other services, and goods and commodities, completed in June

Jersey DPR Study of Procurement in Professional Services,
NJSBA DPR Study, completed in October 2005, and the State of New

dprocessed with the State of New Jersey's construction services

Registration goal of recognizing limited purpose and overlapping laws.

I support the concept of remedial demonstration that

apply to local as well as state, projects.

requirements of P.L. 2009, C.33, to make the concerns with the

2009, C.33, to make it consistent with the

Bill also would modify the scope of provisions subject to the 0.5%

construction industry, such as management and engineering, the

construction trades occupations, but other occupations in the

for women and minority group members to promote not only

construction project funds set aside for outreach and training

C.33, (C.25:60-2.1 et seq.), by extending the use of 0.5% of

more specifically, the bill would expand one law, P.L. 2009,

of my administration.

session earlier this year, immediately prior to the commencement

sentimentality on the last day of the lame-duck legislature.

pertaining to two statutes that were enacted virtually

statement accompanying the bill, it is intended to recognize

construction-related occupations, according to the legislature

construction trades and certain non-construction trades as well as other things, outreach and training for women

This bill would amend and supplement current law

recommendations for recognition.

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Jersey construction, I am returning Senate Bill No. 2137 with my

pursuant to Article V, Section I, Paragraph 14 of the New

To the Senate:
recommends that it be amended as follows:

Accordingly, I herewith return Senate Bill No. 237 and

By these units,

demanding that a majority fast-tracked remain on fast-track until such time as an adequate study or evidence of the extent of the problem is completed. Moreover, I am concerned that the

issue, I am recommending that the effective date of the

revised and employment opportunities outside of the construction

mandates, or other local units, nor did they consider

not exceed their review and authority to counter;

and therefore, I am not opposed, however, that these studies did

concerned by State departments, agencies, authorities, colleges, businesses with the State, and those firms actually awarded

female and minority-owned firms readily, and able to do

2005, clearly documented significant disparities between the
Cherished Cores of the Governor

/s/ Jersey S. Christie

[Seal]

Governor

/s/ Chris Christie

Respectfully,

has been completed.

certification that the occupations than occupations other than and local units with respect to contractors and by the State contractors and by local units with the state, minority and women constitute a minority of the State and other state in study of other general Assembly that are

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