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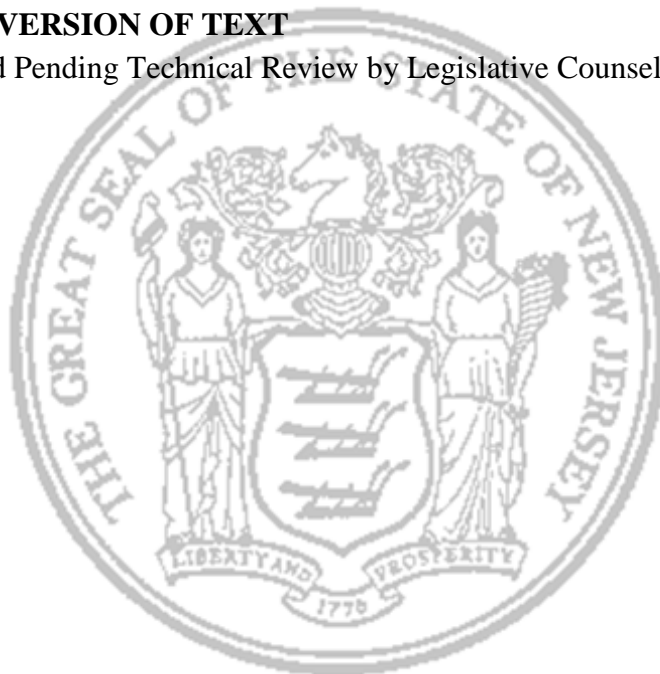
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SYNOPSIS

Requires hospitals and homeless shelters to provide information on services and resources to individuals who are homeless or military veterans.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

Introduced Pending Technical Review by Legislative Counsel.



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1 services and resources to certain individuals receiving services from
2 the hospital or shelter.

3 Specifically, hospitals licensed in the State will be required to
4 inquire, as part of the hospital's patient intake process, whether the
5 individual seeking services is homeless or is a military veteran. In
6 the event that the individual responds in the affirmative, the hospital
7 is to provide the individual with information concerning special
8 services and resources that are available to the individual based on
9 the individual's status as homeless or as a military veteran.

10 Emergency shelters for the homeless will be required to inquire,
11 as part of the client intake process, whether the individual who is to
12 receive services is a military veteran. If the event that the
13 individual responds in the affirmative, the shelter is to provide the
14 individual with information concerning special services and
15 resources that are available to the individual based on the
16 individual's status as a military veteran.

17 Hospitals and shelters will be required to establish standard
18 protocols and procedures for making inquiries and providing
19 information as required by the bill.

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