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STATE OF NEW JERSEY

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SYNOPSIS
Supplemental appropriation of $24.6 million in State funds and $45.7 million in federal funds to DHS.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT
As introduced.

(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 6/29/2010)
A SUPPLEMENT to "An Act making appropriations for the support of the State Government and the several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2011 and regulating the disbursement thereof," approved  , 2011 (P.L.2010, c. ).

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

1. In addition to the amounts appropriated under P.L.2010, c. (the appropriations act for State fiscal year 2011), there is appropriated out of the General Fund the following sum for the purpose specified:

054 DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
20 Physical and Mental Health
24 Special Health Services

GRANTS-IN-AID

22-7540 General Medical Services............................................. $24,600,000

Grants-in-Aid:
22 NJ FamilyCare—Affordable and Accessible Health Coverage Benefits ($24,600,000)

2. Upon certification by the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting in the Department of the Treasury that federal funds to support the expenditures listed below are available, the following sum is appropriated:

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20 Physical and Mental Health
24 Special Health Services

22-7540 General Medical Services............................................. $45,686,000

State Aid and Grants:
22 State Aid and Grants ($45,686,000)

3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010.

STATEMENT

This supplemental appropriation of $24.6 million in State funds to DHS will enable adults with incomes between 134% and 200% of the federal poverty level to continue to be enrolled in the NJ FamilyCare program. These monies will generate approximately $45.7 million in federal funds on behalf of adults with incomes between 134% and 200% of the federal poverty level. The FY 2011 recommended budget froze enrollment of adults as of March 2010, which affected an estimated 39,000 adults.