## **Dollar Amount of Construction Authorized by Building Permits by Use Group, May 2008** Source: New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, 7/7/08

	Мау			January through May		
		Estimated	Square		Estimated	Square
Use Group	Permits	Construction Costs	Feet	Permits	Construction Costs	Feet
RESIDENTIAL	25,705	\$455,655,625	3,751,717	121,843	\$2,558,013,987	21,733,203
1 & 2 Family	24,172	377,118,382	3,173,421	114,079	1,910,249,125	16,148,547
Multifamily	1,533	78,537,243	578,296	7,764	647,764,862	5,584,656
NONRESIDENTIAL	7,779	\$549,626,558	2,709,727	33,736	\$3,358,674,849	16,804,175
Hotels, motels, guest houses	148	10,218,806	110,979	500	159,305,016	2,023,700
Assembly	570	68,437,984	306,691	2,599	334,824,796	1,137,897
Business / Office	2,162	198,590,368	413,583	11,256	1,396,323,439	3,505,577
Education	119	33,689,608	118,051	676	393,574,921	1,395,037
Hazardous uses	7	2,744,500	5,407	52	14,816,038	70,193
Industrial	62	13,931,063	50,716	332	55,214,356	295,181
Institutional	98	46,184,957	255,279	418	240,901,564	704,058
Retail	368	100,768,489	632,897	2,086	396,383,818	3,707,786
Storage	181	34,446,814	513,245	964	180,357,835	2,640,639
Signs, fences, miscellaneous	4,064	40,613,969	302,879	14,853	186,973,066	1,324,107
New Jersey	33,484	\$1,005,282,183	6,461,444	155,579	\$5,916,688,836	38,537,378