# DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION OVERVIEW

The Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) safeguards the environment through its permitting and enforcement activities, oversees the remediation of sites contaminated by hazardous waste, regulates the use of environmentally sensitive land, manages the State's parks and forests, and protects and renews New Jersey's beaches. The fiscal 1998 Budget recommendation of \$256 million includes \$180 million in Direct State Services, \$7.8 million in State Aid, \$2.4 million in Grants—In—Aid, and \$66 million in Capital. Collectively, this represents an increase of \$31 million (14 percent) over fiscal 1997.

The Department's budget is organized along functional lines, including major sections for Enforcement, Environmental Regulations (Permitting), Site Remediation, Administration, and Natural Resources. This display reflects the fact that its' programs provide services which have common characteristics and may be grouped under broad functional headings.

In November 1996, voters approved an amendment to the State Constitution dedicating 4 percent of the State's Corporate Business Tax for hazardous waste cleanup, underground storage tank remediation, and water monitoring. As a result, the Department's State appropriations for these programs will increase by a total of approximately \$82 million in fiscal 1997 (\$29.6 million) and fiscal 1998 (\$51.9 million). Of the \$82 million, \$27 million will be provided as loans and grants to private owners of underground storage tanks, \$37 million will provide pay—as—you—go funding for major cleanup projects undertaken by DEP, \$10 million will finance the cost of water pollution monitoring and watershed based planning, and the remainder will be used for administrative costs relative to cleanup projects. Future appropriations will be predicated on the value of the State's Corporate Business Tax.

The fiscal 1998 Budget includes a total of \$39 million for permitting programs, including Air Pollution, Water Pollution, Hazardous Waste, Solid Waste, Water Supply, and Land Use Regulation. The Department is exploring ways to make the permitting process more responsive, timely, and efficient, including a significant investment to integrate the supporting database systems. By the end of fiscal 1998, DEP will have a fully operational masterfile system, and the Air Pollution and Water Pollution systems will be completely integrated.

The long-term goal of the Site Remediation program is to restore contaminated sites to protect human health and the environment. The fiscal 1998 budget appropriates \$78.1 million for Site Remediation. This includes \$36 million for staff costs, nearly all of which is derived from non-State funding sources such as the Spill Compensation Fund and cost recoveries from responsible parties. In addition, \$42.2 million is provided for project costs to remediate underground storage tanks and major site cleanups.

The Enforcement Policy programs are revising the way they enforce the State's environmental regulations. DEP has established an Alternative Dispute Resolution process to decrease the number of enforcement actions which are adjudicated. Mediation and other dispute resolution techniques are employed to resolve cases quickly, before they result in costly litigation and without impacting the environment. This new approach has lessened the burden of fines on the regulated community in New Jersey. A total of \$16.1 million is appropriated for Enforcement activities in fiscal 1998.

The fiscal 1998 Budget also provides continuation funding of \$74.1 million for Natural Resource programs, including the Division of Parks and Forestry. This level of funding, which includes \$21 million in Capital, will support the State's parks and forests in order to provide a wide range of recreational and educational opportunities.

Resources are also provided to protect our coastal areas. Shore protection funding needs are often the result of unpredictable harsh weather in the coastal regions. Hurricanes, storms, and tides dictate the types of projects conducted in any year, including beach nourishment, beach fill, artificial reef placement, and erosion control. DEP will receive a capital appropriation of \$15 million for these needs in fiscal 1998.

The fiscal 1998 budget also includes a number of new initiatives for the Department. A total of \$2 million has been added to accelerate completion of the Hudson River Walkway in Liberty State Park. New funding is also available for in lieu of tax payments to localities on open space acquired by the State (\$525,000), to expand recreational trails and to complete the Sussex Branch Trail in Sussex and Morris Counties (\$350,000), to update critical land use information (\$255,000), to assess the health of aquatic life in the State's waterways (\$200,000), and to implement the Heavy Duty Diesel inspection program (\$200,000).

# SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATIONS BY PROGRAM

(thousands of dollars)

	——Year Eı	nding June 30	, 1996——				Year E June 30	
Orig. & SSupple— mental	Reapp. & (R)Recpts.	Transfers & (E)Emer–gencies		Expended		1997 Adjusted Approp.	Requested	Recom- mended
		<b>8</b>		•	Natural Resource Management	rr ·r·	1	
694	124		818	747	Marina Operations	692	692	692
5,668		150	5,818	5,739	Forest Resource Management	5,656	5,656	5,656
29,921	23	-53	29,891	28,503	Parks Management	28,055	28,405	28,405
10,975	3,096	91	14,162	12,217	Hunters' and Anglers' License Fund	10,945	10,945	10,945
1,287	2		1,289	1,281	Shellfish and Marine Fisheries			
			*	,	Management	1,283	1,283	1,283
312	332		644	617	Wildlife Management	312	312	312
2,042	6	1,127	3,175	2,667	Natural Resources Engineering	1,782	1,782	1,782
2,229		· 	2,229	2,148	Palisades Interstate Park Commission	1,813	1,813	1,813
53,128	3,583	1,315	58,026	53,919	Subtotal	50,538	50,888	50,888
					Science and Technical Programs			
5,490	205	-42	5,653	5,345	Radiation Protection	5,014	3,994	3,994
7,463	236	-561	7,138	6,954	Air Pollution Control	6,906	7,204	7,204
3,020	116	-41	3,095	2,959	Pesticide Control	2,775	2,826	2,826
479	107		586	550	Water Supply and Watershed			
					Management	479	479	479
841	1	239	1,081	1,072	Water Monitoring and Planning	1,197	1,197	1,197
2,300	80	-154	2,226	2,172	Science and Research	2,099	2,554	2,554
		250	250	250	Water Quality Management	369	369	369
					Environmental Remediation and			
					Monitoring	4,900	5,000	5,000
185		595	780	780	Management Policy and Planning	1,387	1,306	1,306
19,778	745	286	20,809	20,082	Subtotal	25,126	24,929	24,929
					Site Remediation			
13,027	401	2,034	15,462	14,811	Publicly-Funded Site Remediation	11,652	11,491	11,491
21,337	4,868	-259	25,946	25,861	Responsible Party Site Remediation	19,553	19,714	19,714
					<b>Environmental Remediation and</b>			
					Monitoring	2,700	4,700	4,700
34,364	5,269	1,775	41,408	40,672	Subtotal	33,905	35,905	35,905
					Environmental Regulation			
5,753	19	-668	5,104	4,924	Air Pollution Control	5,095	5,498	5,498
7,766	361	1	8,128	7,031	Water Supply and Watershed			
					Management	7,137	7,135	7,135
9,092		260	9,352	8,880	Water Pollution Control	7,456	7,409	7,409
628	48		676	677	Public Wastewater Facilities	628	628	628
6,181	902		7,083	6,940	Land Use Regulation	6,060	6,001	6,001
9,599	776	-754	9,621	8,620	Solid Waste Resource Management	6,339	6,324	6,324
4,297	203	-75	4,425	4,104	Hazardous Waste Management	3,449	3,402	3,402
43,316	2,309	-1,236	44,389	41,176	Subtotal	36,164	36,397	36,397
					Environmental Planning and Administration	1		
2,565	61	-234	2,392	2,375	Regulatory and Governmental Affairs	2,152	1,755	1,755
15,639	431	1,475	17,545	16,789	Management and Administrative			
					Services	18,533	16,443	16,443
18,204	492	1,241	19,937	19,164	Subtotal	20,685	18,198	18,198

# **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

	——Year Eı	nding June 30	, 1996——				Year E June 30	
Orig. & (S)Supple– mental	Reapp. & (R)Recpts.	Transfers & (E)Emer–gencies	Total Available	Expended		1997 Adjusted Approp.	Requested	Recom- mended
					<b>Enforcement Policy</b>			
2,264		761	3,025	2,979	Air Pollution Control	2,545	2,590	2,590
6,944	25	217	7,186	7,026	Water Pollution Control	5,831	5,831	5,831
1,191	12	100	1,303	1,271	Land Use Regulation	1,473	1,529	1,529
2,443		75	2,518	2,498	Solid Waste Resource Management	2,317	2,317	2,317
1,220	8	-32	1,196	1,170	Hazardous Waste Management	1,347	1,347	1,347
14,062	45	1,121	15,228	14,944	Subtotal	13,513	13,614	13,614
182,852	12,443	4,502	199,797	189,957	Total Appropriation	179,931	179,931	179,931

# 40. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT 42. NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

#### **OBJECTIVES**

- 1. To provide recreational, historic, natural and interpretive facilities.
- 2. To develop recreational lands and facilities, located in balance with population distribution.
- 3. To regulate the recreational use of public lands and minimize natural resource damage.
- 4. To provide safe marina facilities, navigational aids, and other services to the boating public.
- To provide the financial assistance and engineering technology that minimizes potential loss of life and property damage due to flooding.
- 6. To improve the forest environment to provide for multiple use and minimize forest damage from wildfire, insects and disease.
- To manage fish and wildlife resources of the State for long-term biological, economic and recreational viability.
- To provide for the development of shore protection facilities and improvements, and to minimize personal and property damage resulting from tidal waters of the State.
- 9. To provide a system of highways, parkway roads, and bridges for the Palisades Interstate Park to facilitate travel through and within the park and ensure safe and efficient movement of traffic.

