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**Governor Christie Whitman Today Signed the Following Legislation:**

**A-1184**, sponsored by Assembly Members Arnone (R-Monmouth) and Farragher (R-Monmouth), prohibits leaving animal unattended under inhumane conditions in a vehicle.

**A-1140**, sponsored by Assembly Members Russo (R-Bergen/Passaic) and Caraballo (D-Essex), enacts the Uniform Partnership Act (1996). This bill enacts the Revised Uniform Partnership Act (RUPA) that was developed by the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws and has been approved by the American Bar Association. RUPA restructures the fundamentals of partnership law to reflect modern business practices.

**A-1410**, sponsored by Assembly Member DeCroce (R-Essex/Morris/Passaic), establishes the "Tony Pompelio Scholarship Fund" for the children of crime victims to attend New Jersey public colleges.