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**SYNOPSIS**

“The Truth In Tolling Act”; requires New Jersey Turnpike Authority and South Jersey Transportation Authority to display toll amount paid when EZ-Pass user passes through toll collection point.

**CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT**

As reported by the Senate Transportation Committee on November 19, 2012, with amendments.



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1 AN ACT requiring toll road authorities to display the toll amount  
 2 paid in EZ-Pass toll lanes, and supplementing P.L.1948, c.454  
 3 (C.27:23-1 et seq.) and P.L.1991, c.252 (C.27:25A-1 et seq.).  
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5 **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*  
 6 *of New Jersey:*  
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8 1. **‘[This section and sections 2 and 3]** Sections 1 and 2<sup>1</sup> of  
 9 **‘[this act]** P.L. , c. (C. ) (pending before the Legislature as  
 10 this bill<sup>1</sup> shall be known and may be cited as **‘[the “Truth In**  
 11 **Turnpike and Parkway Tolling Act.”]** “The Truth in the New Jersey  
 12 Turnpike and the Garden State Parkway Tolling Act.”<sup>1</sup>  
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14 2. Notwithstanding any law, rule, or regulation to the contrary,  
 15 the New Jersey Turnpike Authority shall **‘[install]** make visible on<sup>1</sup>  
 16 an electronic display at the collection points on every EZ-Pass toll  
 17 lane of the New Jersey Turnpike and the Garden State Parkway **‘[to**  
 18 **show]**<sup>1</sup> the toll amount paid by **‘an**<sup>1</sup> EZ-Pass **‘[users]** user<sup>1</sup> when  
 19 **‘[they pass]** passing<sup>1</sup> through **‘[the]** a<sup>1</sup> collection point; provided,  
 20 however, that this requirement shall not apply to points at which  
 21 tolls are collected for passage over bridges, through tunnels, or  
 22 through high speed gantries.  
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24 **‘[3.** The New Jersey Turnpike Authority shall determine the type  
 25 of technology best suited for the displays, in addition to  
 26 determining the cost for the installation of the chosen displays. **.]**<sup>1</sup>  
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28 **‘[4.** This section and sections 5 and 6 **]** 3. Sections 3 and 4<sup>1</sup> of  
 29 **‘[this act]** P.L. , c. (C. ) (pending before the Legislature as  
 30 this bill<sup>1</sup> shall be known and may be cited as **‘[the “Truth in**  
 31 **Expressway Tolling Act.”]** “The Truth in the Atlantic City  
 32 Expressway Tolling Act.”<sup>1</sup>  
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34 **‘[5.]** 4.<sup>1</sup> Notwithstanding any law, rule, or regulation to the  
 35 contrary, the South Jersey Transportation Authority shall **‘[install]**  
 36 make visible on<sup>1</sup> an electronic display at the collection points on  
 37 every EZ-Pass toll lane of the Atlantic City Expressway **‘[to**  
 38 **show]**<sup>1</sup> the toll amount paid by **‘an**<sup>1</sup> EZ-Pass **‘[users]** user<sup>1</sup> when  
 39 **‘[they pass]** passing<sup>1</sup> through **‘[the]** a<sup>1</sup> collection point; provided,  
 40 however, that this requirement shall not apply to points at which  
 41 tolls are collected for passage over bridges, through tunnels, or  
 42 through high speed gantries.

**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:

<sup>1</sup>Senate STR committee amendments adopted November 19, 2012.

1       **'[6.** The South Jersey Transportation Authority shall determine  
2       the type of technology best suited for the displays, in addition to  
3       determining the cost for the installation of the chosen displays.**.]'**

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5       **'[7.] 5.'** This act shall take effect immediately, but the  
6       provisions of P.L. , c. (C. ) (pending before the Legislature as  
7       this bill) shall not be construed as affecting terms of any contract or  
8       agreement in effect as of the effective date of this act.