STATEMENT TO

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SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE, No. 2192

with Assembly Floor Amendments (Proposed By Assemblyman FELICE)

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These amendments delete the exemption for a small employer carrier that has given notice of its intent to withdraw from the small employer health benefits market, from the prohibition to write new business in that market for five years after that withdrawal.

The amendments make the substitute identical to Assembly, No. 3115.