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SYNOPSIS

Permits transfer of escheated civil forfeiture funds from Unclaimed Personal Property Trust Fund to General Fund for appropriation to Essex County Prosecutor's Office.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As reported by the Assembly Appropriations Committee on October 26, 2020, with amendments.



1 A SUPPLEMENT to ¹**the Fiscal Year 2020 appropriations act,**
 2 P.L.2019, c.150**】** “An Act making appropriations for the support of
 3 the State Government and the several public purposes for the fiscal
 4 year ending June 30, 2021 and regulating the disbursement
 5 thereof,” approved September 29, 2020 (P.L.2020, c.97)¹.
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7 **BE IT ENACTED** by the Senate and the General Assembly of the
 8 State of New Jersey:
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10 1. The following language provision is added to the General
 11 Provisions of ¹**【P.L.2019, c.150】 P.L.2020, c.97¹,** the annual State
 12 appropriations act for Fiscal Year ¹**【2020, as amended and**
 13 **supplemented by P.L.2020, c.43】 2021¹:**

14 ¹**【105.】 102.¹** Notwithstanding any provision of law or regulation
 15 to the contrary, in addition to any other amounts transferred from the
 16 Unclaimed Personal Property Trust Fund to the General Fund and
 17 appropriated herein, there is appropriated from the Unclaimed
 18 Personal Property Trust Fund for transfer to the General Fund, an
 19 amount not to exceed \$2,400,000 comprising unclaimed assets seized
 20 by the County of Essex prior to January 1, 2017 pursuant to
 21 N.J.S.2C:64-1 et seq., and deposited in the Unclaimed Personal
 22 Property Trust Fund on or after July 1, 2020, which amount is
 23 appropriated subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of
 24 Budget and Accounting to the Office of the Essex County Prosecutor
 25 for law enforcement purposes including, but not limited to, the
 26 implementation of a county-wide police body-worn camera and video
 27 storage program.
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29 ¹**【2. Section 105 of P.L.2019, c.150 is amended to read as**
 30 **follows:**

31 **【105.】 106.** This act shall take effect on July 1, 2019.
 32 (cf: P.L.2020, c.43, s.9)**】¹**
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34 2. ¹Section 102 of P.L.2020, c.97 is amended to read as
 35 follows:

36 **【102】 103.** This act shall take effect October 1, 2020.¹
 37 (cf: P.L.2020, c.97, s.102)
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39 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION – Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets **【thus】** in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

Matter underlined thus is new matter.

Matter enclosed in superscript numerals has been adopted as follows:

¹Assembly AAP committee amendments adopted October 26, 2020.