

**18A:64H-4**  
**LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST**  
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**LAWS OF:** 2008                      **CHAPTER:** 5

**NJSA:** 18A:64H-4              (Concerns the Advisory Graduate Medical Education Council of NJ)

**BILL NO:** A1862                      (Substituted for S627)

**SPONSOR(S):** Conaway and Munoz

**DATE INTRODUCED:** January 24, 2008

**COMMITTEE:**                      **ASSEMBLY:** Health and Senior Services

**SENATE:**

**AMENDED DURING PASSAGE:**                      No

**DATE OF PASSAGE:**                      **ASSEMBLY:** March 13, 2008

**SENATE:**                      March 17, 2008

**DATE OF APPROVAL:**                      March 26, 2008

**FOLLOWING ARE ATTACHED IF AVAILABLE:**

**FINAL TEXT OF BILL** (Original version of bill enacted)

**A1862**

<b>SPONSOR'S STATEMENT:</b> (Begins on page 3 of original bill)	Yes
<b>COMMITTEE STATEMENT:</b>	<b>ASSEMBLY:</b> Yes
	<b>SENATE:</b> No

(Audio archived recordings of the committee meetings, corresponding to the date of the committee statement, *may possibly* be found at [www.njleg.state.nj.us](http://www.njleg.state.nj.us))

**FLOOR AMENDMENT STATEMENT:** No

**LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ESTIMATE:** No

**S627**

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<b>COMMITTEE STATEMENT:</b>	<b>ASSEMBLY:</b> No
	<b>SENATE:</b> Yes

**FLOOR AMENDMENT STATEMENT:** No

**LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ESTIMATE:** No

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**VETO MESSAGE:** No

**GOVERNOR'S PRESS RELEASE ON SIGNING:** No

**FOLLOWING WERE PRINTED:**

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LAW

P.L. 2008, CHAPTER 5, *approved March 26, 2008*

Assembly, No. 1862

1 AN ACT concerning the Advisory Graduate Medical Education  
2 Council of New Jersey and amending P.L.1977, c.390.

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5 of New Jersey:

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8 read as follows:

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12 officio members. The appointments shall consist of three  
13 representatives of the public and one student currently enrolled in a  
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16 Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey, who shall serve as  
17 chairperson; a dean from one of the medical schools of the  
18 University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey, to be selected  
19 by the president of the University of Medicine and Dentistry of  
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21 of Seton Hall University; the president of the New Jersey Hospital  
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28 The Commissioner of Health and Senior Services; the president of  
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36 other than by expiration of term shall be filled in the same manner  
37 as the original appointment but for the unexpired term only. To  
38 assist the council in carrying out the intent of this act:

39 a. The council may appoint advisory committees representative  
40 of the medical and health care professions, educators, and students,  
41 representatives of medical and health care facilities and consumers.

**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.

1 The advisory committees shall provide advice and assistance to the  
2 council for the council's performance of its designated functions.  
3 b. The council may employ an executive director and  
4 additional staff to provide expertise in the gathering and analysis of  
5 data and administration. The executive director shall have the right  
6 to speak on all matters at meetings of the council but shall have no  
7 vote. The council and the advisory committees shall serve without  
8 compensation, but shall be reimbursed for necessary expenses  
9 incurred in the performance of their duties.  
10 (cf: P.L.1994, c.48, s.173)

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12 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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15 STATEMENT

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17 This bill increases the membership of the Advisory Graduate  
18 Medical Education Council of New Jersey from 14 to 15 members  
19 and adds the president of the New Jersey Council of Teaching  
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**ASSEMBLY, No. 1862**

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**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

**213th LEGISLATURE**

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INTRODUCED JANUARY 24, 2008

**Sponsored by:**

**Assemblyman HERB CONAWAY, JR.**

**District 7 (Burlington and Camden)**

**Assemblyman ERIC MUNOZ**

**District 21 (Essex, Morris, Somerset and Union)**

**Co-Sponsored by:**

**Assemblyman Connors, Assemblywoman Evans and Senator Vitale**

**SYNOPSIS**

Increases membership of Advisory Graduate Medical Education Council of NJ from 14 to 15 members.

**CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT**

As introduced.



**(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 3/18/2008)**

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ASSEMBLY HEALTH AND SENIOR SERVICES COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

**ASSEMBLY, No. 1862**

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

DATED: JANUARY 24, 2008

The Assembly Health and Senior Services Committee reports favorably Assembly Bill No. 1862.

This bill increases the membership of the Graduate Medical Education Advisory Council by adding the President of the New Jersey Council of Teaching Hospitals as an ex officio, voting member of the council.

The council was established pursuant to P.L.1977, c.390 (C.18A:64H-1 et seq.) for the purpose of making recommendations for the support, through federal, State and private funds, of graduate medical education programs in private nonprofit and public hospitals in the State, and for the development and implementation of new graduate medical education programs to meet the needs of the citizens of the State.

This bill is identical to Senate Bill No. 627 (Vitale), which is currently pending before the Senate.



# SENATE, No. 627

## STATE OF NEW JERSEY 213th LEGISLATURE

PRE-FILED FOR INTRODUCTION IN THE 2008 SESSION

**Sponsored by:**

**Senator JOSEPH F. VITALE**

**District 19 (Middlesex)**

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SENATE HEALTH, HUMAN SERVICES AND SENIOR  
CITIZENS COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

**SENATE, No. 627**

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

DATED: JANUARY 24, 2008

The Senate Health, Human Services and Senior Citizens Committee reports favorably Senate Bill No. 627.

This bill increases the membership of the Advisory Graduate Medical Education Council of New Jersey from 14 to 15 members, and adds the president of the New Jersey Council of Teaching Hospitals as an ex officio, voting member of the council.

The council was established pursuant to P.L.1977, c.390. The purpose of the council is to make recommendations for the support, through federal, State, and private funds, of graduate medical education programs in private nonprofit and public hospitals in the State, and to make recommendations for the development and implementation of new graduate medical education programs which will meet the needs of the citizens of the State. The duties of the council include, but are not limited to:

- obtaining and evaluating information concerning the graduate medical manpower needs of the citizens of the State;

- recommending standards and criteria for participation by private nonprofit and public hospitals in the State;

- reviewing individual institutional applications and recommending awards of support to particular institutions based on conformance with the identified needs of the citizens of the State and the standards and criteria recommended by the council; and

- annually reviewing the educational programs provided by participating hospitals.

This bill is identical to Assembly Bill No.1862 (Conaway).