

**18A:41-9.1**  
**LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST**

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**LAWS OF:** 2019                    **CHAPTER:** 47

**NJSA:** 18A:41-9.1 (Requires Attorney General to develop protocol for retaining footage from school surveillance system)

**BILL NO:** S2715                    (Substituted for A4199)

**SPONSOR(S)** Fred H. Madden and others

**DATE INTRODUCED:** 6/14/2018

**COMMITTEE:**                    **ASSEMBLY:** Education

**SENATE:** Education

**AMENDED DURING PASSAGE:** No

**DATE OF PASSAGE:**                    **ASSEMBLY:** 1/31/2019

**SENATE:** 6/21/2018

**DATE OF APPROVAL:** 3/18/2019

**FOLLOWING ARE ATTACHED IF AVAILABLE:**

**FINAL TEXT OF BILL** (Introduced bill enacted) Yes

**S2715**

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

**COMMITTEE STATEMENT:**                    **ASSEMBLY:** Yes

**SENATE:** Yes

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**FLOOR AMENDMENT STATEMENT:** No

**LEGISLATIVE FISCAL ESTIMATE:** No

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**VETO MESSAGE:** No

**GOVERNOR'S PRESS RELEASE ON SIGNING:** Yes

**FOLLOWING WERE PRINTED:**

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**HEARINGS:** Yes

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Call number: 974.90 S372, 2018a  
Available online at <http://hdl.handle.net/10929/47564>

Committee meeting of Senate Education Committee [and] Assembly Education Committee : the Committees will take public testimony on school security [April 9, 2018, Cherry Hill, New Jersey]  
Call number: 974.90 S372, 2018b  
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Committee meeting of Senate Education Committee [and] Assembly Education Committee : the Committees will receive testimony from invited guests on issues related to school security [April 23, 2018, Newark, New Jersey]  
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P.L. 2019, CHAPTER 47, *approved March 18, 2019*  
Senate, No. 2715

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# SENATE, No. 2715

## STATE OF NEW JERSEY 218th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED JUNE 14, 2018

**Sponsored by:**

**Senator FRED H. MADDEN, JR.**

**District 4 (Camden and Gloucester)**

**Senator M. TERESA RUIZ**

**District 29 (Essex)**

**Assemblywoman PAMELA R. LAMPITT**

**District 6 (Burlington and Camden)**

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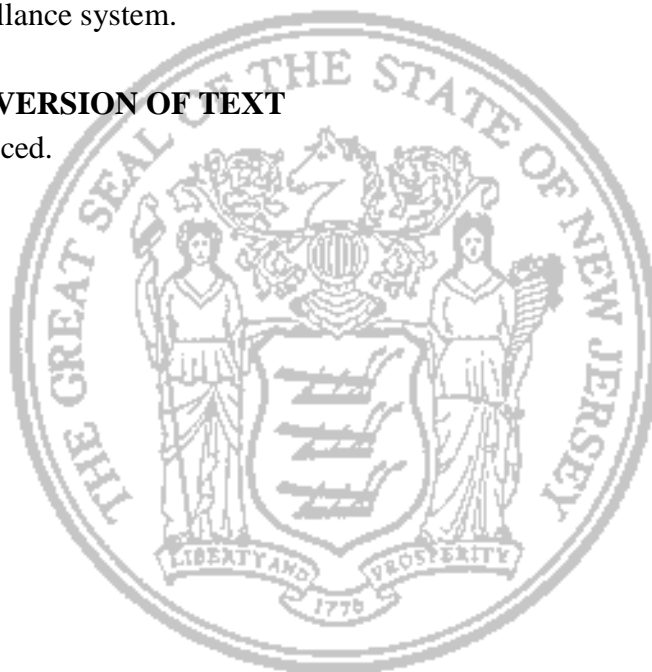
**Senator Beach, Assemblywoman Murphy, Assemblymen Howarth, Peters,  
Conaway and Assemblywoman Pintor Marin**

**SYNOPSIS**

Requires Attorney General to develop protocol for retaining footage from school surveillance system.

**CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT**

As introduced.



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ASSEMBLY EDUCATION COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

**SENATE, No. 2715**

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

DATED: NOVEMBER 26, 2018

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As reported by the committee, this bill is identical to Assembly Bill No. 4199 which also was reported by the committee on this same date.

