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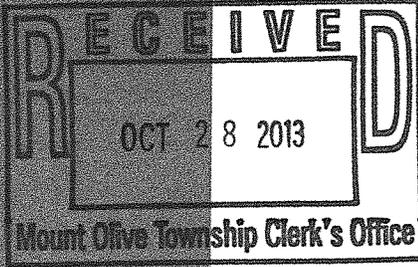
# Bulletin

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## THE FOLLOWING BILLS WERE ENACTED AS THE PUBLIC LAWS OF 2013:



**Chapter 75**                      **S-2404**                      **6/28/2013**

Eliminates 10% surcharge on employer UI taxes during fiscal year 2014.

**Chapter 82**                      **S-2177**                      **7/17/2013**

Creates the "New Jersey Security and Financial Empowerment Act" to assist victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.

**Chapter 84**                      **A-3848**                      **7/17/2013**

Revises permitted amount of surcharge on admission charges at major places of amusement.

**Chapter 88**                      **S-1303**                      **8/7/2013**

Revises penalties for animal cruelty, increasing degree of certain offenses; designated as Patrick's Law.

**Chapter 89**                      **S-1918**                      **8/7/2013**

Permits local units to enter into joint agreements to purchase fire equipment.

**Chapter 92**                      **S-2286**                      **8/7/2013**

Creates craft distillery license.

**Chapter 106**                      **A-3761**                      **8/7/2013**

Clarifies authorization for cluster developments under MLUL.

**Chapter 107**                      **A-3890**                      **8/7/2013**

Provides limited exemption from development regulations to allow certain structures to be raised as high as the highest applicable flood elevation standard.

**Chapter 108**                      **S-1279**                      **8/8/2013**

Upgrades penalty for unlawfully transferring a firearm to an underage person; permits transfer for instruction and training.

**Chapter 110**                      **S-2468**                      **8/8/2013**

Authorizes impoundment of motor vehicles for certain crimes and offenses.

**Chapter 112**                      **S-2720**                      **8/8/2013**

Clarifies that information concerning the total number of firearms purchaser identification cards and permits to purchase a handgun issued in a municipality are public records.

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**Chapter 116**                      **A-3788**                      **8/8/2013**

Codifies regulation exempting firearms records from State's open public records law.

**Chapter 123**                      **S-2539**                      **8/9/2013**

Authorizes release or reduction of original performance guarantee after deposit of adequate replacement performance guarantee by successor developer.

**Chapter 152**                      **A-2593**                      **8/28/2013**

Requires Director of Division of Fire Safety to review preparation of local fire mutual aid plans and determine necessity of designated fire command structure.

**Chapter 153**                      **A-2596**                      **8/28/2013**

Removes requirement for one and two-family residences to be equipped with a portable fire extinguisher.

**Chapter 158**                      **A-3598**                      **9/6/2013**

Establishes conditional dismissal program in municipal court.

**Chapter 159**                      **A-3615**                      **9/6/2013**

Codifies protections set forth in certain case law and limits use of eminent domain under the "Local Redevelopment and Housing Law."

**Chapter 161**                      **A3680**                      **9/18/2013**

"The New Jersey Economic Opportunity Act of 2013."

**Chapter 165**                      **A-691**                      **9/29/2013**

Provides for indication of veteran status on driver's licenses and identification cards issued by MVC.



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