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SYNOPSIS

Adds 9-1-1 system regionalization costs to funds appropriated from "9-1-1 System and Emergency Response Trust Fund Account."

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

Introduced Pending Technical Review by Legislative Counsel.



1 AN ACT concerning 9-1-1 system regionalization and amending
2 P.L.2004, c.48.

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

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7 1. Section 3 of P.L.2004, c.48 (C.52:17C-19) is amended to
8 read as follows:

9 3. a. There is established in the Department of the Treasury
10 within the General Fund a special account to be known as the
11 "9-1-1 System and Emergency Response Trust Fund Account."

12 b. Funds credited to the "9-1-1 System and Emergency
13 Response Trust Fund Account" shall be annually appropriated for
14 the purposes of paying: (1) eligible costs pursuant to the provisions
15 of sections 13 and 14 of P.L.1989, c.3 (C.52:17C-13 and 52:17C-
16 14); (2) the costs of funding the State's capital equipment (including
17 debt service), facilities and operating expenses that arise from
18 emergency response; (3) the cost of emergency response training,
19 including any related costs or expenses of the Office of Emergency
20 Management in the Division of State Police in the Department of
21 Law and Public Safety; (4) the cost of operating the Office of
22 Emergency Telecommunications Services created pursuant to
23 section 3 of P.L.1989, c.3 (C.52:17C-3); (5) the cost of operating
24 the Statewide Public Safety Communications Commission created
25 pursuant to section 5 of P.L.2011, c.4 (C.52:17C-3.2); (6) any costs
26 associated with implementing any requirement of the Federal
27 Communications Commission concerning 9-1-1 service that is not
28 otherwise allocated to a **【carrier】** telephone company and not
29 eligible for reimbursement under law or regulation; (7) any costs
30 associated with planning, designing, or implementing an automatic
31 location identification technology that is not otherwise allocated to
32 a wireless **【carrier】** telephone company and not eligible for
33 reimbursement under law or regulation; **【and】** (8) any costs
34 associated with planning, designing, or acquiring replacement
35 equipment or systems (including debt service) related to the
36 enhanced 9-1-1 network as defined by subsection e. of section 1 of
37 P.L.1989, c.3 (C.52:17C-1) ; and (9) any costs associated with the
38 regionalization of the State's 9-1-1 system, including the expansion
39 of existing regional public safety answering points, as authorized in
40 section 7 of P.L.1989, c.3 (C.52:17C-7).

41 (cf: P.L.2013, c.245, s.1)

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43 2. 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.

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STATEMENT

This bill adds the costs associated with the regionalization of the State's 9-1-1 system, including the expansion of existing regional public safety answering points, to what is to be funded by the monies appropriated from the "9-1-1 System and Emergency Response Trust Fund Account."