

CHAPTER 257

AN ACT concerning the effective date of the Federal census of 2000 and supplementing chapter 4 of Title 52 of the Revised Statutes.

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

C.52:4-5 Effective date of Federal census of 2000.

1. Notwithstanding the provisions of any law to the contrary, the Federal census of 2000 shall become effective on January 1, 2002. This act shall not determine the effective date of the census for the purposes of reapportionment or redistricting following the promulgation of the 2000 Federal census, or for the purpose of the distribution of financial aid by the State to any of its political subdivisions.

2. This act shall take effect immediately.

Approved November 15, 2001.