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P.L. 1999, CHAPTER 414, *approved January 18, 2000*
Senate, No. 2212 (*First Reprint*)

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2 involved in sending-receiving relationships and supplementing
3 P.L.1995, c.8 (C.18A:38-8.1 et seq.).
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6 of New Jersey:
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9 (C.18A:38-8.2) or any other law or regulation to the contrary, a
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11 to the latest federal decennial census, which has an October 1998
12 resident enrollment greater than 2,400 pupils but less than 2,600
13 pupils, and which sends its pupils in grades 9 through 12 to a school
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16 follows:

17 a. (1) If the pupils of the sending district comprise less than 10%
18 of the total enrollment of the pupils in grades 9 through 12 of the
19 receiving district, the sending district shall have no representation on
20 the receiving district board of education;

21 (2) If the pupils of the sending district comprise at least 10% but
22 not more than 29% of the total enrollment of the pupils in grades 9
23 through 12 of the receiving district, the sending district shall have one
24 representative on the receiving district board of education;

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28 representatives on the receiving district board of education; and

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30 more of the total enrollment of the pupils in grades 9 through 12 of the
31 receiving district, the sending district shall have three representatives
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33 b. The calculation of the percentages required under this section
34 shall be based on the number of pupils reported as of the last school
35 day prior to October 16 of the prebudget year.

36 c. The representatives of the sending district board of education
37 shall be designated by the sending district board at a meeting of the
38 board which is closest in time to the annual organizational meeting of
39 the receiving district board of education.

EXPLANATION - Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and intended to be omitted in the law.

Matter underlined thus is new matter.

Matter enclosed in superscript numerals has been adopted as follows:

¹ Senate SED committee amendments adopted December 13, 1999.

1 d. The representatives of a sending district board of education
2 appointed to a receiving district board of education pursuant to this
3 section shall be in addition to the members of the board of education
4 of a Type I or Type II school district provided ¹~~by law~~ pursuant to
5 chapter 12 of Title 18A of the New Jersey Statutes¹. The
6 representatives of the sending district board of education shall be
7 eligible to vote on those matters authorized pursuant to section 1 of
8 P.L.1995, c.8 (C.18A:38-8.1).

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10 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall first apply to the
11 2000-2001 school year.

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16 Provides increased representation on receiving district boards of
17 education for certain sending districts.

SENATE, No. 2212

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
208th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED NOVEMBER 8, 1999

Sponsored by:

Senator JAMES S. CAFIERO

District 1 (Cape May, Atlantic and Cumberland)

SYNOPSIS

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8 Board of Education to members of the Upper Township Board of
9 Education which is currently involved in a sending-receiving
10 relationship with Ocean City. Upper Township sends all of its
11 students in grades 9 through 12 to Ocean City for the provision of
12 high school programs and services, and Upper Township students
13 currently represent more than 50% of the students enrolled in those
14 grades. Under existing law, Upper Township is only eligible for one
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17 of the grades of the receiving district in which the sending district
18 students are enrolled. Given the fact that the students from Upper
19 Township represent a majority of the high school student body and
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21 increase Upper Township's representation on the receiving district
22 board of education, it is only equitable that enabling legislation be
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SENATE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 2212

with committee amendments

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: DECEMBER 13, 1999

The Senate Education Committee reports favorably and with committee amendments Senate Bill No. 2212.

As amended, this bill provides additional representation on the Ocean City Board of Education to members of the Upper Township Board of Education which is currently involved in a sending-receiving relationship with Ocean City. Upper Township sends all of its students in grades 9 through 12 to Ocean City for the provision of high school programs and services, and Upper Township students currently represent more than 50% of the students enrolled in those grades. Under existing law, Upper Township is only eligible for one representative on the Ocean City Board of Education as are all districts whose students comprise at least 10% of the total enrollment of the grades of the receiving district in which the sending district students are enrolled. Given the fact that the students from Upper Township represent a majority of the high school student body and that the two school districts have reached a mutual agreement to increase Upper Township's representation on the receiving district board of education, it is only equitable that enabling legislation be enacted to authorize these districts to increase that representation.

The bill authorizes the appointment of between one and three representatives of the Upper Township Board of Education to the Ocean City Board of Education depending on the percentage of students in grades 9 through 12 that the students of Upper Township represent. The calculation of the percentage of students, the procedures for the selection of sending district members on the receiving district board, and the matters on which the sending district representatives may vote remain the same as under current law.

The committee amended the bill to clarify that the members of the sending board of education who would be appointed to the receiving board of education pursuant to the provisions of the bill would be in addition to the members of the receiving board who are on the board pursuant to the provisions of chapter 12 of Title 18A of the New Jersey Statutes.

ASSEMBLY, No. 3499

STATE OF NEW JERSEY 208th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED NOVEMBER 15, 1999

Sponsored by:

Assemblyman NICHOLAS ASSELTA

District 1 (Cape May, Atlantic and Cumberland)

Assemblyman JOHN C. GIBSON

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ASSEMBLY EDUCATION COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

ASSEMBLY, No. 3499

with committee amendments

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: DECEMBER 6, 1999

The Assembly Education Committee favorably reports Assembly Bill No. 3499 with committee amendments.

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