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Statement From Governor Chris Christie On The Passing Of Rae Sweeney

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Trenton, NJ – Governor Chris Christie today released the following statement on the passing of Senator Sweeney's mother Rae:

"It was with great sadness that I learned today from Senate President Steve Sweeney that his mom Rae passed away overnight. I know Steve comes from a close, tight-knit family and that this will be a painful time for them. But the solace of the memories of a loving mother will always be there, just as they have been for me since my mom passed. Mary Pat and I have Steve, his father and the rest of the Sweeney family in our thoughts and prayers."

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