#### PROGRAM CLASSIFICATIONS

- 10. Marina Operations. Operates and maintains State marinas in a clean, safe and non-discriminatory manner for all boat owners and visitors. Safe moorings are provided for boaters during heavy storms.
- 11. Forest Resource Management. The State Forestry Service manages and protects the rural and urban forest resources of New Jersey. The Forest Fire Service is mandated to prevent, manage and suppress wildfire on or threatening 3.1 million acres of State and private forest and wildlands of New Jersey. The Forest Service promotes forestry by providing both State and federal programs in urban and community forestry; forest products conservation and recycling; private non–industrial forest lands management; forest insect and disease control; forest conservation and education; reforestation and tree improvement; and State lands management.
- 12. Parks Management. Operates and maintains existing State park, forest, recreation, natural, interpretive and historic facilities in a clean, safe and non-discriminatory manner for all visitors on a daily basis; staffs facilities with maintenance, administrative, ranger and seasonal personnel to provide assistance, information, interpretive and protective services to the public; manages properties to ensure the preservation of natural and historic resources while maintaining high quality recreational opportunities; plans for the development and improvement of new facilities and reviews and approves all new construction; provides literature

- regarding recreational facilities, natural area and historic preservation.
- 13. **Hunters' and Anglers' License Fund.** Manages wildlife resources of the State through programs of research, regulation, habitat development, land acquisition, law enforcement and public education. Trout and other species of fish, pheasants, and quail are reared at state hatcheries and game farms and released throughout the State; public lands are acquired and maintained for use as wildlife management areas. Regulations regarding hunting and fishing seasons are developed and licenses are sold to provide a source of revenue to manage the State's wildlife resources.
- 14. Shellfish and Marine Fisheries Management. Manages the marine shellfish and finfish resources of the State through research, monitoring, habitat protection, licensing and regulatory programs. Clam and oyster grounds are leased to commercial shellfishermen for aquaculture activities. Programs (relay and depuration) also provide for the safe utilization of shellfish from marginally polluted areas. Marine fisheries programs support the effective management of the numerous migratory species on a coastwide basis. An artificial reef program constructs fisheries habitat in ocean areas to enhance productivity, thus providing additional fishing and diving opportunities.
- 20. Wildlife Management. Conducts wildlife research to protect, manage, and use the State's non-game endangered species. Additional responsibilities include permit review for wildlife possession, bird banding, scientific collection and public information.
- 21. **Natural Resources Engineering.** Develops, maintains, dredges and marks navigation channels on 200 miles of tidal inland waterways and large State-controlled lakes for the safety and protection of the boating public and industries. Provides financial assistance to local governments with the construction of groins, jetties, bulkheads, seawalls, and beach replenishment under the shore protection program, carries out various dam safety inspections, and administers flood control and harbor cleanup programs.
- 24. Palisades Interstate Park Commission. Operates and maintains existing parks and historic sites in a clean, safe, and non-discriminatory manner for all visitors; plans for the improvement and development of new facilities; maintains highways, bridges, landscaped areas, signs, and traffic lines to ensure the safety of the monitoring public. Enforces traffic laws on the Palisades Parkway and all other roads within the Commission's boundaries; polices Commission lands to ensure that park facilities are utilized in accordance with laws, statutes, and Commission regulations; maintains a police court with the powers and jurisdiction of a municipal court with respect to crimes, disorderly conduct, and violations of the motor vehicle and traffic or other laws of the State or of any of the rules and regulations of the Commission.

# **EVALUATION DATA**

Evillent	TON DAIM			Budget
	Actual FY 1995	Actual FY 1996	Revised FY 1997	Estimate FY 1998
PROGRAM DATA				
Marina Operations				
Marinas operated	4	4	4	4
Marina berths in service	1,070	1,070	1,070	1,070
Natified Service	1,070	1,070	1,070	1,070
Forest Resource Management				
Fires (annual)	1,742	897	1,875	1,875
Acres lost (annual)	21,538	1,005	11,590	11,590
Trees planted	700,000	710,000	700,000	700,000
Urban forest assists	408	423	500	500
Seedling production	609,000	650,000	650,000	650,000
Parks Management				
State parks and forests				
Total visitors	13,228,453	13,275,652	13,300,000	13,350,000
Total revenue	\$4,247,472	\$4,118,305	\$4,120,000	\$4,120,000
Historic sites	27	27	27	27
Visitors	370,000	370,000	370,000	370,000
Revenue	\$23,000	\$23,000	\$23,000	\$23,000
Hunters' and Anglers' License Fund				
Trout propagated and distributed	791,000	770,000	750,000	750,000
Pheasants reared at game farms	55,000	55,200	55,000	50,000
Other fish propagated and distributed	889,000	1,342,000	500,000	500,000
Shellfish and Marine Fisheries Management				
Licenses	17,696	17,260	17,000	17,000
Natural Resources Engineering				
Channel miles managed	400	400	400	400
Palisades Interstate Park Commission				
Park Attendance	1,950,000	1,950,000	1,950,000	1,950,000
Cars on parkway	24,500,000	24,500,000	24,500,000	24,500,000
Roads and paths (miles)	25	25	25	25
PERSONNEL DATA				
Position Data				
Filled Positions by Funding Source				
State Supported	767	863	852	897
Federal	30	35	27	26
All Other	109	9	6	7
Total Positions	906	907	885	930
Filled Positions by Program				
Marina Operations	17	17	17	17
Forest Resource Management	95	104	102	104
Parks Management	478	473	464	492
Hunters' and Anglers' License Fund	211	210	204	206
Shellfish and Marine Fisheries Management	36	38	36	39
Natural Resources Engineering	58	53	51	57
Wildlife Management	11	12	11	15
Total Positions	906	907	885	930

Notes: Actual fiscal years 1995 and 1996 and Revised fiscal year 1997 position data reflect actual payroll counts. The Budget Estimate for fiscal year 1998 reflects the number of positions funded.

# **APPROPRIATIONS DATA** (thousands of dollars)

Year Enging line at 1996			inding 0, 1998——
——Year Ending June 30, 1996————Orig. & Transfers &	1997	— June 30	,, 1770
$^{ m S)}$ Supple- Reapp. & $^{ m (E)}$ Emer- Total Prog. A	Adjusted Approp.	Requested	Recom- mended
Distribution by Program			
694 124 — 818 747 Marina Operations 10	692	692	692
5,668 — 150 5,818 5,739 Forest Resource Management 11	5,656	5,656	5,656
29,921 23 –53 29,891 28,503 Parks Management 12	28,055	28,405	28,405
10,975 3,096 91 14,162 12,217 Hunters' and Anglers' License Fund 13	10,945	10,945	10,945
1,287 2 — 1,289 1,281 Shellfish and Marine Fisheries Management 14	1,283	1,283	1,283
312 332 — 644 617 Wildlife Management 20	312	312	312
2,042 6 1,127 3,175 2,667 Natural Resources Engineering 21	1,782	1,782	1,782
	1,813	1,813	1,813
53,128 3,583 1,315 58,026 53,919 Total Appropriation	$50,538^{(a)}$	50,888	50,888
Distribution by Object	*	•	,
Personal Services:			
36,130 587			
1,200 S 894 R -195 38,616 35,242 Salaries and Wages	34,760	33,820	33,820
37,330 1,481 –195 38,616 37,294 Total Personal Services	34,760	33,820	33,820
3,551 897 -76 4,372 3,795 Materials and Supplies	3,717	4,283	4,283
2,208 129 25 2,362 2,182 Services Other Than Personal	1,988	2,038	2,038
2,460 583 229 3,272 2,902 Maintenance and Fixed Charges	2,577	2,785	2,785
Special Purpose:			
1,025 — 1,025 986 Fire Fighting Costs 11	1,025	1,025	1,025
420 — 420 368 Historic Trust			
Administrative Costs 12	420	420	420
— — New Jersey Trails Expansion 12		350	350
60 S — 60 60 Proprietary House Maintenance and Repairs 12			
3,848 — 3,848 3,159 Green Acres Administration 12	3,848	3,848	3,848
22 — 22 Liberty State Park Commission 12	22	22	22
178 — 178 163 Expenses of the Delaware and Raritan Canal Commission 12	178	178	178
90 — 90 89 Natural Lands Trust 12	90	90	90
5 — 5 — Natural Areas Council 12	5	5	5
20 — 20 19 Historic Trust 12	20	20	20
150 — 150 150 Liberty State Park, Engineering and Planning 12			
22 — 34 56 56 Septic Pumper Truck 12			
200 — 96 296 296 Acquisition of Vehicles 12			
312 332 — 644 617 Endangered Species Tax Check- Off Donations 20	312	312	312
250 — 250 1 Removal of Dredged Material from Beaver Dam Creek 21			
276 276 275 Bayshore Flood Control 21			
242 — 242 207 Emergency Flood Control Administrative Costs 21	242	242	242
263 — — 263 176 Dam Repair Administrative Costs 21	263	263	263
	143	143	143
7,250 332 406 7,988 6,744 Total Special Purpose	6,568	6,918	6,918
329 161 926 1,416 1,002 Additions, Improvements and Equipment	928	1,044	1,044

	——Year En	ding June 30, 1	1996					Year E ——June 30	
Orig. & (S)Supple– mental	Reapp. & (R)Recpts.	Transfers & (E)Emer–gencies	Total Available	Expended		Prog. Class.	1997 Adjusted Approp.	Requested	Recom- mended
				O	THER RELATED APPROPRIA	ATIONS			
					Total Grants-in-Aid		360	2,000	2,000
	150		150	150	Total State Aid				
<u> 18,300</u>	<u>8,025</u>	<u> </u>	25,370	<u> 14,098</u>	Total Capital Construction		<u>15,075</u>	<u>32,700</u>	21,190
71,428	11,758	360	83,546	68,167	Total General Fund		65,973	85,588	74,078
					Federal Funds				
2,130							2,231		
30 S	743		2,903	1,120	Forest Resource Management	11	4 <sup>S</sup>	1,621	1,621
							18,542		
8,685	329		9,014	1,592	Parks Management	12	47 S	21,085	21,085
8,210	2,445		10,655	4,038	Hunters' and Anglers' License Fund	13	8,071 525 S	9,271	9,271
6,090	1,148		7,238	1,878	Shellfish and Marine Fisheries Management	14	5,410	5,680	5,680
200	182		382	188	Natural Resources Engineering	21	200	200	200
25,345	4,847		30,192	8,816	Total Federal Funds	21	35,030	37,857	37,857
					All Other Funds				
	319								
	353R	26	698		Marina Operations	10	355	355	355
	288				1				
	48 <sup>R</sup>		336	137	Parks Management	12	44	27	27
	6,371				-				
	211 <sup>R</sup>	274	6,856	406	Hunters' and Anglers' License Fund	13	547	557	557
	348								
	416 <sup>R</sup>		764	319	Shellfish and Marine Fisheries Management	14	231	206	206
	781								
		40	1,371	361	Wildlife Management	20	591	535	535
			1,010	442	Natural Resources Engineering	21			
	703								
	2,573 <sup>R</sup>		3,276	2,659	Palisades Interstate Park Commission	24	3,046	3,083	3,083
	13,971	340	14,311	4,324	Total All Other Funds		4,814		4,763
96,773	30,576	700	128,049	81,307	GRAND TOTAL		105,817		116,698
	348 416R 781 550R 474 536R 703 	40 ————————————————————————————————————	764  1,371  1,010	319 361 442	License Fund  Shellfish and Marine Fisheries Management  Wildlife Management  Natural Resources Engineering  Palisades Interstate Park Commission  Total All Other Funds	14 20 21	231 591	206 535	4

Notes: (a) The fiscal 1997 appropriation has been adjusted for the allocation of salary program and has been reduced to reflect the transfer of funds to the Employee Benefits and Salary Increases and Other Benefits accounts.

