

## CHAPTER 109

AN ACT concerning pedestrian bridges and supplementing Title 27 of the Revised Statutes.

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

C.27:23-3.4 Guarantee to NJTA for maintenance of bridge by county not required for approval for construction of pedestrian bridge.

1. Notwithstanding any law, rule, regulation, or order to the contrary, when determining whether to approve the construction of a pedestrian bridge which impacts New Jersey Turnpike Authority property, the New Jersey Turnpike Authority shall not require that a county guarantee to provide for the maintenance of the pedestrian bridge in the event that a municipality defaults on its obligation to maintain the pedestrian bridge, provided that the pedestrian bridge is to connect two points within the same municipality and the municipality has the ability to generate revenue from property taxes.

2. This act shall take effect immediately.

Approved July 13, 2017.