Dollar Amount of Construction Authorized by Building Permits by Use Group, May 2005 Source: New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, 7/7/05

	Мау			January through May		
		Estimated	Square		Estimated	Square
Use Group	Permits	Construction Costs	Feet	Permits	Construction Costs	Feet
RESIDENTIAL	31,483	\$637,966,283	7,959,160	127,751	\$3,053,130,700	39,923,182
1 & 2 Family	30,084	562,627,117	6,998,958	120292	2,539,629,741	33,741,282
Multifamily	1,399	75,339,166	960,202	7459	513,500,959	6,181,900
NONRESIDENTIAL	9,194	\$491,483,036	3,795,949	35,004	\$2,187,107,221	14,695,326
Hotels, motels, guest houses	125	2,766,020	12,137	430	46,635,231	395,641
Assembly	595	62,576,006	315,994	2488	393,038,367	1,462,718
Business / Office	2,116	182,022,045	1,006,425	10617	720,790,124	3,530,402
Education	159	38,653,920	124,186	777	286,076,310	994,226
Hazardous uses	7	749,364	3,362	20	2,372,559	3,482
Industrial	57	6,319,018	10,584	320	33,754,606	96,551
Institutional	73	40,019,789	84,866	358	95,285,913	270,565
Retail	311	47,830,361	505,412	1699	220,713,591	2,426,679
Storage	180	54,405,593	1,430,567	885	159,534,308	4,226,266
Signs, fences, miscellaneous	5,571	56,140,920	302,416	17410	228,906,212	1,288,796
New Jersey	40,677	\$1,129,449,319	11,755,109	162,755	\$5,240,237,921	54,618,508