

40:10C-1

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST

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LAWS OF: 2009 **CHAPTER:** 301

NJSA: 40:10C-1 (Permits municipal or county Hispanic advisory commission to have more than five members)

BILL NO: A4269 (Substituted for S3128)

SPONSOR(S) Quijano and Others

DATE INTRODUCED: November 30, 2009

COMMITTEE: **ASSEMBLY:** Housing and Local Government
 SENATE: ---

AMENDED DURING PASSAGE: No

DATE OF PASSAGE: **ASSEMBLY:** January 7, 2010
 SENATE: January 11, 2010

DATE OF APPROVAL: January 17, 2010

FOLLOWING ARE ATTACHED IF AVAILABLE:

FINAL TEXT OF BILL (Introduced version of bill enacted)

A4269

SPONSOR'S STATEMENT: (Begins on page 4 of introduced bill)	Yes
COMMITTEE STATEMENT:	ASSEMBLY: Yes
	SENATE: 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)

FLOOR AMENDMENT STATEMENT:	No
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LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ESTIMATE:	No
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S3128

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COMMITTEE STATEMENT:	ASSEMBLY: No
	SENATE: Yes

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ASSEMBLY, No. 4269

STATE OF NEW JERSEY 213th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED NOVEMBER 30, 2009

Sponsored by:

Assemblywoman ANNETTE QUIJANO

District 20 (Union)

Assemblywoman NILSA CRUZ-PEREZ

District 5 (Camden and Gloucester)

Co-Sponsored by:

Senator Beach

SYNOPSIS

Permits municipal or county Hispanic advisory commission to have more than five members.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As introduced.



(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 1/12/2010)

1 AN ACT increasing representation for Hispanic communities and
2 amending P.L.1983, c.567.

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

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7 1. Section 6 of P.L.1983, c.567 (C.40:10C-1) is amended to read
8 as follows:

9 6. A municipality or a county with an Hispanic population of
10 10% or more, according to the latest federal decennial census, may
11 by resolution establish a municipal or county Hispanic advisory
12 commission, as appropriate, which shall advise the municipal and
13 county governing bodies on matters concerning the needs of the
14 Hispanic community and the impact of local legislation on the
15 Hispanic community in the municipality or the county. A
16 municipal or county Hispanic advisory commission so established
17 shall consist of at least five members, to be appointed by majority
18 vote of the governing body of the municipality or county. The
19 members of the commission shall be residents of the municipality or
20 county and shall represent the Hispanic community within the
21 municipality or county. The members shall serve for a term of three
22 years from the date of their appointment and until their successors
23 are appointed and qualified; except that of the first appointments
24 **[hereunder: one shall be for a term of one year, two for two years,**
25 **and two for three years]** or appointments increasing the
26 membership of the committee, the resolution shall designate
27 staggered terms for the members appointed to the committee.
28 Vacancies resulting from causes other than by expiration of term
29 shall be filled for the unexpired term only and shall be filled in the
30 same manner as the original appointments were made. The
31 municipal or county advisory commission shall periodically report
32 to and meet with the commission. The governing body of the
33 municipality or county may provide for the employment of officers
34 and employees as may be necessary or desirable for the proper
35 functioning of the municipal or county Hispanic advisory
36 commission.

37 (cf: P.L.1983, c.567, s.6)

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39 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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41 STATEMENT

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43 This bill authorizes municipal and county Hispanic advisory
44 commissions to increase the number of sitting members. Under

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.

A4269 QUIJANO, CRUZ-PEREZ

1 current law, membership on a Hispanic advisory commission is
2 limited to five members. This bill would permit more extensive
3 representation on a Hispanic advisory board by modifying the
4 statutory language of concerning prescribed membership.

5 The existing language of N.J.S.A.40:10C-1 provides that a
6 municipal or county Hispanic Advisory Commission is limited to
7 five members. This bill would modify the law to allow a municipal
8 or county commission to be comprised of more than five members
9 appointed by the governing body of a municipality or county.
10 Increasing the membership of an advisory commission would
11 provide an opportunity for a more diverse and comprehensive
12 representation of the Hispanic community's views when the
13 commission advises local governing bodies.

ASSEMBLY HOUSING AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT
COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

ASSEMBLY, No. 4269

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: JANUARY 4, 2010

The Assembly Housing and Local Government Committee reports favorably Assembly Bill No. 4269.

This bill authorizes municipal and county Hispanic advisory commissions to increase the number of sitting members. Under current law, membership on a Hispanic advisory commission is limited to five members. This bill would permit more extensive representation on a Hispanic advisory board by modifying the statutory language of N.J.S.A.40:10C-1 concerning prescribed membership.

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SENATE, No. 3128

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
213th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED DECEMBER 10, 2009

Sponsored by:
Senator JAMES BEACH
District 6 (Camden)

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SENATE COMMUNITY AND URBAN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 3128

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: JANUARY 7, 2010

The Senate Community and Urban Affairs Committee reports favorably Senate Bill No. 3128.

This bill would allow a municipality or county to appoint more than five members to an Hispanic advisory commission. Current law provides that a municipality or county with an Hispanic population of 10% or more may establish an Hispanic advisory commission to be composed of five members.