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P.L. 2007, CHAPTER 242, *approved January 3, 2008*
Assembly, No. 3977 (*First Reprint*)

1 AN ACT concerning certain public utility employees and
2 supplementing chapter 3 of Title 39 of the Revised Statutes ¹and
3 amending R.S.39:3-50¹.
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5 **BE IT ENACTED** by the Senate and General Assembly of the State
6 of New Jersey:
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8 1. An authorized ¹**[representative]** employee¹ of a public utility
9 company who, as part of the ¹**[assigned]** official¹ duties of a public
10 utility employee, is required to use a motor vehicle owned or leased
11 by him or a member of his family in the performance of his duties
12 may ¹apply for and be issued a permit by the chief administrator
13 authorizing the¹ display on that motor vehicle ¹of¹ an amber
14 warning light that is provided by the public utility company. ¹The
15 permit for the amber warning light shall be in the possession of the
16 public utility employee while the light is displayed on the motor
17 vehicle. The chief administrator may cancel, suspend, or revoke a
18 permit issued pursuant to this act whenever the conditions for its
19 issuance no longer exist or for any other reasonable grounds. The
20 chief administrator shall collect a \$25 fee for the initial issuance
21 and for each subsequent renewal of the permit for each vehicle for
22 which the applicant seeks authorization to use an amber warning
23 light. The fees collected pursuant to this section shall be considered
24 revenue of the commission and shall not be subject to the
25 calculation of proportional revenue remitted to the commission
26 pursuant to section 105 of P.L.2003, c.13 (C.39:2A-36).¹

27 The amber warning light may be operated ¹for the protection of
28 the public and the public utility employee¹ only while the motor
29 vehicle is being used ¹on a public highway¹ by the authorized
30 public utility employee ¹**[on the way to an emergency situation or]**¹
31 in the performance of ¹his¹ official duties ¹**[when traffic safety so**
32 **requires]** as a public utility employee¹.

33 The amber warning lights authorized under the provisions of this
34 act shall be temporarily attached, removable lights of the flashing or
35 revolving type, not more than 7 1/2 inches in diameter, and shall be
36 controlled by a switch installed inside the vehicle.

37 While in operation, the amber warning light shall be
38 conspicuously displayed on the roof of the motor vehicle.

EXPLANATION – Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets **[thus]** in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

Matter underlined thus is new matter.

Matter enclosed in superscript numerals has been adopted as follows:

¹Assembly ALP committee amendments adopted May 10, 2007.

1 Nothing herein shall be construed to grant any person displaying
2 and operating an amber warning light pursuant to the provisions of
3 this act any privileges or exemptions denied to the drivers of other
4 motor vehicles and all such persons shall drive with due regard for
5 the safety of all persons and shall obey the traffic laws of this State.
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7 2. '[An] Notwithstanding the provisions of section 2 of
8 P.L.1968, c.439 (C.39:3-8.1), an' authorized '[representative]
9 employee' of a public utility company who, as part of the
10 '[assigned] official' duties of a public utility employee, is required
11 to use a motor vehicle owned or leased by him or a member of his
12 family in the performance of his duties may '[after registering with
13 the commission]' affix on that motor vehicle a magnetic sign,
14 provided by the public utility company, that displays the corporate
15 logo of the public utility company. 'The sign shall be placed on the
16 exterior of the front driver's side door of the motor vehicle.'

17 The '[logo shall only] sign may only' be displayed while the
18 motor vehicle is 'being' used 'on a public highway' by the
19 authorized '[representative] public utility employee' in the
20 performance of 'his' official duties 'as a public employee, and shall
21 be removed from the motor vehicle when the vehicle is not being
22 used in the performance of these duties'.

