## **Dollar Amount of Construction Authorized by Building Permits by Use Group, May 2011** Source: New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, 7/7/11

	May			January-May		
		Estimated	Square		Estimated	Square
Use Group	Permits	<b>Construction Costs</b>	Feet	Permits	<b>Construction Costs</b>	Feet
RESIDENTIAL	26,317	\$360,377,171	2,317,101	111,988	\$1,718,965,368	12,666,036
1 & 2 Family	24,545	318,330,953	1,992,208	104,129	1,403,274,137	9,966,119
Multifamily	1,772	42,046,218	324,893	7,859	315,691,231	2,699,917
NONRESIDENTIAL	7,880	\$515,088,776	1,085,267	30,182	2,613,145,113	6,493,092
Hotels, motels, guest houses	158	865,460	0	477	32,206,034	234,300
Assembly	629	37,631,591	156,602	2,455	273,275,519	748,664
Business / Office	2,409	233,661,610	273,435	11,158	1,313,837,694	2,251,690
Education	207	94,509,188	90,531	739	235,176,012	396,333
Hazardous uses	7	258,325	0	31	1,992,920	1,617
Industrial	70	8,606,673	168,101	284	31,600,530	195,225
Institutional	81	10,634,548	92	429	111,677,224	34,955
Retail	530	31,950,024	36,807	2,209	158,255,726	818,497
Storage	178	23,139,242	213,397	908	165,548,365	985,036
Signs, fences, miscellaneous	3,611	73,832,115	146,302	11,492	289,575,089	826,775
New Jersey	34,197	\$875,465,947	3,402,368	142,170	\$4,332,110,481	19,159,128