



New Jersey Law Revision Commission

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Mid-year Update on the Work of New Jersey Law Revision Commission

The New Jersey Law Revision Commission continues to operate during this time of COVID-19, working remotely while remaining accessible to the public. Click on any link provided below to view the relevant document.

For additional information, or to view other projects on which the Commission is currently working, visit www.njlrc.org or contact Executive Director Laura Tharney at lct@njlrc.org.

Final Reports

Final Reports Released through June 30, 2020:

- [Clarification of Tenure Issues](#)
 - [Harassment](#)
 - [Hearsay Evidence in Child Abuse and Neglect Proceedings](#)
 - [Personal Injury Protection \(PIP\) Claims](#)
 - [“Physical Examination” and the Scope of Immunity – Meaning of](#)
 - [Satisfactory Completion of Probation](#)
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Tentative Reports

In Addition to Projects on Which Final Reports Were Released, the Following Tentative Reports Were Released for Comment Through June 30, 2020:

- [Aggravated Assault \(Bodily Fluid at Law Enforcement Officer\)](#)
- [Confinement](#)
- [Guardianship](#)
- [Local Land and Building Law - Acquisition of Real Property and Public Bidding](#)
- [Magistrate in the New Jersey Statutes](#)
- [Mandatory Property Tax Refund](#)
- [Pending Tenure Charges and Back Pay](#)
- [Predatory Towing Prevention Act](#)
- [Standard Form Contracts](#)
- [Statute of Limitations for Medical Provider Claims in Workers' Compensation Cases](#)

News

Recently-Published Article Featured in the Seton Hall Legislative Journal:

- Tharney, Laura C.; Silver, Samuel M.; Fyazi, Arshiya M.; Weitz, Jennifer D.; and Ygarza, Mark D. (2019) "Canons or Coin Tosses: Time-Tested Methods of Interpreting Statutory Language," *Seton Hall Legislative Journal*: Vol. 44: Iss. 2, Article 3.
<https://scholarship.shu.edu/shlj/vol44/iss2/3/>

Bills

Bills Introduced So Far This Session Based on the Work of the NJLRC Include:

- A368 – (Kean, S) Establishes time periods for adverse possession of certain property
- A1564/S1349 – (Houghtaling/Turner) Revises equine animal activities law in accordance with recommendations of New Jersey Law Revision Commission to clarify responsibility and liability issues
- A2816/S1531 – (Schaer/Beach) Establishes procedures for determining enforceability of standard form contracts; invalidates certain indemnification clauses
- A3384 – (McKeon) Makes various revisions to “Uniform Fraudulent Transfer Act”; renames act to “Uniform Voidable Transactions Act”
- A4265/S2261 – (Conaway/Singleton) Revises law relating to common interest communities
- S1249 – (Vitale) Revises the statutes concerning oaths and affidavits