

SENATE COMMUNITY AND URBAN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 2741

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

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The Senate Community and Urban Affairs Committee reports favorably Senate Bill No. 2741.

This bill would supersede any municipal ordinance that is interpreted as permitting the municipality to regulate the solicitation of snow shoveling services within 24 hours of a predicted snowstorm. The bill is in response to an incident in which two teenagers were warned by police that they might be violating the municipality's solicitation regulation ordinance by passing out fliers to homeowners, advertising their availability to shovel driveways the next morning, prior to a predicted snowstorm.