### LANGUAGE RECOMMENDATIONS

An amount equivalent to 75% of receipts in excess of the amount anticipated from fees and permit receipts from the use of State park and marina facilities, and the unexpended balance as of June 30,1997 of such receipts, are appropriated for Parks Management, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.

Notwithstanding the provisions of P.L.1985, c.533 (C.13:1E–99.1 et seq.) or any other law to the contrary, of the amount hereinabove for Parks Management \$725,000 is appropriated from the Clean Communities Fund to offset the cost of Parks' litter pickup program.

The amount hereinabove for the Historic Trust Administrative Costs account is appropriated from the "Historic Preservation Fund" established pursuant to the "Green Acres, Clean Water, Farmland and Historic Preservation Bond Act of 1992," P.L.1992, c.88, and the "Green Acres, Historic Preservation and Blue Acres Bond Act of 1995," P.L.1995, c.204, together with an amount not to exceed \$209,000 subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting, for costs attributable to planning, administrative, organization, and operating expenses related to historic preservation projects.

The amount hereinabove for the Green Acres Administration account is appropriated from the 1992 New Jersey Green Acres Fund and the 1992 New Jersey Green Trust Fund pursuant to the "Green Acres, Clean Water, Farmland and Historic Preservation Bond Act of 1992," P.L.1992, c.88, and the 1995 New Jersey Green Acres Fund and the 1995 New Jersey Green Trust Fund pursuant to the "Green Acres, Historic Preservation and Blue Acres Bond Act of 1995," P.L.1995, c.204, together with an amount not to exceed \$2,083,000 subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting, for the administration of the Green Acres program.

Receipts from police court, stands, concessions and self-sustaining activities operated or supervised by the Palisades Interstate Park Commission, and the unexpended balance as of June 30, 1997 of such receipts, are appropriated.

The amount hereinabove for the Hunters' and Anglers' License Fund is payable out of said Fund and any amount remaining therein and the unexpended balance as of June 30, 1997 in the Hunters' and Anglers' License Fund, together with any receipts in excess of the amount anticipated, are appropriated. If receipts to that fund are less than anticipated, the appropriation shall be reduced proportionately.

The amount hereinabove for the Endangered Species Tax Check-Off Donations account is payable out of receipts, and the unexpended balances in the Endangered Species Tax Check-Off Donations account as of June 30, 1997, together with receipts in excess of the amount anticipated, are appropriated. If receipts are less than anticipated, the appropriation shall be reduced proportionately.

An amount not to exceed \$1,122,000 is allocated from the capital construction appropriation for Shore Protection Fund Projects for costs attributable to planning, operation, and administration of the shore protection program, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.

An amount not to exceed \$280,000 is allocated from the capital construction appropriation for Shore Protection Fund Projects for the operation and maintenance of the Bayshore Flood Control facility.

The amount hereinabove for the Emergency Flood Control Administrative Costs account is appropriated from funds previously appropriated from the Emergency Flood Control Fund created pursuant to P.L.1978, c.78, together with an amount not to exceed \$158,000 subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting, for administrative costs related to this bond fund.

The amounts hereinabove for the Harbor Cleanup Administrative Costs and the Dam Repair Administrative Costs accounts are appropriated from funds previously appropriated from the Natural Resources Fund created pursuant to P.L.1980, c.70, together with an amount not to exceed \$181,000 subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting, for administrative costs related to these bond funds.

# 40. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT 43. SCIENCE AND TECHNICAL PROGRAMS

## **OBJECTIVES**

- 1. To protect the public and the environment against unnecessary radiation exposure from natural and man-made sources.
- 2. To ensure a high quality of life for the residents of New Jersey by preserving, sustaining, protecting, and enhancing the air environment. Also, to provide program coordination to comply with state and federal mandates to attain air quality standards, conduct air monitoring, planning, analysis, and motor vehicle pollution control projects, and coordinate the development of regulations.
- 3. To augment the health and welfare of the public by providing a comprehensive program to prevent releases of petroleum products and hazardous substances and by providing information regarding hazardous substances in the community and the workplace.
- 4. To undertake technical activities, policy development, and applied scientific research, associated with human and ecological exposure to toxic substances, as well as other critical environmental issues identified by DEP. To serve as DEP's primary unit for environmental assessment and risk analysis. These activities are designed to meet the department's information and problem—solving needs, and to identify current scientific needs which warrant the department's attention, as well as to proactively identify scientific issues and environmental problems before they become crisis issues.
- 5. To map, research, interpret and provide scientific information regarding the State's geology and groundwater resources. This information supports the regulatory and planning functions of DEP and other governmental agencies and provides the business

- community and the public with the geologic and hydrologic information necessary to address environmental concerns and make economic decisions.
- 6. To protect the public and the environment of the State from any hazards resulting from the production, use, sale, storage or other activities related to pesticides.
- 7. To survey hazardous substances inventory data from 33,000 facilities and actual release data of hazardous substances from 700 facilities. The survey data is used internally and by local agencies and citizens in developing community–based chemical emergency response plans.
- 8. To submit risk management plans detailing how to manage the risks involved with the handling and storage of extraordinarily hazardous substances whose release in the environment could cause death or permanent disability. The Risk Management Plan requires a formal hazard analysis to identify and quantify potential points of releases, followed by dispersion and consequence analysis to determine the effect of the release on the surrounding community and the measures that the facility has taken to prevent the release from occurring.
- 9. To establish and maintain policies and procedures for the generation, compilation, review and use of data of documented quality, as required by the USEPA.
- 10. To certify the analytical capabilities of laboratories performing analyses in response to the State's environmental programs.
- 11. To develop and coordinate implementation of watershed management programs, ground water protection programs, and water supply management, development, conservation and protection plans.

- 12. To develop and coordinate the implementation of the Coastal Zone Management and the National Estuary programs, including the Delaware, NY/NJ Harbor and Barnegat Bay Estuaries.
- 13. To develop and coordinate water quality management planning functions, including water quality standards, wastewater management, point and nonpoint source pollution control and the restoration of aquatic habitats.

### PROGRAM CLASSIFICATIONS

- 01. Radiation Protection. Identifies the location and character of natural and man-made radiation sources, determines the exposure pathway and biological impact of those sources (including major nuclear facilities), and provides direction on remediation options. Controls the possession, transportation, use and storage of radioactive materials, and plans for the prevention and remedy of mass exposure, including evacuation, containment and decontamination. This unit also registers and inspects x-ray machines and radioactive material users, licenses x-ray technologists, nuclear medicine technologists, and radon testers and mitigators.
- 02. Air Pollution Control. To ensure a high quality of life for the residents of New Jersey by preserving, sustaining, protecting, and enhancing the air environment. Also, to provide program coordination to comply with state and federal mandates to attain air quality standards, conduct air monitoring, planning, analysis, and motor vehicle pollution control projects, and coordinate the development of regulations. Implements New Jersey's Community Right To Know and SARA Title III programs which gather information on the use, storage and release of toxic chemicals in the State. Implements the "Toxic Catastrophe Prevention Act," to identify companies which handle extraordinary hazardous substances and ensures that procedures are in place to prevent devastating accidental chemical releases. The Discharge Prevention Containment and Countermeasures (Oil Spill Prevention) program reduces the possibility of hazardous spills and, if they occur, mitigates their consequences.
- 04. **Pesticide Control.** Enforces regulations and investigates citizen complaints concerning the manufacture, distribution, storage, sale, possession and use of pesticides, and registers all pesticide products sold in the State. This unit also certifies and licenses pesticide applicators and dealers, plans prevention and remediation of serious incidents, issues pesticide use permits, investigates complaints or reported incidents, conducts analyses to determine the effects and hazards of pesticides, and conducts routine compliance assistance and pollution prevention inspections. Enforces regulations and policies to assure the quality of laboratory data used by the department, industry, local government, municipal authorities, and private citizens. Certifies environmental laboratories in thirty-six states and oversees the analyses of New Jersey drinking water, waste water, ambient water, soils, solid/hazardous waste, sludge and air for microbiological, inorganic, organic, radiochemical, radon and biological properties.
- 05. Water Supply and Watershed Management. Administers the Division of Science and Research's component of the federal and state safe drinking water programs.
- 07. Water Monitoring and Planning. Conducts ambient statewide water quality monitoring (surface and ground water) and assessments in support of NJPDES permit issuance, water quality inventory reporting, water quality planning, and enforcement actions. Conducts water quality surveys in support of program needs. Operates the State's biological and aquatic toxicological

- programs. Develops regulations for toxicity testing and certification in the biological program. Manages the lakes restoration and grant assistance programs. Develops, operates and maintains water quality data base systems for both government and public access. Coordinates the development and implementations of biological criteria into state water quality standards. Classifies shellfish growing areas as approved or condemned, and conducts bacteriological and chemical analysis of shellfish for health hazard prevention.
- 15. Land Use Regulation. Protects and manages the State's land and water resources through the administration of riparian, waterfront development, stream encroachment, Coastal Area Facility Review Act (CAFRA), coastal wetlands and freshwater wetlands laws and regulations.
- 18. Science and Research. Provides a fundamental science foundation for a wide range of departmental policies, actions and standard setting activities. Develops scientific information and innovative management strategies through: the performance of environmental assessments and risk analyses; scientific investigations and technical assessments of toxic and carcinogenic contaminants; human health and ecological risk assessment; applied research and technical evaluations; comprehensive review and assessment of the current state of scientific knowledge on specific issues; overarching scientific connections for dealing with cross-media contaminants; innovative economics-based environmental management approaches; innovative technologies for remediation of hazardous waste sites; and effective risk communication techniques. Identifies emerging environmental strategies and issues and develops them for departmental implementation. Develops human health criteria for toxic contaminant standards in potable water, ground water, surface water and soil.
- 22. Water Quality Management. Maps the geology and topography of the State, assesses mineral resources, maintains a cooperative monitoring program with the United States Geological Service (USGS) and reviews plans for underground storage of gas, oil and chemicals, high level radioactive wastes and disposal wells. Also evaluates the supply potential and water quality of the State's aquifers, investigates groundwater pollution problems, and supports other State and municipal programs through geophysical studies and groundwater investigations.
- 29. Environmental Remediation and Monitoring. On November 5, 1996, the voters of New Jersey approved an amendment to the State Constitution which dedicates 4% of the revenue annually derived from the tax imposed pursuant to the "Corporation Business Tax Act" (P.L.1945, c.162), for the following purposes: financing the cost of water quality point and non-point source pollution monitoring, watershed-based water resource planning and management, and non-point source pollution prevention projects; funding, in the form of loans or grants, the upgrade, replacement or closure of underground storage tanks, including the cost of remediation; and financing the costs of the remediation of discharges of hazardous substances.
- 90. Management Policy and Planning. Coordinates the review and issuance of comments on all environmental impact statements for major projects required by the National Environmental Policy Act and the Governor's Executive Order on environmental assessments. Coordinates the activities of the Office of Environmental Planning including the development and adoption of Surface Water Quality Standards and water quality models.

