

18A:40-12.6c

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NJSA: 18A:40-12.6c (Clarifies that in nonpublic schools the school nurse would be required to recruit and train volunteer designees to administer epinephrine to students when nurse is not physically present)

BILL NO: S2905 (Substituted for A4617)

SPONSOR(S) Kean and Others

DATE INTRODUCED: November 29, 2007

COMMITTEE: **ASSEMBLY:**

SENATE: Education

AMENDED DURING PASSAGE: No

DATE OF PASSAGE: **ASSEMBLY:** December 13, 2007

SENATE: December 10, 2007

DATE OF APPROVAL: January 3, 2008

FOLLOWING ARE ATTACHED IF AVAILABLE:

[FINAL TEXT OF BILL](#) (Original version of bill enacted)

S2905

[SPONSOR'S STATEMENT:](#) (Begins on page 2 of original bill) [Yes](#)

COMMITTEE STATEMENT: **ASSEMBLY:** No

[SENATE:](#) [Yes](#)

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FLOOR AMENDMENT STATEMENT: No

LEGISLATIVE FISCAL NOTE: No

A4617

[SPONSOR'S STATEMENT:](#) (Begins on page 2 of original bill) [Yes](#)

COMMITTEE STATEMENT: [ASSEMBLY:](#) [Yes](#)

SENATE: No

FLOOR AMENDMENT STATEMENT: No

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P.L. 2007, CHAPTER 229, *approved January 3, 2008*
Senate, No. 2905

1 **AN ACT** concerning the administration of epinephrine in nonpublic
2 schools and amending P.L.2007, c.57.

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5 of New Jersey:

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8 read as follows:

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10 school district and the school nurse in a nonpublic school in
11 recruiting and training additional school employees as volunteer
12 designees to administer epinephrine for anaphylaxis when the
13 school nurse is not physically present, the Department of Education
14 and the Department of Health and Senior Services shall jointly
15 develop training protocols, in consultation with the New Jersey
16 School Nurses Association.

17 b. The certified school nurse **[,]** in consultation with the board
18 of education, or the school nurse in consultation with the chief
19 school administrator of a nonpublic school, shall recruit and train
20 volunteer designees who are determined acceptable candidates by
21 the school nurse within each school building as deemed necessary
22 by the nursing service plan.
23 (cf: P.L.2007, c.57, s.6)

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25 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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28 **STATEMENT**

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32 law provides that a certified school nurse in consultation with the
33 board of education or the chief school administrator of the
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35 administer epinephrine for anaphylaxis when the school nurse is not
36 physically present. However, nonpublic schools are not required by
37 law to employ certified school nurses. Therefore, the bill provides
38 that in the case of a nonpublic school, it would be the school nurse,
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not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

Matter underlined thus is new matter.

SENATE, No. 2905

STATE OF NEW JERSEY 212th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED NOVEMBER 29, 2007

Sponsored by:

Senator THOMAS H. KEAN, JR.

District 21 (Essex, Morris, Somerset and Union)

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District 15 (Mercer)

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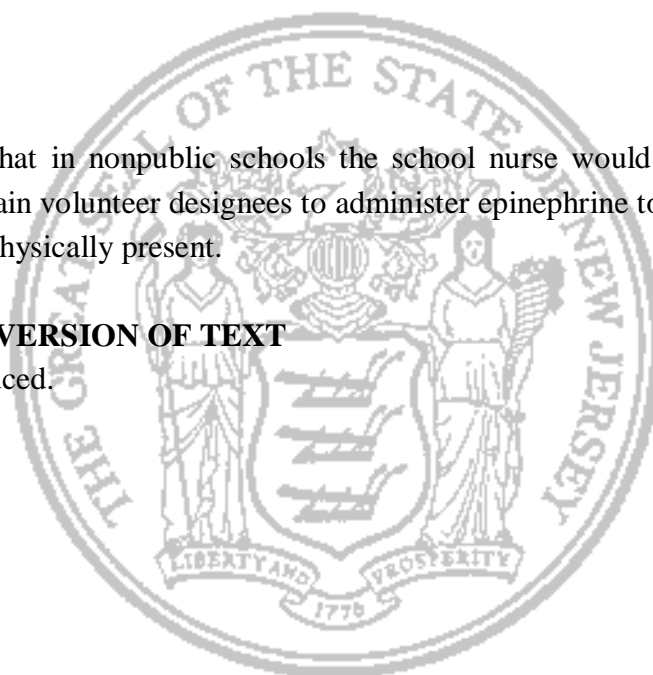
Assemblymen Connors and Diegnan

SYNOPSIS

Clarifies that in nonpublic schools the school nurse would be required to recruit and train volunteer designees to administer epinephrine to students when nurse is not physically present.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

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(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 12/14/2007)

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SENATE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 2905

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: NOVEMBER 29, 2007

The Senate Education Committee reports favorably Senate Bill No. 2905.

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ASSEMBLY, No. 4617

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

212th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED DECEMBER 6, 2007

Sponsored by:

Assemblyman ERIC MUNOZ

District 21 (Essex, Morris, Somerset and Union)

Assemblyman JOSEPH VAS

District 19 (Middlesex)

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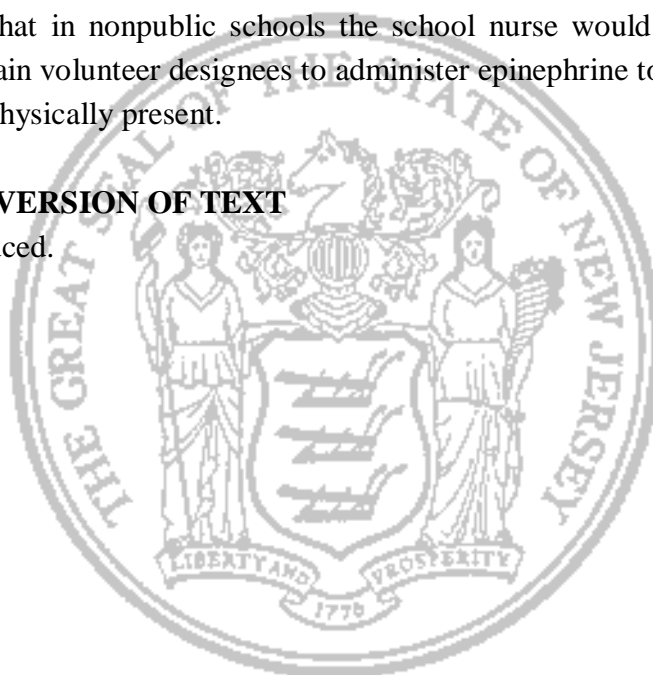
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ASSEMBLY EDUCATION COMMITTEE

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ASSEMBLY, No. 4617

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: DECEMBER 6, 2007

The Assembly Education Committee reports favorably Assembly Bill No. 4617.

This bill clarifies a provision of law concerning the emergency administration of epinephrine to students for anaphylaxis. Current law provides that a certified school nurse in consultation with the board of education or the chief school administrator of the nonpublic school must recruit and train volunteer designees to administer epinephrine for anaphylaxis when the school nurse is not physically present. However, nonpublic schools are not required by law to employ certified school nurses. Therefore, the bill provides that in the case of a nonpublic school, it would be the school nurse, in consultation with the chief school administrator of the school, who would be required to recruit and train the volunteer designees.