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LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST

(Swimming pools--permit employment of people who have completed courses in water safety, first aid and CPR)

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Bill No. S3293

Sponsor(s) Cafiero and Perskie

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(Without Reference)

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STATEMENT

This bill allows operators of swimming pools to satisfy the statutory and swimming pool code requirement that adequate trained personnel be on duty, by employing a person who has completed courses in water safety, rescue, first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation.

Presently, the advanced courses in first aid and lifesaving are required of swimming pool lifeguards. This has created an undue hardship for those operators of small swimming pools, which are often attended to by the owners or operators of the pool.

SENATE AMENDMENT TO
SENATE, No. 3293

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

ADOPTED JUNE 18, 1981

Amend page 1, section 1, line 5, after "person", insert ", 18 years of age or older,".

STATEMENT

This amendment would require that personnel who must be employed to supervise swimming pools of less than 1,000 square feet shall, in addition to being certified in rescue, water safety, first aid and cardio-pulmonary resuscitation, be 18 years of age or older.

July 20, 1981

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A-1749

A-1749, sponsored by Assemblyman John Paul Doyle (D-Ocean) which permits a school board to designate any location as a polling place if locating the polling place in a schoolhouse or public building would cause inconvenience to the voters.

In selecting the polling place, consideration must be given to buildings accessible to elderly and disabled persons. The bill would permit the school board to designate polling places in senior citizen complexes.

The bill is modeled after a similar provision in Title 19 of the General Election Law.

A-1720, sponsored by Assemblyman Martin Herman (D-Gloucester) which prohibits a sanitary landfill from operating under any conditions other than those set down in its tariff.

It would, for example, prohibit a landfill operator from changing his house of operation without first having the change approved by the BPU. Its intent is to address situations where landfills continue to operate while revocation or denial of their tariffs are being appealed or while their requests for new tariffs are under review.

Municipal and county landfills are exempt from the provisions of the bill.

S-3293, sponsored by Senator James S. Cafiero (R-Cape May), which changes the requirements in the hiring of lifeguards at smaller-sized public swimming pools, lakes and ponds.

The bill relaxes the current requirement that all lifeguards receive senior lifesaving training, and permits the use of guards with only basic rescue and water safety training at pools, lakes and ponds of 1000 square feet or less.

The bill also requires that all lifeguards be at least 18 years old and be trained in both first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation, which are not now mandatory.

A-773, sponsored by Assemblymen Thomas J. Deverin (D-Union) and Raymond Lesch (D-Union), which prevents the State Department of Human Services from recovering moneys from the estates of recipients of Pharmaceutical Assistance to the Aged (PAA) or Medicaid benefits, where the value of the estate or the amount of money to be recovered is minimal.

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