# **EVALUATION DATA**

				Budget
	Actual FY 1995	Actual FY 1996	Revised FY 1997	Estimate FY 1998
PROGRAM DATA				
Radiation Protection				
X–ray machine violations	1,700	1,357	1,500	1,300
Emergency event responses	31	50	60	32
Power plant inspections reviewed	55	55	55	65
Lung Cancers Avoided	120	137	100	120
Air Pollution Control				
Toxic Catastrophe Prevention				
Compliance inspections	352	110	100	100
Accident investigations	4	3	3	3
Right To Know				
Information requests	2,952	2,400	2,400	2,400
Audits for facilities	1,157	935	1,400	1,400
Notice of violations	597	238	600	600
Pesticide Control				
Investigations and inspections	1,709	1,445	1,600	1,600
Pesticide products regulated	9,948	11,087	11,100	11,000
Pesticide licenses and permits	3,502	13,480	15,000	15,000
Environmental labs certified	912	934	1,050	1,100
Quality assurance actions	539	237	265	560
Water Monitoring and Planning				
Ambient freshwater quality	1,869	1,437	1,588	1,688
Ambient Marine Water:				
Water samples analyzed	14,000	10,000	15,000	15,000
Harvest shellfish bed acres evaluated	700,000	700,000	700,000	700,000
Percent of shellfish bed acres open	75	76	77	77
Percent of shellfish bed acres seasonal	3	3	3	3
Percent of shellfish bed acres condemned	14	14	13	12
Percent of shellfish bed acres specially restricted	8	7	7	8
PERSONNEL DATA				
Position Data				
Filled Positions by Funding Source				
State Supported	286	330	337	350
Federal	57	52	39	36
All Other	10	7	7	8
Total Positions	353	389	383	394
Filled Positions by Program				
Land Use Regulation		8	9	8
Management Policy and Planning	4	21	35	43
Science and Research	28	35	22	23
Air Pollution Monitoring	66	67	59	65
Radiation Protection	77	81	75	79
Air Pollution Control	67	59	70	59
Pesticide Control	53	59	55	55
Water Monitoring	44	42	42	44
Water Quality Management	14	17	16	18
Total Positions	353	389	383	394

Notes: Actual fiscal years 1995 and 1996 and Revised fiscal year 1997 position data reflect actual payroll counts. The Budget Estimate for fiscal year 1998 reflects the number of positions funded.

**Year Ending** 

# **APPROPRIATIONS DATA** (thousands of dollars)

		ding June 30,	1996					——June 30, 1998-	
Orig. & <sup>(S)</sup> Supple– mental	Reapp. & (R)Recpts.	Transfers & (E)Emer–gencies	Total Available	Expended		Prog. Class.	1997 Adjusted Approp.	Requested	Recom- mended
					Distribution by Program				
5,490	205	-42	5,653	5,345	Radiation Protection	01	5,014	3,994	3,994
7,463	236	-561	7,138	6,954	Air Pollution Control	02	6,906	7,204	7,204
3,020	116	-41	3,095	2,959	Pesticide Control	04	2,775	2,826	2,826
479	107		586	550	Water Supply and Watershed	0.5	450	450	450
					Management	05	479	479	479
841	1	239	1,081	1,072	Water Monitoring and Planning	07	1,197	1,197	1,197
2,300	80	-154	2,226	2,172	Science and Research	18	2,099	2,554	2,554
		250	250	250	Water Quality Management	22	369	369	369
105			700	700	Environmental Remediation and Monitoring	29	4,900	5,000	5,000
<u> 185</u>		595	780	780	Management Policy and Planning	90	1,387	1,306	1,306
19,778	745	286	20,809	20,082	Total Appropriation	70	$25,126^{(a)}$	24,929	24,929
12,770	743	200	20,007	20,002	Distribution by Object Personal Services:		23,120	24,727	24,727
8,000	2	462	8,464	8,441	Salaries and Wages		7,701	7,939	7,939
8,000	2	462	8,464	8,441	Total Personal Services		7,701	7,939	7,939
661		-253	408	367	Materials and Supplies		468	7,939 522	7,935 522
2,273	19	43	2,335	2,296	Services Other Than Personal		1,710	1,578	1,578
479		-90	389	361	Maintenance and Fixed Charges		456	374	374
1,658		70	307	301	Special Purpose:		1,658	374	37-
600 S	201		2,459	2,219	Nuclear Emergency Response(b)	01	1,038 1.018 S	1,658	1,658
			2,439	2,219	Diesel Exhaust Emissions Program	02	1,016	200	200
743		78	821	817	Toxic Catastrophe Prevention	02	809	809	809
915	109 <sup>R</sup>		1,024	1,022	Worker and Community Right	02	911	911	
0.170	125P		2 202	2 202	to Know Act				911
2,178	125 <sup>R</sup>		2,303	2,303	Oil Spill Prevention	02	2,174	2,174	2,174
					Farmworker Protection	04	375	375	375
896	107 <sup>R</sup>		896	896	Quality Assurance	04	871	873	873
479	1071		586	550	Safe Drinking Water Fund Monmouth County Clam	05	479	479	479
					Depuration and Relay Environmental Indicators and	07	150 <sup>S</sup>	150	150
					Monitoring	18	700	700	700
					Aquatic Life – Toxics Study	18		200	200
					Open Space – Wetlands				
					Assessment	18		255	255
500	51		551	516	Hazardous Waste Research	18	500	500	500
					Water Resources Monitoring and Planning-Constitutional	20	S	5.000	5,000
7,969	593	78	8,640	0 222	Dedication	29		<u>5,000</u> 14,284	5,000
7,909 396	131	76 46	573	8,323 294	Total Special Purpose Additions, Improvements and		14,545	14,204	14,284
390	151	40	313	294	Equipment		246	232	232
				C	OTHER RELATED APPROPRIA	TIONS			
	420		420	420	Total State Aid		80		
19,778	1,165	286	21,229	20,502	Total General Fund		25,206	24,929	24,929
1 100				24.5	Federal Funds	6.4	^		c
1,400	121		1,521	318	Radiation Protection	01	855	667	667
2,435	-4 100		2,431	1,395	Air Pollution Control	02	2,435	2,268	2,268
	180		733	428	Pesticide Control	04	553	553	553
553									
4,200	633	–75 1,211	4,758 1,211	2,521 709	Water Monitoring and Planning Land Use Regulation	07 15	4,200 1,211	4,200 1,260	4,200 1,260

	——Year End	ling June 30, 1	1996					Year E June 30	nding ), 1998——
Orig. & (S)Supple– mental	Reapp. & (R)Recpts.	Transfers & (E)Emer–gencies	Total Available	Expended		Prog. Class.	1997 Adjusted Approp.	Requested	Recom- mended
4,746	-83	75	4,738	33	Science and Research	18	2,950	1,690	1,690
350	204		554	220	Water Quality Management	22	350	350	350
S	73	2,780	3,075	2,209	Management Policy and Planning	90	4,775	5,680	5,680
13,906	1,124	3,991	19,021	7,833	Total Federal Funds		17,329	16,668	16,668
					All Other Funds				
_	10,834 257 <sup>R</sup> 22	_	11,091	7,819	Radiation Protection	01	525	1,590	1,590
	21 <sup>R</sup>		43	5	Water Monitoring and Planning	07	25	2	2
	543		543	75	Science and Research	18	441	131	131
	1,655		1,655		Water Quality Management	22			
	13,332		13,332	<u> 7,899</u>	Total All Other Funds		991	1,723	1,723
33,684	15,621	4,277	53,582	36,234	GRAND TOTAL		43,526	43,320	43,320

- Notes: (a) The fiscal 1997 appropriation has been adjusted for the allocation of salary program and has been reduced to reflect the transfer of funds to the Employee Benefits and Salary Increases and Other Benefits accounts.
  - (b) Supplemental appropriations in fiscal years 1996 and 1997 correspond to language appropriations in each year.

#### LANGUAGE RECOMMENDATIONS

There is allocated from the "Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Fund", established pursuant to section 17 of P.L.1995, c.157 (C.39:8–75), such sums as may be necessary to fund the costs of the regulation of the Diesel Exhaust Emissions program, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.

There is allocated from the Motor Vehicle Inspection Fund, established in subsection j. of R.S. 39:8-2 such sums as may be necessary to administer and implement the Inspection and Maintenance program, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.

The amount hereinabove for the Hazardous Waste Research account is appropriated from interest earned by the New Jersey Spill Compensation Fund for research on the prevention and the effects of discharges of hazardous substances on the environment and organisms, on methods of pollution prevention and recycling of hazardous substances, and on the development of improved cleanup, removal and disposal operations, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.

The amount hereinabove for the Nuclear Emergency Response account is payable from receipts received pursuant to the assessments of electrical utility companies under P.L.1981, c.302 (C.26:2D-37 et seq.), and the unexpended balances as of June 30, 1997 in the Nuclear Emergency Response account, together with receipts in excess of the amount anticipated, not to exceed \$1,098,000, are appropriated, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.

Notwithstanding the provisions of the "Worker and Community Right to Know Act," P.L.1983, c.315 (C.34:5A-1 et seq.), the amount hereinabove for the Worker and Community Right to Know Act account is payable out of the Worker and Community Right to Know Trust Fund, and that receipts in excess of the amount anticipated, not to exceed \$267,000, are appropriated. If receipts to that fund are less than anticipated, the appropriation shall be reduced proportionately.

The amount hereinabove for the Oil Spill Prevention program is payable out of Spill Compensation Fund, and the receipts in excess of those anticipated, not to exceed \$1,193,000, from the New Jersey Spill Compensation Fund for the Oil Spill Prevention program are appropriated, in accordance with the provisions of P.L.1990, c.76 (C.58:10-23.11f2 et seq.), P.L.1990, c.78 (C.58:10-23.11d1 et seq.), and P.L.1990, c.80 (C.58:10-23.11f1), subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.

The amount hereinabove for the Environmental Remediation and Monitoring program classification shall be provided from revenue received from the Corporate Business Tax, pursuant to the "Corporate Business Tax Act," P.L.1945, c.162 (C.54:10A-1 et seq.), as dedicated by Article VIII, Section II, paragraph 6 of the State Constitution.

