

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST

NJSA 40:33-13.2c (Municipal library employees to retain positions upon merger with county system)
 Laws of 1978 Chapter 23

Bill No. S794

Sponsor(s) Russo

Date Introduced Feb. 9, 1978

Committee: Assembly Municipal Government

Senate County & Municipal Government

Amended during passage Yes ~~No~~

Amendments during passage denoted by asterisks. S794 substituted for A705 (not attached since identical to S794)

Date of passage: Assembly April 24, 1978

Senate April 17, 1978

Date of approval May 23, 1978

Following statements are attached if available:

Sponsor statement Yes ~~No~~ (Below)

Committee Statement: Assembly Yes ~~No~~

Senate Yes ~~No~~

Fiscal Note Yes ~~No~~

Veto message Yes ~~No~~

Message on signing Yes ~~No~~

Following were printed:

Reports Yes ~~No~~

Hearings Yes ~~No~~

Sponsor's statement:

The purpose of this bill is to permit municipal library employees to retain their positions when a municipal library is merged into a county library system.

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SENATE, No. 794

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

INTRODUCED FEBRUARY 9, 1978

By Senator J. RUSSO

Referred to Committee on County and Municipal Government

AN ACT concerning the civil service classification of certain employees of a county library system in certain cases.

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

1 1. Any former employee of a municipal free public library who
2 has become an employee of a county library system pursuant to an
3 agreement providing for the admission or merger of the municipal
4 free public library to or into the county library system, shall be
5 placed in the classified service of the civil service **of the county**,
6 subject to individual entry qualifying examinations. Those em-
7 ployees so placed shall continue in the position in which employed
8 at the time of the admission or merger and shall be subject to all
9 provisions of Subtitle 3 of Title 11 (Civil Service) of the Revised
9A Statutes.

10 As used in this act;

11 "Municipal free public library" means a free public library
12 established pursuant to Article 1 of chapter 54 of Title 40 of the
13 Revised Statutes by a municipality in which the provisions of
14 Subtitle 3 of Title 11 (Civil Service) of the Revised Statutes have
15 not been adopted;

16 "County library system" means a county library system estab-
17 lished and organized pursuant to Article 1 of chapter 33 of Title 40
18 of the Revised Statutes in a county in which the provisions of
19 Subtitle 3 of Title 11 (Civil Service) have been adopted.

1 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

SENATE COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT
COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 794

with Senate committee amendments

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: MARCH 2, 1978

Senate No. 794 would provide that in instances where a municipal free public library of a non-civil service municipality has been merged or admitted into a county library system of a civil service county, the employees of such municipal library shall be placed in the civil service of the county and continue in their employment positions. Such municipal library employees would be subject to individual entry qualifying exams, administered by the Department of Civil Service.

The committee amendment is purely clarifying in nature.

The committee notes two printing errors in line 1 of section 1 of the bill: "municpal" for "municipal" and "librery" for "library".

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

MAY 23, 1978

KATHY FORSYTH

Governor Brendan Byrne today signed the following bills:

S-201, sponsored by Senator Carl A. Orechio (R-Essex), which revises the maximum penalties for a violation of the law or of the State Fish and Game Code concerning deer hunting from \$300 to \$500 for the first offense and from \$500 to \$1000 for the second and subsequent offenses.

The maximum penalty has not been increased since 1967.

S-794, sponsored by Senate Majority Leader John Russo (D-Ocean), which authorizes the continued employment of between four and six employees of the Bishop Memorial Library of Toms River, a municipal free library, when it merges with the Ocean County Library system.

S-871, sponsored by Senator Raymond Zane (D-Gloucester), which provides for a full-time prosecutor in Gloucester County.

A-430, sponsored by Assemblyman Daniel Newman (D-Ocean), which creates a commission to study teacher preparation programs at all New Jersey colleges.

The Commission's mandate expires January 1, 1979, when it is to report its findings to the Legislature.

Consisting of 11 members, the Commission will include four legislative appointees (two from each party in each house), and seven gubernatorial appointees, including one dean of a teacher education program at a New Jersey college, one teacher staff member and one 1978 graduate of a teacher education program. All will serve without compensation.

The Chancellor of Higher Education and the Commissioner of Education will be ex-officio voting members.

The bill appropriates \$25,000 from the Department of Education budget to support the Commission's expenses.

A-790, sponsored by Assemblyman John Doyle (D-Ocean), which appropriates \$240,700 to replace forest fire trucks and other equipment which were heavily utilized during last year's extraordinary series of fires.

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