

40:48C-1.1

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST

(Local Tax Authorization Act--Allows imposition of certain tax)

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CHAPTER 433

Bill No. S3542

Sponsor(s) Galdieri, Lipman and Caufield

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Committee: Assembly _____

Senate _____

Amended during passage Yes

Substituted for S3803 (not attached since identical to S3542)

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Following statements are attached if available:

Sponsor statement	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Below)
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Following were printed:

Reports	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No
Hearings	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No

Sponsors' statement

This bill would permit a municipality of 220,000 or more to impose a tax under the Local Tax Authorization Act, but only to the extent permitted in Article 3 (Parking Tax), and not the full range of taxes permitted under the act.

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SENATE, No. 3379

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

INTRODUCED NOVEMBER 12, 1981

By Senator J. RUSSO

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

AN ACT concerning the fingerprinting and photographing of certain persons and amending R. S. 53:1-15 and section 1 of P. L. 1952, c. 92.

1 BE IT ENACTED by the Senate and General Assembly of the State
2 of New Jersey:

1 1. R. S. 53:1-15 is amended to read as follows:

2 53:1-15. The sheriffs, chiefs of police, members of the State
3 Police and any other law enforcement agencies and officers, shall
4 immediately upon the arrest of any person for an indictable offense,
5 or of any person believed to be wanted for an indictable offense, or
6 believed to be an habitual criminal, **[and immediately after the con-**
7 **viction of any person of violations of the provisions of section**
8 **2A:170-8 of the New Jersey Statutes,]** or within a reasonable time
9 after the filing of a complaint by a law enforcement officer charging
10 any person with an indictable offense, take the fingerprints of such
11 person according to the fingerprint system of identification
12 established by the Superintendent of State Police and on the forms
13 prescribed, and forward without delay two copies or more of the
14 same, together with photographs and such other descriptions as
15 may be required and with a history of the offense committed, to the
16 State Bureau of Identification.

16A Such sheriffs, chiefs of police, members of the State Police and
16B any other law enforcement agencies and officers shall also take the
16C fingerprints, descriptions and such other information as may be
16D required, of unknown dead persons and forward same to the State
16E Bureau of Identification.

17 Any person charged in a complaint filed by a law enforcement
18 officer with an indictable offense who has not been arrested shall
19 submit himself to the identification procedures provided herein
20 either on the date of any court appearance or upon written request
21 of the appropriate law enforcement agency within a reasonable time

EXPLANATION—Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

22 *after the filing of the complaint. Any person who refuses to submit*
 23 *to such identification procedures shall be a disorderly person.*

1 2. Section 1 of P. L. 1952, c. 92 (C. 53:1-18.1) is amended to read
 2 as follows:

3 1. Every law enforcement officer designated in [section] *R. S.*
 4 *53:1-15 [of the Revised Statutes]* shall, immediately upon the
 5 arrest of any person for *or within a reasonable time after the filing*
 6 *of a complaint by a law enforcement officer charging any person*
 7 *with any offense against the laws of the United States, or any*
 8 *offense against the laws of this State, relating to narcotic or*
 9 *dangerous drugs, whether the same shall be indictable or otherwise,*
 10 *take the fingerprints of such person and forward copies thereof*
 11 *together with photographs and such other description and informa-*
 12 *tion as is required by such section in the case of the arrest of persons*
 13 *for any offense indictable under the laws of this State.*

1 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

STATEMENT

The purpose of this bill is to insure that all those who are charged with indictable offenses and with narcotic offenses will be fingerprinted and that a record of such charge will be maintained within the State Bureau of Identification. Recent amendments to the New Jersey Rules of Court require this statutory amendment since the rules now permit the issuance of a summons in lieu of a warrant in certain cases involving indictable offenses. See *R. 3:3-1*. In those cases where a summons rather than a warrant issues, the individual charged is not arrested and is not, therefore, fingerprinted.

Since fingerprinting is the only means by which the State Bureau of Identification is advised of an arrest for an indictable offense, it is necessary to require that an individual issued a summons on an indictable offense be fingerprinted within a reasonable time after the filing of the charge.

The bill only requires identification procedures in cases where law enforcement officers have filed the complaints in order to avoid the necessity of fingerprinting individuals where patently frivolous complaints have been filed by citizens. At the present time, the Administrative Office of the Courts requires that police must take such complaints despite their frivolous nature or potential for harassment.

Lastly, the bill provides that any person who refuses to submit to identification procedures either on a date fixed for any court appearance or upon written request by the appropriate law enforcement agency shall be a disorderly person.

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
JANUARY 13, 1982

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION
Dave DeMaio - Bob Dowd

Governor Brendan Byrne has signed the following bills:

S-3391, sponsored by Senator Steven Perskie (D-Atlantic), appropriating \$9,635,000 from the Beaches and Harbor Bond Fund for State projects and State matching grants to local governments. The State and local projects financed by the grants will include research, planning, acquisition, development and restoration of beaches and the construction, maintenance of beach protection and restoration facilities.

S-3542, sponsored by Senator James Galdieri (D-Hudson), empowers Jersey City to impose a local parking tax to help the City close a projected one million dollar budget shortfall. The authorization is similar to one granted to the City of Newark, which has enacted local parking and payroll taxes.

A-3062, sponsored by Assemblyman Robert Hollenbeck (D-Bergen), consolidates three landlord registration requirement laws. Without changing the intent of current State law, the new legislation simplifies present procedures and avoids unnecessary duplication.

A-3730, sponsored by Assemblyman Richard Codey (D-Essex), exempts the New Jersey Sports and Exposition Authority (The Meadowlands Sports Complex) from certain State bidding requirements felt to unnecessarily hamper their operations. Contracts for up to \$4,500 are now exempt from bid advertisement and competitive bidding. Contracts over \$4,500 are only exempt from bid advertisement and competitive bidding when they are for artistic services, professional and technical services, specialized equipment and items unique to the operations of the Sports Authority's facilities.

A-2041, sponsored by Assemblyman Thomas Paterniti (D-Middlesex), permits a person who is part of a group health insurance contract or holds an individual group certificate issued by Blue Cross/Blue Shield or other such medical service organization to retain his group coverage in the case of total disability, and retain his benefits at the same level enjoyed while employed.

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