SENATE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

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# ASSEMBLY, No. 4199

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INTRODUCED JUNE 21, 2018

**Sponsored by:**

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**District 6 (Burlington and Camden)**

**Assemblywoman VERLINA REYNOLDS-JACKSON**

**District 15 (Hunterdon and Mercer)**

**Co-Sponsored by:**

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## Newark, N.J.

# Governor Murphy Takes Action on Legislation

03/18/2019

**TRENTON** – Today, Governor Phil Murphy signed the following bills into law

**AJR-149 (Schepisi, Jasey, Johnson/Pou, T. Kean)** – Designates September of each year as “Brain Aneurysm Awareness Month” in New Jersey.

**AJR-164 (Benson, Zwicker, Lampitt/Diegnan, T. Kean)** – Establishes "New Jersey Advanced Autonomous Vehicle Task Force."

**A-591 (Moriarty, Reynolds-Jackson, Jimenez/Pou, Cruz-Perez)** – Prohibits discrimination against cash-paying consumers.

**A-1400 (A.M. Bucco, Caputo, DeCroce, Johnson/A.R. Bucco, Gopal)** – Revises law governing Class Three special law enforcement officer.

**A-4073 (Holley, Carter, Kennedy, Quijano/Scutari, Cryan)** – Designates portion of State Highway Route 27 in Union County as "Jerry Green Memorial Highway."

**A-4177 (Pintor Marin, Mukherji, Downey/Singleton, Ruiz)** – Allows county homelessness trust funds to be used for code blue emergency shelter services.

**A-4701 (Spearman, Chiaravalloti, Mukherji, Quijano/Ruiz, Cunningham)** – Requires DHS to establish electronic portal to promote surplus food donation collaboration among nonprofit organizations, gleaners, and food retailers.

**A-4734 (Land, Taliaferro, Mukherji/Beach, C.A. Brown)** – Appropriates \$1,190,349 from constitutionally dedicated CBT revenues to NJ Historic Trust for historic site management grants to certain historic preservation projects and associated administrative expenses.

**S-121 (Weinberg, Gill/McKeon, Bramnick, Vainieri Huttle)** – Bars provisions in employment contracts that waive rights or remedies; bars agreements that conceal details relating to discrimination claims.

**S-641 (Beach, Bateman/Munoz, Thomson, Lampitt)** – Upgrades penalty for failing to report act of sexual abuse against child.

**S-746 (Diegnan, Cruz-Perez/Vainieri Huttle, Pinkin, Chiaravalloti)** – Permits certain audiologists to dispense and fit hearing aids.

**S-1073 (Smith, Bateman, Codey, Greenstein/McKeon, Pinkin, Tucker)** – Authorizes municipalities, counties, and certain authorities to establish stormwater utilities.

**S-1773 (Diegnan, Gopal/Calabrese, Chiaravalloti, Tully)** – Requires display of identifying information on rear of school bus so public may report bus driver misconduct.

**S-2454 (Madden/Murphy, Houghtaling, Downey)** – Concerns prevailing wage requirements for certain fabrication.

**S-2712 (Ruiz, Madden/Lampitt, Murphy)** – Mandates certain training for DOE arbitrators.

**S-2714 (Ruiz, Madden/Lampitt, Armato, Murphy)** – Requires school districts to notify State Board of Examiners when teaching staff member fails to report child abuse for determination of revocation or suspension of certificate.

**S-2715 (Madden, Ruiz/Lampitt, Reynolds-Jackson)** – Requires Attorney General to develop protocol for retaining footage from school surveillance system.

**S-2773 (Pou/Greenwald, Lopez, Vainieri Huttle)** – Clarifies definition of health care service firms and homemaker-home health aides.

**S-2922 (Vitale, O'Scanlon/Vainieri Huttle, DiMaso)** – Revises standard for presence of medical examiner during removal of anatomical gift from decedent.

Governor Murphy also announced that he has conditionally vetoed the following bills:

**A-4904 (Mukherji, Quijano, Mazzeo/Cryan, Sweeney)** – Concerns property taxes due and owing on real property owned by certain federal employees or contractors under certain circumstances.

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**S-2129 (Cruz-Perez, Turner/Wimberly, Armato, Lopez, Mazzeo)** – Directs certain unclaimed electric and gas utility deposits in Unclaimed Utility Deposits Trust Fund and societal charge revenues be paid to Statewide nonprofit energy assistance organizations meeting certain eligibility criteria.

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