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"Law caps size of student loans to keep them from overburdening borrowers," NJ Spotlight. August 9, 2017

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P.L.2017, CHAPTER 198, *approved August 7, 2017*
Senate, No. 2578 (*Second Reprint*)

1 AN ACT concerning the NJCLASS loan program and amending
2 N.J.S.18A:71C-23 and N.J.S.18A:71C-25.

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

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11 relative]² providing financial support for a dependent eligible
12 student. The authority shall set maximum loan amounts for each
13 participant based on such factors as the cost of attending the
14 particular institution, family income, value of family assets or other
15 factors the authority may consider relevant. The loans may be
16 secured by such endorsement, co-maker's collateral or other security
17 as may be required by rules and regulations established by the
18 authority. When considering an application, the authority shall use
19 appropriate documents to verify the financial information provided
20 by an eligible borrower or cosigner. The documents that the
21 authority may use to verify the financial information may include,
22 but need not be limited to, ²certification by the applicants,² recent
23 federal income tax returns, current pay stubs, and current bank
24 statements.

25 (cf: N.J.S.18A:71C-23)

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27 2. N.J.S.18A:71C-25 is amended to read as follows:
28 18A:71C-25. a. The authority shall establish maximum annual
29 loan amounts and maximum total loan amounts which may be made
30 under the NJCLASS Loan Program; however, the amount of a
31 NJCLASS Loan Program loan may not exceed, in combination with
32 other financial aid, the total education costs of attending an eligible
33 institution as determined by that institution ²[plus the amount of
34 interest payments which may be deferred pursuant to
35 N.J.S.18A:71C-26]².

36 b. In the case of a student borrower who first borrows under the
37 NJCLASS Loan Program after the effective date of P.L. _____,

38 c. (pending before the Legislature as this bill), the maximum
39 total loan amount which may be made shall not exceed ²[\$200,000]
40 \$150,000. The amount of the borrowing cap shall be increased for

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Matter underlined thus is new matter.

Matter enclosed in superscript numerals has been adopted as follows:

¹Senate floor amendments adopted October 20, 2016.

²Assembly AHI committee amendments adopted January 12, 2017.

1 each academic year over the prior year by the regression-based
2 index value of the Higher Education Price Index. The borrowing
3 cap shall not apply to loans that are consolidating or refinancing
4 existing loans².

5 c. When establishing the maximum annual loan amount for a
6 student borrower, the authority shall ²[require that the student
7 borrower first borrows] deduct² the maximum amount of federal
8 Direct Subsidized Loans ²[and federal Direct Unsubsidized
9 Loans]² available to the student ²[¹for which] from the available
10 NJCLASS loan amount. If² the available interest rate ²for federal
11 Direct Unsubsidized Loans² is lower than the interest rate available
12 to the student under the NJCLASS Loan Program^{1 2}, the authority
13 shall deduct the maximum amount of federal Direct Unsubsidized
14 Loans available to the student from the available NJCLASS loan
15 amount².

16 (cf: N.J.S.18A:71C-25)

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18 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

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24 Revises New Jersey College Loans to Assist State Students Loan
25 Program to require applicants first exhaust federal student loans,
require income verification, and limit total student loan amounts.

SENATE, No. 2578

STATE OF NEW JERSEY 217th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED SEPTEMBER 26, 2016

Sponsored by:

Senator SANDRA B. CUNNINGHAM

District 31 (Hudson)

Senator NELLIE POU

District 35 (Bergen and Passaic)

Senator ROBERT M. GORDON

District 38 (Bergen and Passaic)

