

37:1-13

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST
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(Marriages--authorize
county surrogates to
solemnize)

NJSA: 37:1-13

LAWS OF: 1991 CHAPTER: 404

BILL NO: S2670

SPONSOR(S): Cafiero

DATE INTRODUCED: May 17, 1990

COMMITTEE: ASSEMBLY: ---

SENATE: Judiciary

AMENDED DURING PASSAGE: No

DATE OF PASSAGE: ASSEMBLY: January 13, 1992
SENATE: June 20

DATE OF APPROVAL: January 17, 1992

FOLLOWING STATEMENTS ARE ATTACHED IF AVAILABLE:

SPONSOR STATEMENT: Yes (Below)

COMMITTEE STATEMENT: ASSEMBLY: No
SENATE: Yes

FISCAL NOTE: No

VETO MESSAGE: No

MESSAGE ON SIGNING: No

FOLLOWING WERE PRINTED:

REPORTS: No

HEARINGS: No

Sponsor's statement:

This bill would authorize county surrogates to solemnize marriages.

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11 chairman of any township committee or village president of this
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13 to solemnize marriage between such persons as may lawfully
14 enter into the matrimonial relation; and every religious society,
15 institution or organization in this State may join together in
16 marriage such persons according to the rules and customs of the
17 society, institution or organization.

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SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 2670

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DATED: JANUARY 10, 1991

The Senate Judiciary Committee reports favorably Senate Bill No. 2670.

This bill would include county surrogates among the officials authorized to solemnize marriages.