

**SENATE, No. 3448**

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**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

**221st LEGISLATURE**

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**District 9 (Ocean)**

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**SYNOPSIS**

Requires NJT to continue to issue and honor rail passenger service and motorbus regular route service tickets with no expiration date.

**CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT**

As introduced.



1 AN ACT concerning New Jersey Transit Corporation rail passenger  
2 service and motorbus regular route service tickets and  
3 supplementing P.L.1979, c.150 (C.27:25-1 et al.).  
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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. a. Notwithstanding any law, rule, or regulation to the  
9 contrary, the New Jersey Transit Corporation shall:

10 (1) continue to issue:

11 (a) one-way tickets for rail passenger service, including light-rail  
12 service, and motorbus regular route service bearing no expiration  
13 date; and

14 (b) 10-trip tickets for rail passenger service bearing no expiration  
15 date; and

16 (2) permit individuals who have previously purchased a ticket for  
17 rail passenger service, including light-rail service, or motorbus  
18 regular route service bearing no expiration date, regardless of the  
19 date of purchase, to utilize the unused ticket for rail passenger  
20 service, including light-rail service, or motorbus regular route  
21 service, as applicable.

22 b. Within 90 days of the effective date of P.L. , c. (C. )  
23 (pending before the Legislature as this bill), the corporation shall  
24 reinstate any ticket for rail passenger service, including light-rail  
25 service, or motorbus regular route service issued by the corporation  
26 that bears no expiration date and that expired as a result of a  
27 corporation policy implemented by the corporation prior to the  
28 effective date of P.L. , c. (C. ) (pending before the  
29 Legislature as this bill).  
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31 2. This act shall take effect immediately.  
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33 STATEMENT  
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35 This bill requires the New Jersey Transit Corporation  
36 (corporation) to continue to issue: (1) one-way tickets for rail  
37 passenger service, including light-rail service, and motorbus regular  
38 route service bearing no expiration date; and (2) 10-trip tickets for  
39 rail passenger service bearing no expiration date. The bill also  
40 requires the corporation to permit individuals who previously  
41 purchased a rail passenger service, including light-rail service, or  
42 motorbus regular route service ticket bearing no expiration date to  
43 utilize the unused ticket.

44 Within 90 days of the bill's effective date, the corporation is  
45 required to reinstate any rail passenger service, including light-rail  
46 service, or motorbus regular route service ticket issued by the  
47 corporation that bears no expiration date and that expired as a result  
48 of a corporation policy implemented by the corporation prior to the  
49 bill's effective date.