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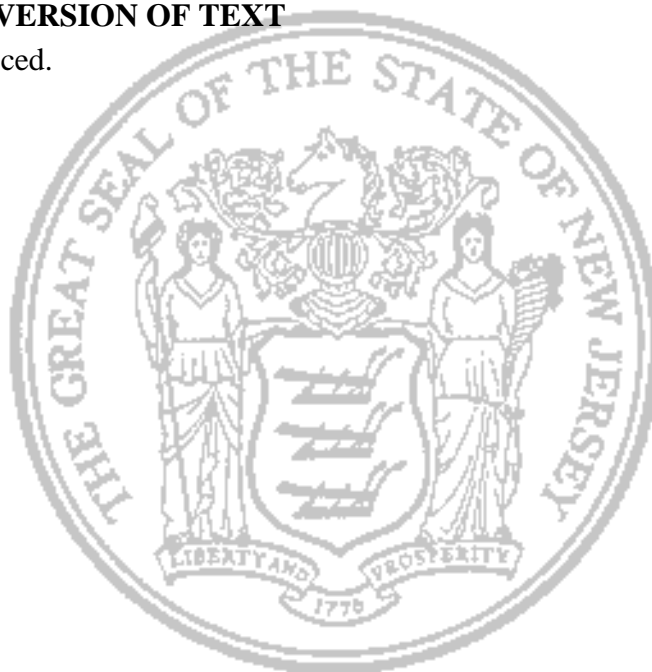
Senators Cruz-Perez, Diegnan, Greenstein and Stack

SYNOPSIS

Revises New Jersey College Loans to Assist State Students Loan Program to require applicants first exhaust federal student loans, require income verification, and limit total student loan amounts.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As introduced.



(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 10/21/2016)

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36 NJCLASS Loan Program after the effective date of P.L. _____,

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38 total loan amount which may be made shall not exceed \$200,000.

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STATEMENT

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7 to Assist State Students (NJCLASS) Loan Program. First, it
8 requires that the Higher Education Student Assistance Authority
9 (HESAA) verify the financial information reported by a borrower or
10 cosigner on an NJCLASS loan application. Second, it mandates
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13 federal Direct Subsidized and federal Direct Unsubsidized loan
14 programs. Last, it provides that a student borrower's total loans
15 under NJCLASS may not exceed \$200,000.

SENATE HIGHER EDUCATION COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 2578

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: SEPTEMBER 29, 2016

The Senate Higher Education Committee reports favorably Senate Bill No. 2578.

This bill makes three changes to the New Jersey College Loans to Assist State Students (NJCLASS) Loan Program. First, it requires that the Higher Education Student Assistance Authority (HESAA) verify the financial information reported by a borrower or cosigner on an NJCLASS loan application. Second, it mandates that a student borrower, prior to receiving an NJCLASS loan, borrows the maximum amount available to the student under the federal Direct Subsidized and federal Direct Unsubsidized loan programs. Last, it provides that a student borrower's total loans under NJCLASS may not exceed \$200,000.

SENATE BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 2578

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: OCTOBER 13, 2016

The Senate Budget and Appropriations Committee reports favorably Senate Bill No. 2578.

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FISCAL IMPACT:

This bill is not certified as requiring a Fiscal Note.

STATEMENT TO
SENATE, No. 2578

with Assembly Floor Amendments
(Proposed by Senator SINGER)

ADOPTED: OCTOBER 20, 2016

This Senate amendment provides that a borrower under the NJCLASS Loan Program will only be required to take the federal subsidized and unsubsidized loans available to the student prior to taking an NJCLASS loan if the interest rate on those federal loans is lower than the NJCLASS loan interest rate.

ASSEMBLY, No. 4239

STATE OF NEW JERSEY 217th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED OCTOBER 7, 2016

Sponsored by:

Assemblywoman SHAVONDA E. SUMTER

District 35 (Bergen and Passaic)

Assemblywoman MILA M. JASEY

District 27 (Essex and Morris)

Assemblyman DANIEL R. BENSON

District 14 (Mercer and Middlesex)

Assemblywoman ELIZABETH MAHER MUOIO

District 15 (Hunterdon and Mercer)

SYNOPSIS

Revises New Jersey College Loans to Assist State Students Loan Program to require applicants first exhaust federal student loans, require income verification, and limit total student loan amounts.

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ASSEMBLY HIGHER EDUCATION COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

ASSEMBLY, No. 4239

with committee amendments

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: JANUARY 12, 2017

The Assembly Higher Education Committee reports favorably Assembly Bill No. 4239 with committee amendments.

As amended, this bill makes several changes to the New Jersey College Loans to Assist State Students (NJCLASS) Loan Program. The bill: requires that the Higher Education Student Assistance Authority verify the financial information reported by a borrower or cosigner on an NJCLASS loan application; mandates that, when establishing the maximum annual loan amount for a student borrower, the authority deduct the maximum amount of federal Direct Subsidized Loans available to the student from the available NJCLASS loan amount. If the available interest rate for the federal Direct Unsubsidized Loans is lower than the interest rate available to the student under the NJCLASS Loan Program, the authority will also deduct the maximum amount of federal Direct Unsubsidized Loans available to the student from the available NJCLASS loan amount; and provides that a student borrower's maximum total loan amount under NJCLASS may not exceed \$150,000. The maximum total loan amount under the program will be increased each academic year over the prior year by the regression-based index value of the Higher Education Price Index.

