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P.L.2014, CHAPTER 47, *approved September 10, 2014*  
Assembly, No. 1314 (*First Reprint*)

1 AN ACT allowing voluntary contributions through gross income tax  
2 returns for the support of local libraries, supplementing Title  
3 54A of 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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8 1. a. There is established in the Department of the Treasury a  
9 special fund to be known as the “Local Library Support Fund.”

10 b. Each taxpayer shall have the opportunity to indicate on the  
11 taxpayer's New Jersey gross income tax return that a portion of the  
12 taxpayer's gross income tax refund or an enclosed contribution be  
13 deposited in the “Local Library Support Fund” and <sup>1</sup>**【used in**  
14 **accordance with subsections b. and c. of this section】** provided to  
15 the State Librarian, who shall annually distribute the moneys  
16 received from the “Local Library Support Fund” in accordance with  
17 the State Library Aid Law, N.J.S.18A:74-1 et seq.<sup>1</sup>.

18 c. Any costs incurred by the Division of Taxation for collection  
19 or administration attributable to the “Local Library Support Fund”  
20 may be deducted from contributions collected pursuant to this  
21 section, as determined by the Director of the Division of Budget  
22 and Accounting. The State Treasurer shall deposit net contributions  
23 collected pursuant to this section into the “Local Library Support  
24 Fund.”

25 d. The Legislature shall annually appropriate all moneys  
26 deposited in the “Local Library Support Fund” established pursuant  
27 to subsection a. of this section <sup>1</sup>**【for the support of local libraries】**  
28 to the State Librarian, who shall annually distribute the moneys  
29 received from the “Local Library Support Fund” in accordance with  
30 the State Library Aid Law, N.J.S.18A:74-1 et seq.<sup>1</sup>.

31 e. As used in this section:

32 “County library” means a public library established pursuant to  
33 chapter 33 of Title 40 of the Revised Statutes.

34 “Local library” means a county library or a municipal library.

35 “Municipal library” means a public library established pursuant  
36 to chapter 54 of Title 40 of the Revised Statutes.

**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 underlined thus is new matter.

Matter enclosed in superscript numerals has been adopted as follows:

<sup>1</sup>Senate SCU committee amendments adopted March 17, 2014.



# ASSEMBLY, No. 1314

## STATE OF NEW JERSEY 216th LEGISLATURE

PRE-FILED FOR INTRODUCTION IN THE 2014 SESSION

**Sponsored by:**

**Assemblywoman ANNETTE QUIJANO**

**District 20 (Union)**

**Assemblywoman VALERIE VAINIERI HUTTLE**

**District 37 (Bergen)**

**Co-Sponsored by:**

**Assemblyman Gusciora**

**SYNOPSIS**

Creates the option to make a voluntary contribution for the support of local libraries on gross income tax returns.

**CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT**

Introduced Pending Technical Review by Legislative Counsel



**(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 2/7/2014)**

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2 returns for the support of local libraries, supplementing Title  
3 54A of 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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8 1. a. There is established in the Department of the Treasury a  
9 special fund to be known as the "Local Library Support Fund."

10 b. Each taxpayer shall have the opportunity to indicate on the  
11 taxpayer's New Jersey gross income tax return that a portion of the  
12 taxpayer's gross income tax refund or an enclosed contribution be  
13 deposited in the "Local Library Support Fund" and used in  
14 accordance with subsections b. and c. of this section.

15 c. Any costs incurred by the Division of Taxation for collection  
16 or administration attributable to the "Local Library Support Fund"  
17 may be deducted from contributions collected pursuant to this  
18 section, as determined by the Director of the Division of Budget  
19 and Accounting. The State Treasurer shall deposit net contributions  
20 collected pursuant to this section into the "Local Library Support  
21 Fund."

22 d. The Legislature shall annually appropriate all moneys  
23 deposited in the "Local Library Support Fund" established pursuant  
24 to subsection a. of this section for the support of local libraries.

25 e. As used in this section:

26 "County library" means a public library established pursuant to  
27 chapter 33 of Title 40 of the Revised Statutes.

28 "Local library" means a county library or a municipal library.

29 "Municipal library" means a public library established pursuant  
30 to chapter 54 of Title 40 of the Revised Statutes.  
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32 2. This act shall take effect immediately and apply to taxable  
33 years commencing on or after the January 1 following the date of  
34 enactment.  
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37 STATEMENT  
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39 This bill creates the option to make a voluntary contribution for  
40 the support of local libraries on gross income tax returns. The bill  
41 establishes the Local Library Support Fund, which is where the  
42 receipts of voluntary contributions are deposited and ultimately  
43 appropriated for the support of county and municipal libraries. The  
44 bill also authorizes the Division of Taxation to retain sufficient  
45 receipts to cover the cost of administering the voluntary  
46 contributions.

ASSEMBLY HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT  
COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

**ASSEMBLY, No. 1314**

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

DATED: FEBRUARY 6, 2014

The Assembly Housing and Community Development Committee reports favorably Assembly Bill No. 1314.

