New Jersey state bird: the American Goldfinch

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NEW JERSEY STATE BIRD

American Goldfinch

Spinus tristis

SINCE 1935

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FIVE QUICK FACTS

The bill: Senate No. 241, introduced January 29, 1935, by Senator Kuser, as the State Library prints it

The law: Chapter 283, Laws of 1935, approved June 27, 1935

Law today: N.J.S.A. 52:9A-1

State flower: Common meadow violet (1971 law)

State animal: Horse (1977)

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