT

This bill would permit urban aid municipalities in 1981 to ex-  
pend urban aid moneys outside the "budget caps" limit, while not  
reducing the "cap base" upon which their spending limitations  
are calculated.

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MAY 22, 1981

PAT SWEENEY

Governor Brendan Byrne today signed A-3253, sponsored by Assemblyman Christopher J. Jackman (D-Hudson), which provides West New York and other urban aid municipalities with some relief from the budget "caps" this year, by exempting State-supplied urban aid from the cap ceiling. This will permit qualifying municipalities to raise and expend additional municipal revenues.

The bill was signed in a public ceremony in the Council Chambers of the Municipal Building in West New York. Attending the bill signing with the Governor and Assembly Speaker Jackman was West New York Mayor, Anthony M. DeFino.

Prior to the bill signing, urban aid had to be expended within the cap.

This bill permits municipalities to calculate their cap in 1981 urban aid outside of the cap.

This will have the effect of raising possible expenditures by the specified amount of urban aid, and permitting the municipalities to raise additional tax revenues equal to the amount of urban aid.

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