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Referred to Committee on County and Municipal Government

AN ACT authorizing counties and municipalities to establish, main-
tain and appropriate funds for awards programs for their em-
ployees.

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

1 1. The board of chosen freeholders of any county or the govern-
2 ing body of any municipality may, by resolution, establish an
3 awards program or programs for county or municipal officers and
4 employees, as the case may be, designed to promote efficiency and
5 economy in governmental functions of the county or municipality
6 and to reward individual officers and employees for heroism, effi-
7 ciency, meritorious suggestions, professional accomplishments, per-
8 formance of duty and for service. The board or governing body
9 shall by such resolution provide for the administration of its
10 awards program or programs by an officer or officers named
11 therein and may provide for such advisory committee or commit-
12 tees to assist in the formulation and administration of such pro-
13 grams as it shall determine.

14 Awards, within available appropriations therefor, may be in
15 the form of cash, medals, certificates, insignia, or other appropri-
16 ate devices or tokens of appreciation as shall be provided for under
17 an established awards program.

1 2. The board of chosen freeholders or governing body may ap-
2 propriate funds necessary to carry out any program or programs
3 established pursuant to this act.

1 3. This act shall take effect immediately.