# 40. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT 44. SITE REMEDIATION

#### **OBJECTIVES**

- To remediate sites contaminated by man-made hazardous substances and pollutants to benefit human health and the environment and to restore contaminated areas of the State for beneficial use.
- 2. To identify the universe of potential remediation sites including currently known and suspected discharge sites, regulated underground storage tank sites, industrial establishments as defined pursuant to ISRA, non-operating landfills, and RCRA facilities.
- 3. To rank sites which need remediation in order of their risk to humans and the environment to address the "worst sites" first.
- 4. To coordinate responses to major discharges involving hazardous substances and pollutants and to take immediate action to mitigate adverse impacts to human health and the environment, especially where water supplies are endangered.
- 5. To respond to emergency discharges of hazardous substances and pollutants in the State, and to operate the Department's communication center so that environmental emergencies can be reported by the public.
- 6. To maximize the use of private–party funds by having responsible parties conduct remedial work with Department oversight, or to pay the Department to conduct remedial work.
- 7. To develop and implement clear, consistent and predictable regulations for conducting remediations in the State in order to provide direction to the regulated community and the Department.
- To compensate persons impacted by discharges of hazardous substances through the environmental claims program, supported by the Spill Compensation Fund, and to administer the Sanitary Landfill Contingency Fund claims program.

## PROGRAM CLASSIFICATIONS

19. Publicly–Funded Site Remediation. Conducts a statewide program for the cleanup of sites contaminated by hazardous substances by planning, managing and overseeing site remediations where a responsible party cannot be identified or is either unable or unwilling to voluntarily participate. Its powers have been expanded

- through amendments to the Spill Fund Compensation and Control Act (P.L. 1979, c.346) to respond to a broad class of hazardous substance discharges. The major ramifications of these amendments are the ability to identify and remedy abandoned contaminated sites, and the mitigation of discharges that pose risk to human health or the environment. Remedial projects generally go through the following project cycle: Preliminary Assessment/Site Investigation; Remedial Investigation; Design; Construction; and Operation and Maintenance. These activities are supported by a combination of federal (Superfund) and State funds.
- 27. Responsible Party Site Remediation. Conducts a statewide program for the cleanup of sites contaminated by hazardous substances through oversight of remediations conducted by private parties. Works with parties willing to remediate a site under the state's voluntary cleanup program or the state's risk based cleanup program. Provides oversight to assure that appropriate standards and technical requirements are met. The division handles cleanups from low to high complexity under the authority of the State Spill Compensation and Control Act, ISRA, Underground Storage of Hazardous Substances Act and the Water Pollution Control Act. The program also provides management assistance and coordination of remedial activities at National Priority List/Hazardous Site—Cleanups where the project lead is assumed by the federal Environmental Protection Agency, Department of Defense or Department of Energy.
- 29. Environmental Remediation and Monitoring. On November 5, 1996, the voters of New Jersey approved an amendment to the State Constitution which dedicates 4% of the revenue annually derived from the tax imposed pursuant to the "Corporation Business Tax Act" (P.L.1945, c.162), for the following purposes: financing the cost of water quality point and non-point source pollution monitoring, watershed-based water resource planning and management, and non-point source pollution prevention projects; funding, in the form of loans or grants, the upgrade, replacement or closure of underground storage tanks, including the cost of remediation; and financing the costs of the remediation of discharges of hazardous substances.

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## **EVALUATION DATA**

	Actual FY 1995	Actual FY 1996	Revised FY 1997	Estimate FY 1998
	F I 1993	F 1 1990	F 1 1997	F 1 1990
PROGRAM DATA				
Responsible Party Site Remediation				
ISRA:				
Negative declarations	131	427	633	633
Remedial action workplan approvals	29	66	45	45
Remediations monitored	934	1,289	1,241	1,241
Remediations completed	131	287	446	446
Discharge Response Element:				
Emergency responses	1,271	1,520	1,400	1,425
Remediations monitored	2,225	1,811	2,585	2,700
Remediations completed	2,162	1,150	1,738	1,890
Responsible Party Cleanup Element:				
Remedial action workplan approvals	134	117	120	125
Remediations monitored	504	699	652	652
Remediations completed	25	146	80	90

# **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

	Actual FY 1995	Actual FY 1996	Revised FY 1997	Budget Estimate FY 1998
Underground Storage Tanks:				
Closure Approvals	1,568	1,007	1,000	1,100
Remediations monitored	3,056	3,599	3,407	3,465
Remediations completed	600	1,209	1,041	1,127
PERSONNEL DATA				
Position Data				
Filled Positions by Funding Source				
State Supported	572	541	502	512
Federal	26	28	25	24
Total Positions	598	569	527	536
Filled Positions by Program				
Publicly–Funded Site Remediation	211	198	173	176
Hazardous Waste Management	6	5	5	4
Responsible Party Site Remediation	381	366	349	356
Total Positions	598	569	527	536

Notes: Actual fiscal years 1995 and 1996 and Revised fiscal year 1997 position data reflect actual payroll counts. The Budget Estimate for fiscal year 1998 reflects the number of positions funded.

# **APPROPRIATIONS DATA** (thousands of dollars)

	——Year End	ling June 30,	1996					Year Ending ——June 30, 1998——	
Orig. & <sup>(S)</sup> Supple– mental	Reapp. & (R)Recpts.	Transfers & (E)Emer–gencies	Total Available	Expended		Prog. Class.	1997 Adjusted Approp.	Requested	Recom- mended
					Distribution by Program				
13,027	401	2,034	15,462	14,811	Publicly–Funded Site Remediation	19	11,652	11,491	11,491
21,337	4,868	-259	25,946	25,861	Responsible Party Site Remediation	27	19,553	19,714	19,714
					Environmental Remediation and Monitoring	29	2,700	4,700	4,700
34,364	5,269	1,775	41,408	40,672	Total Appropriation		$33,905^{(a)}$	35,905	35,905
					Distribution by Object				
					Personal Services:				
8,020	803 <sup>R</sup>	-1,666	7,157	6,965	Salaries and Wages		5,069	4,910	4,910
				1,313	Employee Benefits				
8,020	803	-1,666	7,157	8,278	Total Personal Services		5,069	4,910	4,910
315			315	81	Materials and Supplies		325	379	379
2,445		663	3,108	2,299	Services Other Than Personal		2,426	2,609	2,609
491		744	1,235	811	Maintenance and Fixed Charges		722	624	624
					Special Purpose:				
5,377	3R	34	5,414	5,414	Hazardous Waste Bond Administrative Costs	19	5,377	5,377	5,377
1,511	396 <sup>R</sup>	2,000	3,907	3,905	Spill Prevention, Response and Site Cleanup, Non–Site Specific Costs	19	1,441	1,280	1,280
30			30	30	Ground Water Impact Assessment – Roebling Superfund Site, Florence	19			
	6								
14,428	3,948 <sup>R</sup>		18,382	18,375	Hazardous Discharge Site Cleanup Fund– Responsible Party	27	14,428	14,428	14,428
524			524	510	Industrial Site Recovery Act	27	399	399	399

	——Year En	ding June 30,	1996					Year E June 30	nding ), 1998——
Orig. & (S)Supple- mental	Reapp. & (R)Recpts.	Transfers & (E)Emer– gencies	Total Available	Expended		Prog. Class.	1997 Adjusted Approp.	Requested	Recom- mended
923			923	917	Underground Storage Tanks	27	698	698	698
					Cleanup Projects Administrative Costs— Constitutional Dedication	29	S	4,700	4,700
22,793	4,353	2,034	29,180	29,151	Total Special Purpose		25,043	26,882	26,882
300	113		413	52	Additions, Improvements and Equipment		320	501	501
				C	OTHER RELATED APPROPRIA	ATIONS			
	2,848		2,848	<u> 197</u>	Total Capital Construction		22,000	42,200	42,200
34,364	8,117	1,775	44,256	40,869	Total General Fund		55,905	78,105	78,105
					Federal Funds				
100,000	8,766	-75	108,691	8,778	Publicly–Funded Site Remediation	19	100,000	100,000	100,000
360	73		433	307	Hazardous Waste Management	23	360	360	360
<u>7,300</u>	4,287		11,587	4,430	Responsible Party Site Remediation	27	7,850	8,300	8,300
107,660	13,126	-75	120,711	13,515	Total Federal Funds		108,210	108,660	108,660
					All Other Funds				
	84		50		Publicly–Funded Site Remediation	19			
	84	<u>-34</u>	50		Total All Other Funds				
142,024	21,327	1,666	165,017	54,384	GRAND TOTAL		164,115	186,765	186,765

Notes: (a) The fiscal 1997 appropriation has been adjusted to reflect a proposed supplemental appropriation.

## LANGUAGE RECOMMENDATIONS

In addition to site specific charges, the amount hereinabove for the Publicly–Funded Site Remediation and the Responsible Party Site Remediation program classifications, excluding the Hazardous Waste Bond Administrative Costs, the Hazardous Discharge Site Cleanup Fund–Responsible Party, the Industrial Site Recovery Act, and the Underground Storage Tanks accounts, is appropriated from the New Jersey Spill Compensation Fund, in accordance with the provisions of P.L.1976, c.141 (C.58:10–23.11 et seq.), together with an amount not to exceed \$5,030,000, for administrative costs associated with the cleanup of hazardous waste sites, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.

The amount hereinabove for the Hazardous Waste Bond Administrative Costs account is appropriated from the Hazardous Discharge Fund of 1986, created pursuant to section 14 of the "Hazardous Discharge Fund Bond Act of 1986," P.L.1986, c.113, together with an amount not to exceed \$4,388,000 for administrative costs associated with the cleanup of hazardous waste sites, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.

The amount hereinabove for the Spill Prevention, Response and Site Cleanup, Non–Site Specific Costs account is appropriated from the New Jersey Spill Compensation Fund, together with receipts in excess of those anticipated, not to exceed \$844,000, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.

There are appropriated from the New Jersey Spill Compensation Fund such sums as may be required for cleanup operations, adjusters and paying approved claims for damages in accordance with the provisions of P.L.1976, c.141 (C.58:10–23.11 et seq.), subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.

The amount hereinabove for the Hazardous Discharge Site Cleanup Fund–Responsible Party account is appropriated from responsible party cost recoveries deposited in the Hazardous Discharge Site Cleanup Fund, together with an amount not to exceed \$8,659,000, for administrative costs associated with the cleanup of hazardous waste sites, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.

The amount hereinabove for the Environmental Remediation and Monitoring program classification shall be provided from revenue received from the Corporate Business Tax, pursuant to the "Corporate Business Tax Act," P.L.1945, c.162 (C.54:10A–1 et seq.), as dedicated by Article VIII, Section II, paragraph 6 of the State Constitution.

Receipts derived from the sale of salvaged materials are appropriated to offset costs incurred in the cleanup and removal of hazardous substances.

