

**Senator John H. Adler** is a Democrat from Cherry Hill, New Jersey. He has served in the New Jersey Senate since 1992. From 1994-2001, Senator Adler served as Assistant Minority Leader. From 2002-2003, Senator Adler served as Democratic Conference Chair. Presently, Senator Adler chairs the Senate Judiciary Committee. Senator Adler received his bachelor's degree in government from Harvard College and earned his Doctorate of Jurisprudence from Harvard Law School. Senator Adler continues to practice law. Senator Adler, along with Senator Whelan, sponsored S 1926. In addition to chairing the Judiciary Committee, Senator Adler serves on the Senate's Environment Committee.

**Senator Jim Whelan** is a Democrat from Northfield, New Jersey. He has served in the New Jersey Senate since 2008. Previously, Senator Whelan served in the General Assembly from 2006-2007. From 1990-2001, Senator Whelan served as Mayor of Atlantic City, New Jersey. Senator Whelan, along with Senator Adler, sponsored S 1926. Senator Whelan chairs the Wagering, Tourism & Historic Preservation Committee. He additionally serves on the Education Committee, Health, Human Services and Senior Citizen Committee, and State Government Committee. Senator Whelan teaches at Martin Luther King School. He earned a B.A. in English Education and a Master's in Education from Temple University.