As amended and reported by the committee, this bill is identical to Senate Bill No. 2578(1R) with committee amendments, which was also reported by the committee on this same date.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS:

The amendments:

- Eliminate spouses and other relatives from the definition of an "eligible borrower";
- Specify that a certification by a loan applicant may be used as documentation to verify financial information;
- Provide that the authority does not need to consider the amount of interest payments which may be deferred when calculating the maximum annual and total loan amounts;
- Decrease the maximum total loan amount from \$200,000 to \$150,000, but stipulate that the amount will be increased for

each academic year over the prior year by the regression-based index value of the Higher Education Price Index; and

- Specify that the authority, when establishing the maximum annual loan amounts for a student borrower, will deduct the maximum amount of federal Direct Subsidized Loans from the available NJCLASS loan amount. If the available interest rate for the federal Direct Unsubsidized loans is lower than the interest rate available to the student under the NJCLASS Loan Program, the authority will also deduct the maximum amount of federal Direct Unsubsidized Loans available to the student from the available NJCLASS loan amount.

Governor Christie Takes Action On Pending Legislation

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Trenton, NJ - Governor Chris Christie today announced that he has taken action on the following pending legislation:

BILL SIGNINGS:

S-169/A-4329 (Bateman/McKeon, Zwicker) - Allows certain emergency squad volunteers holding municipal elective office to vote on emergency squad concerns

S-452/A-838 (Sacco, Greenstein/Jimenez, Moriarty) - Requires waiver of dealer obligation regarding necessary repairs impacting vehicle inspection to include description of known defects

S-678/A-4967 (Rice/Watson, Tucker, Caputo) - Requires local government units to certify compliance with certain federal hiring requirements when filing annual budgets

S-726/A-4460 (Cruz-Perez, Oroho/Jones, Mosquera, Downey, Johnson) – Extends full protection of Law Against Discrimination to persons having liability for service in Armed Forces of United States; guarantees equal employment opportunity in State contracting to all veterans

S-996wGR/A-1378 (Rice, Van Drew, Turner/Muoio, Benson, Pintor Marin, Quijano, Schaer) – Requires report on status of lead-safe program in DCA

S-1219/A-936 (Holzapfel, Allen/Wolfe, McGuckin, Oliver, Giblin, Wimberly) - Requires reporting of suspected abuse of institutionalized elderly to police and that facility employees receive notice of reporting requirement annually; designated as "Peggy's Law"

S-1359/A-4096 (A.R. Bucco, Stack/A.M. Bucco, Vainieri Huttie, McKnight, Mazzeo) - Guarantees full and equal access to all housing to disabled persons who retain their retired service or guide dog as a pet, and who also obtain a new service or guide dog

S-1497/A-3225 (A.R. Bucco, Pennacchio/Dancer, Clifton, Munoz, A.M. Bucco) - Designates Killed in Action flag as an official State flag; mandates it be displayed at certain public buildings

SCS for S-1640, 1642, 1013/AS AS ACS for A-3152, 3154, 2426 (Van Drew, Holzapfel, Singer, Turner/Andrzejczak, McGuckin, Land, Wolfe, Vainieri Huttie, Taliaferro, Benson) - Establishes requirements concerning necessary care of dogs, domestic companion animals, and service animals, and for tethering of dogs

S-1660/A-770 (Van Drew, Cruz-Perez/Andrzejczak, Land, Houghtaling, DeAngelo, Johnson) - Provides for voluntary contributions by taxpayers on gross income tax returns for maintenance of certain State memorials honoring war veterans

S-1731/A-2368 (Gordon, Allen/Vainieri Huttie) - Permits municipality to establish civil penalty for smoking in public places

S-1739/A-2167 (Turner, Diegnan/Johnson, Vainieri Huttie, Wimberly) - Establishes sexual assault training requirements for law enforcement officers