This bill creates the option to make a voluntary contribution for the support of local libraries on State gross income tax returns. The bill establishes the Local Library Support Fund, which is where the receipts of voluntary contributions are to be deposited and ultimately appropriated for the support of county and municipal libraries. The bill also authorizes the Division of Taxation to retain sufficient receipts to cover the cost of administering the voluntary contributions.

This bill was pre-filed for introduction in the 2014-2015 session pending technical review. As reported, the bill includes the changes required by technical review, which has been performed.

# SENATE COMMUNITY AND URBAN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

## STATEMENT TO

### **ASSEMBLY, No. 1314**

with committee amendments

# **STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

DATED: MARCH 17, 2014

The Senate Community and Urban Affairs Committee reports favorably and with committee amendments Assembly Bill No. 1314.

As amended by the committee, this bill creates the option to make a voluntary contribution for the support of local libraries on gross income tax returns. The bill establishes the Local Library Support Fund, which is where the receipts of voluntary contributions are deposited and ultimately appropriated for the support of county and municipal libraries. The bill also authorizes the Division of Taxation to retain sufficient receipts to cover the cost of administering the voluntary contributions.

This bill, as amended, is identical to Senate Bill No. 1803, which was also reported by the committee on this date.

#### COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

The committee amended the bill to require that the Department of the Treasury turn the funds in the Local Library Support Fund over to the State Librarian, who shall annually distribute the moneys received from the fund in accordance with the State Library Aid Law, N.J.S.18A:74-1 et seq.



# SENATE, No. 1803

## STATE OF NEW JERSEY 216th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED MARCH 17, 2014

**Sponsored by:**

**Senator JEFF VAN DREW**

**District 1 (Atlantic, Cape May and Cumberland)**

**Senator DIANE B. ALLEN**

**District 7 (Burlington)**

**Co-Sponsored by:**

**Senators Beach, Gill, Gordon and Greenstein**

**SYNOPSIS**

Creates the option to make a voluntary contribution for the support of local libraries on gross income tax returns.

**CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT**

As introduced.



**(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 5/13/2014)**

1 AN ACT allowing voluntary contributions through gross income tax  
2 returns for the support of local libraries, supplementing Title  
3 54A of 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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8 1. a. There is established in the Department of the Treasury a  
9 special fund to be known as the “Local Library Support Fund.”

10 b. Each taxpayer shall have the opportunity to indicate on the  
11 taxpayer's New Jersey gross income tax return that a portion of the  
12 taxpayer's gross income tax refund or an enclosed contribution be  
13 deposited in the “Local Library Support Fund” and provided to the  
14 State Librarian, who shall annually distribute the moneys received  
15 from the “Library Support Fund” in accordance with the State  
16 Library Aid Law, N.J.S.18A:74-1 et seq.

17 c. Any costs incurred by the Division of Taxation for collection  
18 or administration attributable to the “Local Library Support Fund”  
19 may be deducted from contributions collected pursuant to this  
20 section, as determined by the Director of the Division of Budget  
21 and Accounting. The State Treasurer shall deposit net contributions  
22 collected pursuant to this section into the “Local Library Support  
23 Fund.”

24 d. The Legislature shall annually appropriate all moneys  
25 deposited in the “Local Library Support Fund” established pursuant  
26 to subsection a. of this section to the State Librarian, who shall  
27 annually distribute the moneys received from the “Library Support  
28 Fund” in accordance with the State Library Aid Law, N.J.S.18A:74-  
29 1 et seq.

30 e. As used in this section:

31 “County library” means a public library established pursuant to  
32 chapter 33 of Title 40 of the Revised Statutes.

33 “Local library” means a county library or a municipal library.

34 “Municipal library” means a public library established pursuant  
35 to chapter 54 of Title 40 of the Revised Statutes.

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37 2. This act shall take effect immediately and apply to taxable  
38 years commencing on or after the January 1 following the date of  
39 enactment.

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STATEMENT

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44 This bill enables taxpayers to support local libraries by allowing  
45 the collection of voluntary contributions through gross income tax  
46 returns. The bill directs the voluntary contributions to be deposited  
47 into the Local Library Support Fund for appropriations in support of  
48 county and municipal libraries. The bill authorizes the Division of

**S1803 VAN DREW, ALLEN**

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- 1 Taxation to cover the cost of administering the Local Library
- 2 Support Fund using collected proceeds.

SENATE COMMUNITY AND URBAN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

**SENATE, No. 1803**

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

DATED: MARCH 17, 2014

The Senate Community and Urban Affairs Committee reports favorably Senate Bill No. 1803.

This bill creates the option to make a voluntary contribution for the support of local libraries on gross income tax returns. The bill establishes the Local Library Support Fund, which is where the receipts of voluntary contributions are deposited and ultimately appropriated for the support of county and municipal libraries. The bill also authorizes the Division of Taxation to retain sufficient receipts to cover the cost of administering the voluntary contributions.

This bill is identical to Assembly Bill No. 1314 with committee amendments, which was also reported by the committee on this date.