# 40. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT 45. ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATION

#### **OBJECTIVES**

- 1. To assure a safe and dependable supply of water.
- 2. To monitor and report on the biological, chemical and physical quality of surface waters, ground waters and sediments in the State and to monitor NJPDES permit compliance in order to develop water quality standards and programs and to evaluate the effectiveness of existing regulatory programs for the protection and improvement of New Jersey's water quality.
- To make decisions that carry out the purposes and requirements of the enabling legislation and regulations.
- 4. To conduct reviews of permit applications in a manner that promotes meaningful public input.
- 5. To develop procedural and regulatory changes as well as non-regulatory studies and outreach efforts to expand the consideration of pollution prevention, the protection of critical watersheds from cumulative negative impacts, and the consideration of the State Development and Redevelopment Plan in the Department's decision-making.
- To help permit applicants to comply with applicable requirements and promptly inform them when such compliance does not seem possible.
- 7. To find opportunities to make permit reviews efficient while maintaining or improving protection of the environment and to eliminate procedures and requirements that do not lead to greater environmental protection, and to consolidate the reviews of multiple permit for individual facilities or projects.
- 8. To use available wastewater funds to improve and protect water quality.
- 9. To implement a statewide solid waste planning process with emphasis on source reduction, recycling and market development activities; to conduct comprehensive reviews of permit applications for solid waste, hazardous waste, recycling and composting facilities; and to ensure that reasonable rates are charged in New Jersey for solid waste collection and disposal operations.

### PROGRAM CLASSIFICATIONS

- 02. Air Pollution Control. Reviews construction plans for new and modified stationary sources of potential air pollution and issues permits for construction and certificates to operate; validates tax exemption claims for air pollution control equipment; conducts stack tests to determine air contaminant emissions; reviews continuous emission monitoring instrumentation; reviews and conducts air quality modeling studies of major new sources of air contamination; reviews and issues facility—wide operating permits for major existing sources of air pollution.
- 05. Water Supply and Watershed Management. Administers the federal and State safe drinking water programs, the well drilling permit program and the water allocation program to ensure a safe and reliable water supply.

- 08. Water Pollution Control. Administers the New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Eliminations System (NJPDES) program, which protects New Jersey's ground and surface water quality by assuring the proper treatment and discharge of stormwater and wastewater from various types of facilities and activities. To accomplish this, permits are issued limiting the mass and concentration of pollutants which may be discharged into ground water, streams, rivers and the ocean. Management of residuals and the oversight of local pretreatment programs are also administered through the NJPDES program. This program also regulates the construction of wastewater treatment facilities and sewer lines.
- 09. Public Wastewater Facilities. Administers the New Jersey Wastewater Treatment Financing program along with the New Jersey Wastewater Treatment Trust, an independent State financing authority. The program provides loans to local government units for the construction of wastewater treatment facilities through funds available under the federal Clean Water Act and various State bond acts. Projects eligible for financial assistance include water and wastewater treatment plant upgrades or improvements, facilities for the beneficial reuse and treatment of sewage sludge, collection and conveyance facilities, on–site system rehabilitation, infiltration/inflow correction, combined sewer overflow and interconnection/cross–connection abatement projects.
- 15. Land Use Regulation. Protects and manages the State's land and water resources through the administration of riparian, waterfront development, stream encroachment, Coastal Area Facility Review Act (CAFRA), coastal wetlands and freshwater wetlands laws and regulations.
- 17. Solid Waste Resource Management. Supervises the collection, transportation, processing, reduction and disposal of solid waste. Supervises the solid waste collection industry to promote effective competition and to prohibit anti–competitive practices. Regulates and oversees mergers, acquisitions and long term financing arrangements of the solid waste utility industry. Regulations and standards for solid waste industries are implemented through on–site construction inspections, design reviews, monitoring and the permitting of collection, processing and disposal operations. Develops and implements comprehensive statewide management plans and reviews and monitors district solid waste management plans. Develops and implements a recycling program, and provides grants and loans pursuant to the Solid Waste Services Tax program and the Resource Recovery and Solid Waste Disposal Facility Bond Act
- 23. Hazardous Waste Management. Regulates the generation, storage, collection, treatment and disposal of hazardous waste. Regulations and standards for hazardous waste industries are implemented through on–site construction inspections, design reviews, monitoring and the permitting of collection, processing and disposal operations. Administers parts of the federal Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976 (RCRA). Pollution Prevention is responsible for promoting multi–media awareness and the incorporation of pollution prevention concepts into all Environmental Regulation permitting programs.

<b>EVALUATION 1</b>	DATA
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				Budget		
	Actual FY 1995	Actual FY 1996	Revised FY 1997	Estimate FY 1998		
PROGRAM DATA						
Land Use Regulation						
Waterfront Development:						
Tidelands appraisals	600	400	400	400		
Tidelands inspections (inquiries–search)	400	300	300	350		
Solid Waste Resource Management						
Recycling tonnage grants	510	540	540	540		
Annual Tonnage:						
Generated Statewide	15,400,000	15,900,000	15,900,000	15,900,000		
Generated per capita (Lbs./Person/Day)	10	10	10	10		
Recycled Statewide	9,900,000	9,540,000	9,540,000	9,540,000		
Recycled per capita (Lbs./Person/Day)	7	6	6	6		
% reduction in Solid Waste stream due to recycling	64	60	60	60		
Hazardous Waste Management						
Annual tonnage of hazardous waste generated statewide	380,191	352,717	280,050	280,050		
(RCRA)	360,191	332,717	280,030	200,030		
Total tonnage hazardous waste:	24.006	21.020	21.164	21.164		
Disposed	24,006	31,039	21,164	21,164		
Stored	86,445	81,830	64,324	64,324		
Recycled	126,257	121,335	94,669	94,669		
Incinerated	51,020	40,562	34,894	34,894		
Other	92,462	77,950	64,999	64,999		
PERSONNEL DATA						
Position Data						
Filled Positions by Funding Source						
State Supported	635	684	584	597		
Federal	110	58	55	52		
All Other	148	51	50	51		
Total Positions	893	793	689	700		
Filled Positions by Program						
Water Supply and Watershed Management	136	121	105	109		
Air Pollution Control	82	83	79	82		
Water Pollution Control	204	163	135	137		
Public Waste Water Facilities	33	29	54	55		
Land Use Regulation	142	127	122	127		
Water Monitoring	6	6	6	5		
Solid Waste Resource Management	152	128	98	94		
Hazardous Waste Management	89	85	65	66		
Clean Waters	49	51	25	25		
Total Positions	893	793	689	700		

Notes: Actual fiscal years 1995 and 1996 and Revised fiscal year 1997 position data reflect actual payroll counts. The Budget Estimate for fiscal year 1998 reflects the number of positions funded.

# APPROPRIATIONS DATA

(thousands of dollars)

	——Year En	ding June 30, 1	996		,			Year E	nding ), 1998——
Orig. & <sup>(S)</sup> Supple– mental	Reapp. & (R)Recpts.	Transfers & (E)Emer– gencies	Total Available	Expended		Prog. Class.	1997 Adjusted Approp.	Requested	Recom- mended
					Distribution by Program				
5,753	19	-668	5,104	4,924	Air Pollution Control	02	5,095	5,498	5,498
7,766	361	1	8,128	7,031	Water Supply and Watershed Management	05	7,137	7,135	7,135
9,092		260	9,352	8,880	Water Pollution Control	08	7,456	7,409	7,409
628	48		676	677	Public Wastewater Facilities	09	628	628	628
6,181	902		7,083	6,940	Land Use Regulation	15	6,060	6,001	6,001

	——Year En	ding June 30, 1	1996					Year E June 30	nding ), 1998——
Orig. & (S)Supple— mental	Reapp. & (R)Recpts.	Transfers & (E)Emer- gencies	Total Available	Expended		Prog. Class.	1997 Adjusted Approp.	Requested	Recom- mended
9,599	776	-754	9,621	8,620	Solid Waste Resource Management	17	6,339	6,324	6,32
4,297	203		4,425	4,104	Hazardous Waste Management	23	3,449	3,402	3,40
43,316	2,309	-1,236	44,389	41,176	Total Appropriation Distribution by Object Personal Services:		36,164 <sup>(a)</sup>	36,397	36,39
23,669			22,885	21,724	Salaries and Wages		19,595	19,630	19,63
23,669		-784	22,885	21,724	Total Personal Services		19,595	19,630	19,63
556	1	-54	503	355	Materials and Supplies		504	561	56
6,941	3	-391	6,553	5,980	Services Other Than Personal		4,584	4,966	4,96
346		-29	317	266	Maintenance and Fixed Charges Special Purpose:		335	325	32
954			954	459	Administrative Costs Water Supply Bond Act of 1981 – Management	05	954	954	95
1,213			1,213	1,158	Administrative Costs Water Supply Bond Act of 1981 – Watershed and Aquifer	05	1,213	1,213	1,21
800		_	800	596	Administrative Costs Water Supply Bond Act of 1981 – Planning and Standards	05	800	800	80
43	24		67	66	Water/Wastewater Operators				
					Licenses	05	43	43	4:
58			58	58	Office of the Rivermaster	05	58	58	5
1,457	337 <sup>R</sup>		1,794	1,793	Safe Drinking Water Fund	05	1,457	1,457	1,45
628	48 <sup>R</sup>		676	677	Public Waste Water Facilities Bond	09	628	628	62
25			25	8	Tidelands Resource Council	15	25	25	2
1,808	889R		2,697	2,697	Tidelands Peak Demands	15	1,799	1,799	1,79
435 418			435 418	435 338	Office of Permit Information and Assistance	15	480	502	50
					Sanitary Landfill Facility Contingency Fund— Administration	17	399	399	39
224	_		224	130	Administration of Resource Recovery and Solid Waste Disposal Facility Fund	17	224	224	224
919	677 <sup>R</sup>		1,596	1,596	Recycling of Solid Waste	17	919	919	91
291	74 <sup>R</sup>		365	365	Clean Communities— Administration	17			
	2								
1,567	58R		1,627	1,624	Pollution Prevention	23	1,565	1,565	1,56
225	74		299	268	Major Hazardous Waste Facilities Siting Act–Siting Commission	23	60	60	6
11,065	2,183		13,248	12,268	Total Special Purpose		10,624	10,646	10,64
739	122	22	883	583	Additions, Improvements and Equipment		522	269	26
				C	OTHER RELATED APPROPRIA	TIONS			
		268	268		Total State Aid		75		
	<u>15,068</u>		15,068	<u>3,610</u>	Total Capital Construction			20,590	2,590
43,316	17,377	-968	59,725	44,786	Total General Fund		36,239	56,987	38,987
					Federal Funds	**			
1,285			1,285	1,150	Air Pollution Control	02	1,285	1,123	1,123
13,760	266		14,026	1,244	Water Supply and Watershed Management	05	13,800	25,200	25,20
86,200	668		86,868	667	Public Wastewater Facilities	09	95,000	70,000	70,00
2,941 6,175	497 832	-1,211 -2,705	2,227 4,302	1,181 833	Land Use Regulation Water Monitoring and Planning	15	1,730 1,775	1,634 1,775	1,634 1,775

