

43:21-4.3

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NJSA: 43:21-4.3 (Requires four weeks pre-notification of exhaustion of UI benefits)

BILL NO: S2380 (Substituted for A3450)

SPONSOR(S) Cunningham and others

DATE INTRODUCED: October 18, 2010

COMMITTEE: **ASSEMBLY:** ---

SENATE: Labor

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DATE OF PASSAGE: **ASSEMBLY:** November 22, 2010

SENATE: November 22, 2010

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FINAL TEXT OF BILL (First reprint enacted)

S2380

SPONSOR'S STATEMENT: (Begins on page 2 of introduced bill) Yes

COMMITTEE STATEMENT: **ASSEMBLY:** No

SENATE: Yes

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FLOOR AMENDMENT STATEMENT: No

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ESTIMATE: No

A3450

SPONSOR'S STATEMENT: (Begins on page 2 of introduced bill) Yes

COMMITTEE STATEMENT: **ASSEMBLY:** Yes

SENATE: No

FLOOR AMENDMENT STATEMENT: No

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ESTIMATE: No

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SENATE, No. 2380

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
214th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED OCTOBER 18, 2010

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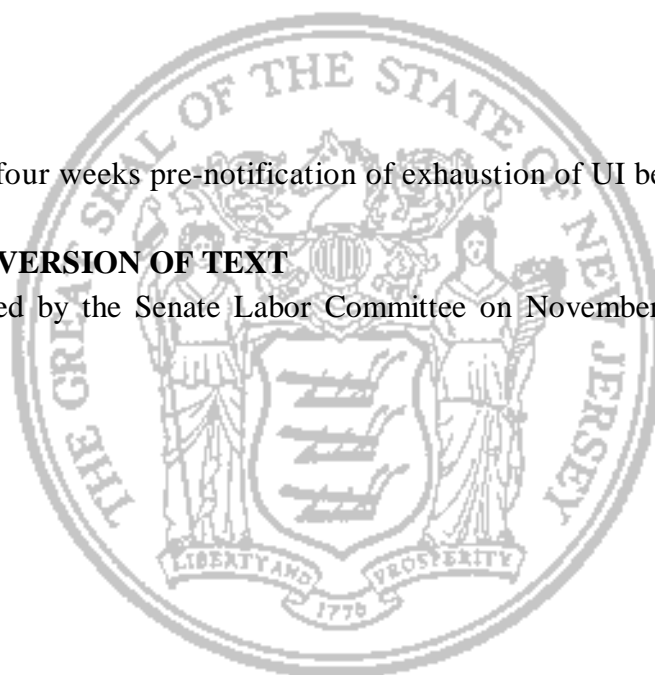
**Assemblymen Coughlin, Albano, Assemblywoman Quijano, Assemblymen
O'Donnell and Conaway**

SYNOPSIS

Requires four weeks pre-notification of exhaustion of UI benefits.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As reported by the Senate Labor Committee on November 8, 2010, with amendments.



(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 11/23/2010)

1 AN ACT concerning notification of the exhaustion of unemployment
2 benefits and supplementing chapter 21 of Title 43 of the Revised
3 Statutes.

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

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8 1. The Commissioner of Labor and Workforce Development
9 shall give written notification to any individual receiving
10 unemployment compensation pursuant to R.S.43:21-1 et seq.,
11 including any State or federal extension of the unemployment
12 compensation, of the date of the final exhaustion of all
13 unemployment compensation for the individual, not less than
14 ¹~~three~~ four weeks prior to that date. The written notification
15 shall include a referral for services from the Department of Human
16 Services and any other appropriate State agency to counsel and
17 assist the individual to obtain any resources which may be available
18 for the individual and dependents of the individual, including
19 ¹assistance regarding housing ¹, child care, food, mental health,
20 addiction services, ¹ and health ¹care coverage ¹~~assistance~~. The
21 notification shall be distributed in a manner deemed by the
22 commissioner to be the most practicable and cost effective, but that
23 will ensure timely personal notification of each person.

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25 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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.

Matter enclosed in superscript numerals has been adopted as follows:

¹Senate SLA committee amendments adopted November 8, 2010.

SENATE, No. 2380

STATE OF NEW JERSEY 214th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED OCTOBER 18, 2010

Sponsored by:

Senator SANDRA B. CUNNINGHAM

District 31 (Hudson)

Senator JOSEPH PENNACCHIO

District 26 (Morris and Passaic)

SYNOPSIS

Requires three weeks pre-notification of exhaustion of UI benefits.

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As introduced.



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STATEMENT

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29 This bill requires the Commissioner of Labor and Workforce
30 Development to give at least three weeks written pre-notification to
31 any individual receiving unemployment insurance (UI) benefits,
32 including any State or federal extension of the UI benefits, of the
33 date of the final exhaustion of all UI benefits for the individual.
34 The notification shall include a referral for services from the
35 Department of Human Services and any other appropriate State
36 agency to counsel and assist the individual to obtain any resources
37 which may be available for the individual and dependents of the
38 individual, including housing and health coverage assistance.

SENATE LABOR COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 2380

with committee amendments

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: NOVEMBER 8, 2010

The Senate Labor Committee reports favorably and with committee amendments Senate Bill No. 2380.

As amended by the committee, this bill requires the Commissioner of Labor and Workforce Development to give at least four weeks written pre-notification to any individual receiving unemployment insurance (UI) benefits, including any State or federal extension of the UI benefits, of the date of the final exhaustion of all UI benefits for the individual. The notification shall include a referral for services from the Department of Human Services and any other appropriate State agency to counsel and assist the individual to obtain any resources which may be available for the individual and dependents of the individual, including assistance regarding housing, child care, food, mental health, addiction services, and health care coverage.

The committee amendments increased the minimum pre-notification requirement from three to four weeks, and added child care, food, mental health and addiction services to the list of forms of assistance made available.

ASSEMBLY, No. 3450

STATE OF NEW JERSEY 214th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED OCTOBER 25, 2010

Sponsored by:

Assemblyman WAYNE P. DEANGELO

District 14 (Mercer and Middlesex)

Assemblywoman ELEASE EVANS

District 35 (Bergen and Passaic)

Co-Sponsored by:

Assemblymen Coughlin and Albano

SYNOPSIS

Requires three weeks pre-notification of exhaustion of UI benefits.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As introduced.



(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 11/16/2010)

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ASSEMBLY LABOR COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
ASSEMBLY, No. 3450

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: NOVEMBER 15, 2010

The Assembly Labor Committee reports favorably an Assembly Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 3450.

This Assembly Committee Substitute requires the Commissioner of Labor and Workforce Development to give at least four weeks written pre-notification to any individual receiving unemployment insurance (UI) benefits, including any State or federal extension of the UI benefits, of the date of the final exhaustion of all UI benefits for the individual. The notification shall include a referral for services from the Department of Human Services and any other appropriate State agency to counsel and assist the individual to obtain any resources which may be available for the individual and dependents of the individual, including assistance regarding housing, child care, food, mental health, addiction services, and health care coverage.

As reported, this substitute bill is identical to Senate Bill No. 2380(1R).