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## NEW JERSEY SUPERIOR OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

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Dear State Legislator / Elected Official;

The New Jersey Superior Officers Association represents State Law Enforcement Officers serving in the title of Lieutenant or its equivalent. One of the missions of the NJSOA is to promote, and engage in, legislative and political activity that will likely sustain and/or advance the best interests and welfare of its membership.

Our most important legislative priorities include the following bills introduced in the 2008/2009 session:

- S1161 (Van Drew) / A2240 (Cryan) — *Authorizes paid leaves of absence for certain delegates of employee organizations representing corrections officers attending conventions.*
- S422 (Van Drew) — *State Law Enforcement Officers' Bill of Rights.*
- A2234 (Cryan) — *Outlines procedures for conducting drug tests involving State law enforcement officers.*
- S419 (Van Drew) / A2331 (Albano, Milam) — *Retitles State correction officer as State correctional police officer; clarifies law enforcement powers.*
- A2235 (Cryan) — *Clarifies rights of State law enforcement officers to participate in political activities.*

In addition to the aforementioned bills, the NJSOA wishes to solicit the reintroduction of the following bill from the 2006/2007 session;

- *S2337 (Asselta) / A3634 (Schaer, et al.) – Adds a correction officer to the Police & Firemen's Retirement System (PFRS) Board of Trustees*

Sincerely,

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