S-1750/A-2729 (Madden, Cruz-Perez/A.M. Bucco, DeAngelo, Space, Mosquera, Wisniewski, DeCroce, Mukherji, Jones) - Establishes special motorcycle license plates for veterans

S-1808/A-3342 (Van Drew, Diegnan/Karabinchak) - Designates striped bass as NJ State Saltwater Fish; redesignates brook trout as NJ Freshwater Fish

S-2153/A-3520 (Gordon/Eustace, Sumter, Wimberly, Vainieri Huttle, Johnson) – Requires NJTA to study impact of constructing rail stations at certain park and ride facilities

S-2369/A-4152 (Whelan, Van Drew, Connors/Andrzejczak, Mazzeo, Land, Burzichelli) - Limits application of DEP shellfish habitat rules for certain dredging activities

S-2457/A-3999 (Van Drew, Oroho/Houghtaling, Andrzejczak, Mazzeo, Space, Downey) - Enables collection of voluntary contributions for Jersey Fresh Program through gross income tax returns

S-2578/A-4239 (Cunningham, Pou, Gordon/Sumter, Jasey, Benson, Muoio, Downey, Mukherji) - Revises New Jersey College Loans to Assist State Students Loan Program to require applicants first exhaust federal student loans, require income verification, and limit total student loan amounts

S-2884/A-4484 (Whelan, Greenstein/Eustace, Quijano, Chiaravalloti, Caride) - Declares that deed restrictions or agreements that prevent raising or constructing of a structure to certain flood elevation standards are unenforceable

S-2892/A-5042 (Sweeney/Giblin) - Exempts certain real estate brokers, broker-salespersons and salespersons from continuing education requirement

S-3074/A-4586 (Lesniak, Turner/Johnson, Oliver, Holley, Chiaravalloti) - Establishes gubernatorial veto power over Waterfront Commission of New York Harbor's meeting minutes; expands gubernatorial oversight powers over commission

S-3244/A-4854 (Sweeney, Allen/Singleton, Burzichelli, Taliaferro) - Designates portion of Interstate Highway Route 295 in West Deptford Township as "State Trooper Sean E. Cullen Memorial Highway"

A-445/S-1661 (Mazzeo, Pinkin, DeAngelo, Chiaravalloti/Van Drew, A.R. Bucco) - Provides for voluntary contributions by taxpayers on gross income tax returns for the NJ World War II Veterans' Memorial Fund

A-1185/S-2771 (Mosquera, Holley, Moriarty, Quijano/Cruz-Perez, Van Drew) - Requires State Comptroller to report findings of audit compliance reviews

A-1199/S-1326 (Mosquera, Moriarty, Lagana, Zwicker, Downey/Turner, Oroho) - Permits a victim or witness of any age to testify by closed circuit television under certain circumstances in prosecutions for domestic violence, sexual assault, and certain other crimes

ACS for A-1690/SCS SCS for S-660, 2002 (Dancer, Singleton, Andrzejczak, Land, Benson, Moriarty, Houghtaling/Turner, Beach, Van Drew) - Allows fire district elections to be moved to November; eliminates certain fire district budget referenda; and eliminates certain fire district capital purchase referenda

A-1953/S-2448 (Coughlin, Lagana, Muoio, Benson, Houghtaling, Danielsen, Mukherji/Vitale, Whelan) - Allows installment payments for senior and disabled property taxpayers to repay overpayments of homestead credits and homestead property tax reimbursements

A-1955/SCS for S-1795 (Jones, Lampitt, Phoebus, Space/A.R. Bucco, Oroho) - Provides for voluntary discharge of personal representatives overseeing administration of estates by application to the Surrogate's Court

A-2176/S-156 (Taliaferro, Eustace, Benson, Mazzeo, Chiaravalloti/Madden, Ruiz) - Criminalizes possession and sale of alpha-pyrrolidinopentophenone (alpha-PVP), commonly known as "flakka" or "flocka"

A-3056/SCS for S-2360, 3030 (Taliaferro, Dancer, Houghtaling, Space, Andrzejczak, Webber/Allen, Greenstein, Bateman, Smith, Wimberly) – Requires DEP to establish voluntary guidelines for K-12 schools and institutions of higher education to reduce, recover, and recycle food waste; extends "Food Bank Good Samaritan Act" immunity protections to public and nonpublic schools.

