

ASSEMBLY, No. 205

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

219th LEGISLATURE

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SYNOPSIS

Requires parents who intend to home-school their children to inform the school district of that decision; requires school district to maintain record of each home-schooled child in the district.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

Introduced Pending Technical Review by Legislative Counsel.



1 **AN ACT** concerning home-schooled children and supplementing
2 chapter 38 of Title 18A of the New Jersey Statutes.

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4 **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
5 *of New Jersey:*

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7 1. A parent or guardian who intends to home-school his child
8 shall submit to the superintendent of the resident school district no
9 later than August 15 of each school year a letter informing the
10 superintendent of the decision to home-school the child for that
11 school year. The resident district shall maintain a record of the
12 name, age, and place of residence of each home-schooled child in
13 the district.

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15 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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STATEMENT

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20 This bill requires parents who intend to home-school their
21 children to submit to the superintendent of the resident school
22 district by August 15 of each school year a letter informing the
23 superintendent of the decision to home-school the child for that
24 school year. Under the bill, the resident district is required to
25 maintain a record of the name, age, and place of residence of each
26 home-schooled child in the district.