	——Year End	ling June 30, 1	996					Year E June 30	nding , 1998——
Orig. & <sup>(S)</sup> Supple– mental	Reapp. & (R)Recpts.	Transfers & (E)Emer–gencies	Total Available	Expended		Prog. Class.	1997 Adjusted Approp.	Requested	Recom- mended
1,575	346		1,921	346	Solid Waste Resource Management	17			
2,468	189		2,657	1,600	Hazardous Waste Management	23	2,635	2,035	2,035
114,404	2,798	-3,916	113,286	7,021	Total Federal Funds		116,225	101,767	101,767
					All Other Funds				
	$2,919^{R}$		2,919	279	Air Pollution Control	02			
	42								
	101 <sup>R</sup>		143	7	Water Supply and Watershed Management	05	125	70	70
	52		52		Public Wastewater Facilities	09	2,282	2,266	2,266
	188								
	50 <sup>R</sup>		238	216	Land Use Regulation	15		214	214
	35		35		Water Monitoring and Planning	16			
	15								
	250 <sup>R</sup>		265		Solid Waste Resource Management	17			
	47		47	5	Hazardous Waste Management	23			
	4				C				
	3,071 <sup>R</sup>		3,075	3,074	Clean Waters	70	2,014	2,400	2,400
	<u>6,774</u>		6,774	<u>3,581</u>	Total All Other Funds		4,421	4,950	4,950
157,720	26,949	-4,884	179,785	55,388	GRAND TOTAL		156,885	163,704	145,704

Notes: (a) The fiscal year 1997 appropriation has been adjusted for the allocation of salary program and has been reduced to reflect the transfer of funds to the Employee Benefits and Salary Increases and Other Benefits accounts.

### LANGUAGE RECOMMENDATIONS

The amounts hereinabove for the Administrative Costs Water Supply Bond Act of 1981 – Water Supply Management; Watershed and Aquifer; and Planning and Standards accounts are appropriated from the "Water Supply Bond Act of 1981," P.L. 1981, c.261, together with an amount, not to exceed \$1,347,000, for costs attributable to administration of water supply programs, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.

Any funds received by the Wastewater Treatment Trust from any State agency to offset the Trust's annual operating expenses are appropriated.

The amount hereinabove for the Public Waste Water Facilities Bond account is appropriated from funds previously appropriated from the Water Conservation Fund, together with an amount not to exceed \$347,000 subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting, for costs attributable to planning, engineering, developing and constructing regional wastewater treatment facilities.

There is appropriated from the 1992 Wastewater Treatment Fund, created pursuant to the "Green Acres, Clean Water, Farmland and Historic Preservation Bond Act of 1992," P.L. 1992, c.88, such sums as may be necessary for costs attributable to the administration of wastewater treatment system projects, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.

The amount hereinabove for the Sanitary Landfill Facility Contingency Fund – Administration account, is appropriated from the Sanitary Landfill Facility Contingency Fund, together with an amount not to exceed \$182,000, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.

The amount hereinabove for the Administration of Resource Recovery and Solid Waste Disposal Facility Fund account is appropriated from the Resource Recovery and Solid Waste Disposal Facility Fund, together with an amount not to exceed \$92,000, for administrative costs related to the Resource Recovery and Solid Waste Disposal Facility program, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting.

Notwithstanding the provisions of P.L.1981, c.278 (C.13:1E–92 et seq.), as amended by P.L.1985, c.533, the amount hereinabove for the Recycling of Solid Waste account is appropriated from the State Recycling Fund, together with an amount not to exceed \$503,000, for the administration of the Recycling of Solid Waste program, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting. If receipts are less than anticipated, the appropriation shall be reduced proportionately.

Notwithstanding the provisions of P.L.1985, c.533 (C.13:1E–99.1 et seq.) or any other law to the contrary, all sums in the Clean Communities Account, other than the amount appropriated from the fund for Parks Management to offset the cost of Parks' litter pickup program, shall be distributed as grants to municipalities and counties in accordance with the same criteria used for distribution of grants from the fund pursuant to the fiscal year 1996 appropriations act, P.L.1995, c.164, as determined by the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting in consultation with the Commissioner of the Department of Environmental Protection.

There are appropriated from the State Recycling Fund and the Clean Communities account such sums as may be required to carry out the provisions of the "Clean Communities and State Recycling Act," P.L. 1981, c.278, as amended by P.L.1985, c.533 (C.13:1E–92 et seq.).

There are appropriated from the Sanitary Landfill Facility Contingency Fund such sums as may be required to carry out the provisions of the "Sanitary Landfill Facility Closure and Contingency Fund Act," P.L.1981, c.306 (C.13:1E–100 et seq.).

Receipts deposited to the Resource Recovery Investment Tax Fund and the Solid Waste Services Tax Fund are appropriated.

The unexpended balance as of June 30, 1997 in the Major Hazardous Waste Facilities Siting Act-Siting Commission account is appropriated.

The amount hereinabove for the Pollution Prevention account is appropriated from receipts received pursuant to the "Pollution Prevention Act," P.L.1991, c.235 (C.13:1D–35 et seq.), together with an amount not to exceed \$584,000, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting, for administration of the Pollution Prevention program. If receipts are less than anticipated, the appropriation shall be reduced proportionately.

# 40. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT 46. ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING AND ADMINISTRATION

### **OBJECTIVES**

- 1. To develop administrative policy, evaluate performance and coordinate program activities.
- To support activities related to departmental planning, auditing, and legislative services.
- To support a communication program which explains the Department's mission to the public and to encourage public participation in the decision–making process.
- 4. To support the Department and its objectives in terms of the control of personnel, financial resources, general services, information systems and equipment.

# PROGRAM CLASSIFICATIONS

26. **Regulatory and Governmental Affairs.** Coordinates the proposal and adoption of environmental rules and regulations. Serves as

central point of contact regarding State and federal legislation. Develops and executes public information, environmental education and communications strategies for the Department's programs. Serves as liaison to the Legislature as well as all county and municipal governmental officials.

99. Management and Administrative Services. The Commissioner's office sets policies and develops short and long range plans and strategies; coordinates with governmental agencies; and provides legislative review and legal analysis. Provides, under the direction of the Assistant Commissioner of Management and Budget: general support services including personnel, payroll, purchasing, data processing, printing, training, word processing, program evaluation, and property control; and financial management, including budget, accounting, as well as responsibility for the fiscal control and financial monitoring of all general State monies, federal funds, bond funds and tax accounts.

#### **EVALUATION DATA**

	Actual FY 1995	Actual FY 1996	Revised FY 1997	Budget Estimate FY 1998
PROGRAM DATA				
Management and Administrative Services				
Male Minority	208	183	193	200
Male Minority %	5	5	5	5
Female Minority	326	238	250	261
Female Minority %	9	7	7	7
Total Minority	542	421	443	461
Total Minority %	15	13	13	13
PERSONNEL DATA				
Position Data				
Filled Positions by Funding Source				
State Supported	435	354	310	317
Total Positions	435	354	310	317
Filled Positions by Program				
Management and Administrative Services	382	308	264	276
Regulatory and Governmental Affairs	53	46	46	41
Total Positions	435	354	310	317

Notes: Actual fiscal years 1995 and 1996 and Revised fiscal year 1997 position data reflect actual payroll counts. The Budget Estimate for fiscal year 1998 reflects the number of positions funded.

# APPROPRIATIONS DATA (thousands of dollars)

	——Year En	nding June 30, 1	1996					Year E	
Orig. & <sup>S)</sup> Supple– mental	Reapp. & (R)Recpts.	Transfers & (E)Emer– gencies	Total Available	Expended		Prog. Class.	1997 Adjusted Approp.	Requested	Recom- mended
					Distribution by Program				
2,565	61	-234	2,392	2,375	Regulatory and Governmental Affairs	26	2,152	1,755	1,755
15,639	431	1,475	17,545	16,789	Management and Administrative Services	99	18,533	16,443	16,443
18,204	492	1,241	19,937	19,164	Total Appropriation		$20,685^{(a)}$	18,198	18,198
					Distribution by Object Personal Services:				
14,658		1,494	16,152	16,062	Salaries and Wages		12,453	12,541	12,541
14,658		1,494	16,152	16,062	Total Personal Services		12,453	12,541	12,541
483		-277	206	170	Materials and Supplies		454	525	525
1,949		76	2,025	1,869	Services Other Than Personal		1,746	1,735	1,735
596		53	649	610	Maintenance and Fixed Charges		596	579	579
370		33	017	010	Special Purpose:		370	317	317
					Environmental Enhancement and Ecosystem Improvement	99	5,000		
98			10		Affirmative Action and Equal	00	00	00	00
0.0		00			Employment Opportunity	99	98	98	98
98	402	-88	10		Total Special Purpose		5,098	98	98
420	492	-17	895	453	Additions, Improvements and Equipment		338	2,720	2,720
				C	OTHER RELATED APPROPRIA	ATIONS			
50			50	50	Total Grants-in-Aid		264	350	350
4,462	217	47	4,726	4,602	Total State Aid		4,862	5,387	5,387
950	202		1,152	736	<b>Total Capital Construction</b>			872	
112,444			112,444	112,428	Total Debt Service		100,487	82,703	82,703
136,110	911	1,288	138,309	136,980	Total General Fund		126,298	107,510	106,638
11					Federal Funds				
11 45 S			56		Regulatory and Governmental Affairs	26			_
975	_=		975		Management and Administrative Services	99	1,275	1,050	1,050
1,031			1,031		Total Federal Funds		1,275	1,050	1,050
					All Other Funds				
	1,265								
	160 <sup>R</sup>	1,770	3,195	2,585	Management and Administrative Services	99	190	210	210
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127 141	<u>1,425</u>		<u>3,195</u>	<u>2,585</u>	Total All Other Funds		<u>190</u>	<u>210</u>	210
137,141	2,336	3,058	142,535	139,565	GRAND TOTAL		127,763	108,770	107,898

Notes: (a) The fiscal 1997 appropriation has been adjusted for the allocation of salary program and has been reduced to reflect the transfer of funds to the Employee Benefits and Salary Increases and Other Benefits accounts.