A-3058/S-2366 (Space, Taliaferro, Dancer, Houghtaling, Andrzejczak/Oroho, Ruiz) - Establishes Farm to School Coordinating Council

A-3381 (McKnight, Holley, Vainieri Huttle, Houghtaling, Chiaravalloti, Quijano, Gordon) – Authorizes municipal volunteer programs for free removal of snow from certain residential properties occupied by seniors or disabled persons.

A-3386/S-2711 (Schaer, Vainieri Huttle, Chiaravalloti, Caride, Mukherji, Wimberly/Vitale, Rice) - Provides protections for children under the age of 18 with developmental disabilities and individuals with developmental disabilities ages 18-21 receiving services from Division of Children's System of Care

A-3437/S-1076 (DeAngelo, Gusciora, Land, Andrzejczak/Turner) - Designates "Garden State" as State Slogan

A-3896/S-2790 (Sumter, Mukherji, Pintor Marin/Scutari, Turner) - Concerns sale of certain tires

A-3908/S-3021 (Mazzeo, DeAngelo, Mukherji, Houghtaling, Quijano/Whelan, T. Kean) - Establishes 9/11 Memorial Registry

A-3911/S-2863 (Wisniewski, Vainieri Huttle, Mukherji/Cardinale, Pennacchio) - Provides that motor vehicle registration expires on registrant's numerical calendar day of birth

A-4164/S-2588 (Houghtaling, Downey, Holley, Muoio, Webber/Van Drew, Cruz-Perez) - Requires State Auditor to annually report on unspent State account balances

A-4206/S-2676 (Karabinchak, Prieto, Webber, Holley/Diegnan, A.R. Bucco) - Requires candidates for election to school board to file with their nominating petitions specific affirmation that they have not been convicted of crimes that would disqualify them from office

A-4230/S-3141 (Conaway, O'Scanlon, Mukherji, Pintor Marin/Codey) - Requires health insurance carriers; SHBP, and SEHBP to inform covered persons about organ and tissue donation

ACS for A-4432/SCS for S-2841 (Schaer, Lampitt, Benson, Singleton, Chiaravalloti, Wimberly/Cunningham) - Provides increased tax credit amounts under Grow New Jersey Assistance Program for certain businesses that have collaborative research relationships with colleges or universities

A-4542/S-2986 (Mazzeo, Johnson, Land, Andrzejczak, DeCrocce/Van Drew) - Designates portion of State Highway Route 55 as "State Trooper Frankie L. Williams Memorial Highway"

A-4580/S-2989 (Taliaferro, Burzichelli, Quijano, Houghtaling/Lesniak, Oroho) - Appropriates \$2,900,000 from "2009 Farmland Preservation Fund" for grants to certain nonprofit organizations for farmland preservation purposes

A-4581/S-2987 (Houghtaling, Andrzejczak, Singleton, Downey/Cruz-Perez, Oroho) - Appropriates \$22,385,743 to State Agriculture Development Committee for farmland preservation purposes

A-4582/S-2990 (Andrzejczak, Mazzeo, Taliaferro, Zwicker, Houghtaling/Whelan, Van Drew) - Appropriates \$32.5 million from constitutionally dedicated CBT revenues to State Agriculture Development Committee for county planning incentive grants

A-4584/S-2988 (Zwicker, Taliaferro, Burzichelli, Houghtaling/Sweeney) - Appropriates \$7,500,000 from constitutionally dedicated CBT revenues for planning incentive grants to municipalities for farmland preservation purposes

A-4630/S-1938 (Jones/Cruz-Perez) - Repeals law regulating charges assessed by a miller for grinding grain

A-4673/S-3095 (Houghtaling, Downey/Van Drew) - Concerns assessment of buildings or structures on real property located in certain counties following material depreciation thereof

A-4713/S-3235 (Burzichelli, Prieto, Gusciora, DeAngelo, Benson/Kyrillos, Whelan) - Designates building where NJEDA is located in memory of Caren Franzini to commemorate her outstanding service to State

A-4895/S-3056 (Egan, Sumter, Pinkin/Cunningham) - Eliminates UI exemption for interns employed by hospitals

BILL VETOED:

S-2214/A-3847 (Turner, Cunningham/Lampitt, Mukherji, Johnson, Eustace) - CONDITIONAL - Requires institutions of higher education and proprietary degree-granting institutions to improve transparency of tuition and fees

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