

2008/2009 New Jersey Legislative Session Bills of Interest

A1684 Establishes Lane Splitting Task Force

A2414 Establishes special motorcycle license plates for veterans

A2560 Requires MVC to accept certain motorcycle safety courses. (Military MSF courses)

S808 Requires Municipal prosecutors to review, and transmit driver abstract to judge prior to recommending plea agreements for unsafe driving.

S2432 Increases penalties for motor vehicle right-of-way violations and requires attendance at Driver Improvement Program.

A3292 Enacts motorcycle safety regulations. This Bill should not be endorsed as written and should probably be defeated or withdrawn and re-written rather than amended.

S643 Allows certain nonprofits to apply directly to Division of Highway Traffic Safety for Federal Grants This Bill should be withdrawn as an identical set of Bills A2196 and S2158 were passed in the 2006/2007 session and signed into Public Law in P.L. 1987, c.284, approved May 04, 2007.

S2308 Establishes additional fines and penalties for motor vehicle right-of-way violations This Bill should be withdrawn. The Bill is a reintroduction of S1004 from the 2006/2007 session. It has been replaced with S2432 and has been reintroduced in error.

Off Highway Bills

A142, A823, A1054, A2796, S1059, S2055

General Bills with possible effect on motorcycles or Bills with possible discriminatory exclusion.

A803/S1334 Motor Vehicle Owners Right to Repair Act. Bill Passed the Assembly 10/27/2008 and was received in the Senate 10/27/2008. **Includes motorcycles as motor vehicles.**

A2460/S987 Creates Green E-ZPass discounts for certain fuel-efficient vehicles. **Although not specifically, wording and requirements excludes motorcycles as manufacturers of motorcycles do not have fuel estimates "window stickers".**

A2379/S292 Provides sales and use tax exemption for new motor vehicles with certain fuel efficiency. **Although not specifically, wording and requirements excludes motorcycles as manufacturers of motorcycles do not have fuel estimates "window stickers".**