# LANGUAGE RECOMMENDATIONS

The unexpended balance as of June 30,1997 in the Environmental Enhancements and Ecosystem Improvement account is appropriated.

# 40. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT 47. ENFORCEMENT POLICY

### **OBJECTIVES**

- To protect public health and improve the environment by ensuring compliance with the State's rules and regulations concerning coastal and land use, air pollution, water pollution, solid waste, and hazardous waste.
- To assure consistency in enforcement policies, protocols and actions taken by the Department.
- 3. To provide compliance assistance to all businesses, with a special emphasis on small businesses and local governments.
- To augment the Department's enforcement, inspection and monitoring activities under the County Environmental Health Act by strengthening agreements with local health agencies to enforce environmental regulations.
- To improve the quality of the State's beaches through cooperation with the Departments of Correction and Health and the Army Corps of Engineers in programs which reduce floatable debris and monitor ocean water quality.
- 6. To monitor and report on the quality of surface and ground water in the state in order to develop plans, implementation programs and standards and evaluate programs for the protection and improvement of water quality.

#### PROGRAM CLASSIFICATIONS

- 02. Air Pollution Control. Conducts investigations to determine compliance with the Air Pollution Control Act at regulated facilities. Issues enforcement documents and tracks, records and reports on associated administrative activities to ensure compliance. Also issues enforcement documents for Noise, Toxic Catastrophe Prevention Act, Right to Know, Radiation Protection, Laboratory Quality Assurance, Pesticide Control and Discharge Prevention Containment and Countermeasures. Develops enforcement cases, processes violations, assesses penalties and negotiates compliance schedules for these programs.
- 08. Water Pollution Control. Responsible for providing compliance assistance, conducting monitoring and investigations and issuance of enforcement actions in support of the water programs. The focus is particularly on inspections of wastewater dischargers and community water supply facilities; prevention and correction of

- situations of non-compliance through a multi-faceted compliance assistance program including outreach, education, and a Discharge Monitoring Report guidance manual; issuance of administrative and judicial enforcement actions for chronic or significant violations; and investigation of complaints relating to water resources. Monitors compliance with all permits issued under the New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NJPDES) for surface water, ground water and indirect discharges to Publicly-Owned Treatment Works (POTWs). Formal enforcement actions are also issued against State certified laboratories which fail to comply with the laboratory certification program requirements.
- 15. Land Use Regulation. Conducts investigations and site inspections required to ensure compliance with State regulations and permits issued pursuant to the Freshwater Wetlands Protection Act, the Flood Hazard Area Control Act, the Coastal Area Development Review Act, the Wetlands Act of 1970, the Dam Safety Act, and the Waterfront Development and Riparian Lands statutes. Responding to reports of alleged violations of the above statutes, the bureau advises individuals how to achieve and/or maintain compliance. In cases of significant or potentially significant environmental damage and in cases of recalcitrant violations the bureau develops land use enforcement cases, issues Notices of Violations and Administrative Orders, assesses penalties, and resolves cases through negotiation or through legal action in the Office of Administrative Law and Superior Court.
- 17. Solid Waste Resource Management. Manages compliance and enforcement activities directed at ensuring that solid waste is collected, transported and disposed of in an environmentally acceptable manner and in a competitive marketplace. Activities include such compliance assistance functions as environmental audits and grace periods as well as conventional inspections and investigations, and when necessary, formal enforcement actions.
- 23. Hazardous Waste Management. Manages and conducts compliance and enforcement activities directed at ensuring that hazardous waste is collected, stored, transported and disposed of in an environmentally acceptable manner. Activities include such compliance assistance functions as environmental audits, grace periods and supplemental environmental projects as well as conventional inspections and investigations, and when necessary, formal enforcement actions.

# **EVALUATION DATA**

	Actual FY 1995	Actual FY 1996	Revised FY 1997	Budget Estimate FY 1998
PROGRAM DATA				
Air Pollution Control				
Investigations and inspections	9,630	6,900	7,000	7,000
Water Pollution Control				
Coastal monitoring stations evaluated	5,400	5,400	5,400	5,400
Surface Water Discharge Permits:				
Compliance inspections	2,715	3,817	3,700	3,700
Operation Clean Shore:				
Miles of beaches cleaned	75	92	75	75
Tons of debris removed	3,700	2,605	2,500	2,500
Land Use Regulation				
Investigations and inspections	2,830	2,733	2,500	2,800

# **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

	Actual FY 1995	Actual FY 1996	Revised FY 1997	Budget Estimate FY 1998
Hazardous Waste Management				
Annual inspections	2,750	2,777	2,500	2,500
PERSONNEL DATA				
Position Data				
Filled Positions by Funding Source				
State Supported	250	294	286	286
Federal	67	17	16	16
All Other	_	5	7	7
Total Positions	317	316	309	309
Filled Positions by Program				
Air Pollution Control	89	83	83	83
Solid Waste	43	47	44	43
Water Pollution Control	105	110	107	109
Land Use Regulation	34	31	32	32
Hazardous Waste Management	46	45	43	42
Total Positions	317	316	309	309

Notes: Actual fiscal years 1995 and 1996 and Revised fiscal year 1997 position data reflect actual payroll counts. The Budget Estimate for fiscal year 1998 reflects the number of positions funded.

# **APPROPRIATIONS DATA** (thousands of dollars)

	——Year En	ding June 30, 1	1996					Year E June 30	nding ), 1998——
Orig. & <sup>(S)</sup> Supple– mental	Reapp. & (R)Recpts.	Transfers & (E)Emer–gencies	Total Available	Expended		Prog. Class.	1997 Adjusted Approp.	Requested	Recom- mended
					Distribution by Program				
2,264		761	3,025	2,979	Air Pollution Control	02	2,545	2,590	2,590
6,944	25	217	7,186	7,026	Water Pollution Control	08	5,831	5,831	5,831
1,191	12	100	1,303	1,271	Land Use Regulation	15	1,473	1,529	1,529
2,443		75	2,518	2,498	Solid Waste Resource Management	17	2,317	2,317	2,317
1,220	8		1,196	1,170	Hazardous Waste Management	23	1,347	1,347	1,347
14,062	45	1,121	15,228	14,944	Total Appropriation		$13,513^{(a)}$	13,614	13,614
					Distribution by Object				
					Personal Services:				
9,614	25	930	10,569	10,567	Salaries and Wages		10,256	10,460	10,460
9,614	25	930	10,569	10,567	Total Personal Services		10,256	10,460	10,460
253	1	-59	195	171	Materials and Supplies		169	171	171
2,739		-107	2,632	2,504	Services Other Than Personal		1,553	1,464	1,464
548		9	557	526	Maintenance and Fixed Charges		420	404	404
					Special Purpose:				
					Operation Clean Shores	08	360	360	360
673	12 <sup>R</sup>		685	685	Tidelands Peak Demands	15	673	673	673
673	12		685	685	Total Special Purpose		1,033	1,033	1,033
235	7	348	590	491	Additions, Improvements and Equipment		82	82	82
				C	OTHER RELATED APPROPRIA	ATIONS			
2,853	456	<u>-365</u>	2,944	2,456	Total State Aid		2,453	2,453	2,453
16,915	501	756	18,172	17,400	Total General Fund		15,966	16,067	16,067
					Federal Funds				
3,280			3,280	2,236	Air Pollution Control	02	3,280	2,928	2,928
482			482	240	Land Use Regulation	15	482	529	529
1,866	<u> 151</u>		2,017	1,177	Hazardous Waste Management	23	1,886	1,886	1,886
5,628	151		5,779	3,653	Total Federal Funds		5,648	5,343	5,343

	——Year En	ding June 30, 1	996					Year E	nding , 1998——
Orig. & <sup>(S)</sup> Supple– mental	Reapp. & (R)Recpts.	Transfers & (E)Emer– gencies	Total Available	Expended		Prog. Class.	1997 Adjusted Approp.	Requested	Recom- mended
					All Other Funds				
	1,422								
	1,133 <sup>R</sup>	124	2,679	966	Water Pollution Control	08	1,000	1,000	1,000
	2,555	124	2,679	966	Total All Other Funds		1,000	1,000	1,000
22,543	3,207	880	26,630	22,019	GRAND TOTAL		22,614	22,410	22,410

#### LANGUAGE RECOMMENDATIONS

The unexpended balance as of June 30,1997 in the Operation Clean Shores account is appropriated.

Receipts deposited into the Coastal Protection Trust Fund pursuant to P.L.1993, c.168 (C.39:3–27.47 et seq.) are appropriated in an amount not to exceed \$600,000 for the cleanup or maintenance of beaches or shores, an amount not to exceed \$200,000 for the cost of providing monitoring, surveillance and enforcement activities of the Cooperative Coastal Monitoring Program, an amount not to exceed \$50,000 for the implementation of the "New Jersey Adopt a Beach Act," P.L.1992, c.213 (C.13:19–22 et seq.), and an amount not to exceed \$150,000 for a program of grants for the construction of sewage pump—out devices for marine sanitation devices and portable toilet emptying receptacles at public and private marinas and boatyards in furtherance of the provisions of P.L.1988, c.117 (C.58:10A–56 et seq.). Receipts deposited to the Coastal Protection Trust Fund in excess of \$1,000,000 are appropriated to finance emergency shore protection projects and the cleanup of discharges into the ocean.

182,85	2 12,443	4,502	199,797	189,957	Total Appropriation, Department of			
					<b>Environmental Protection</b>	179,931	179,931	179,931

#### DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

The amounts hereinabove for the Safe Drinking Water Fund account are payable out of receipts, and receipts in excess of the amount anticipated, not to exceed \$1,246,000, are appropriated, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting. If receipts are less than anticipated, the appropriation shall be reduced proportionately.

The amounts hereinabove for the Tidelands Peak Demands account are appropriated from receipts derived from the sales, grants, leases, licensing, and rentals of State riparian lands, together with an amount not to exceed \$1.508,000, subject to the approval of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting. If receipts are less than anticipated, the appropriation shall be reduced proportionately.

Notwithstanding any other law, the Commissioner of the Department of Environmental Protection shall obtain concurrence from the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting before altering fee schedules or any other revenue—generating mechanism under the department's purview.

Notwithstanding the provisions of the "Environmental Fee Fund Accountability Act of 1991," P.L.1991, c.426 (C.52:27B–20.1 et seq.) and P.L.1991, c.427 (C.13:1D–9.1 et seq.), all revenues from fees and fines collected by the Department of Environmental Protection, unless otherwise dedicated herein, shall be deposited into the State General Fund without regard to their specific dedication.