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24 3. Any person authorized to display 'an' amber '[emergency]'
25 warning '[lights] light' or a '[corporate logo] magnetic sign'
26 pursuant to this act, who '[intentionally] willfully' uses the
27 '[lights] light' or '[logo] displays the sign' in violation of the
28 provisions of this act, shall be liable to a penalty of not more than
29 '[\$50.00] \$100' and his '[privilege] permit' to display the
30 '[lights] light' may be 'cancelled,' suspended', or revoked by the
31 '[Chief Administrator of the Motor Vehicle Commission] chief
32 administrator'.

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34 4. The '[Chief Administrator of the Motor Vehicle Commission]
35 chief administrator', in accordance with the provisions of the
36 "Administrative Procedure Act," P.L.1968, c.410 (C.52:14B-1 et
37 seq.), shall promulgate rules and regulations to effectuate the
38 purposes of this act.
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40 5. R.S.39:3-50 is amended to read as follows:

41 39:3-50. All lamps and reflectors, which display a light visible
42 from directly in front of a vehicle as authorized by this subtitle,
43 shall exhibit lights substantially white, yellow or amber in color.

44 (a) The color of light emitted or reflected by exterior lamps or
45 reflectors on a vehicle shall be as follows, except as otherwise
46 provided in paragraph (b), (c) and (d) of this section:

1 White when the lamp is a headlamp, or spot lamp, or illuminates
2 a license plate or a destination sign; or is located on the outside
3 limit of a side car or other attachment on a motor cycle;

4 Substantially white or amber when the lamp is a side-cowl or
5 fender lamp, running-board or other courtesy lamp, front parking
6 lamp, back-up lamp, auxiliary driving lamp; or a turn signal on or
7 facing the front;

8 Substantially red or amber when the lamp is a turn signal or a
9 stop lamp on or facing the rear;

10 Red when any other lamp or any reflector is on the rear or on
11 either side at or near the rear, except as otherwise provided in
12 paragraph (f) of section 39:3-61 for a combination marker lamp;

13 Amber when any other lamp or reflector is on the front or on
14 either side other than at or near the rear.

15 (b) Lamps and reflectors on projecting loads shall emit or reflect
16 light with color as provided in section 10 of this act.

17 (c) No person shall drive or move any vehicle or equipment upon
18 any street or highway equipped with any device or lamp thereon
19 capable of or displaying a light of any other color than permitted by
20 this section, except: an authorized emergency vehicle, an
21 authorized school bus, or a vehicle authorized by a permit issued by
22 the **[director]** chief administrator.

23 (d) A permit authorizing a vehicle to be equipped with a lamp
24 capable of or displaying a flashing light, except as provided in 39:3-
25 54 or a light of a color other than permitted by this section, visible
26 from directly in front of said vehicle, may be issued by the director
27 when necessary, in his discretion, for the reasonable and safe
28 movement of traffic. The permit shall specify the type and color of
29 such lamp and the conditions under which a person may drive or
30 move the vehicle with said lamp displaying a light. The permit
31 shall be valid only when the specifications and conditions contained
32 therein are complied with. The chief administrator shall collect a
33 \$25 fee for the initial issuance and for each subsequent renewal of
34 the permit for each vehicle for which the applicant seeks to use such
35 a light, provided, however, that no fee shall be charged for a permit
36 authorizing the use of a light that is red or blue. The fee set forth in
37 this section shall not apply to a motor vehicle registered at no fee
38 pursuant to R.S.39:3-27. The fees collected pursuant to this section
39 shall be considered revenue of the commission and shall not be
40 subject to the calculation of proportional revenue remitted to the
41 commission pursuant to section 105 of P.L.2003, c.13 (C.39:2A-
42 36).

43 The director may cancel or revoke a permit issued under
44 authority of this section whenever the conditions for its issuance no
45 longer exist or on any other reasonable grounds.¹

46 (cf: P.L.1964, c.136, s.3)

1 ~~'[5.] 6.'~~ This act shall take effect ~~'[immediately]~~ on the first
2 day of the thirteenth month after enactment'.

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7 Authorizes use of logo and warning light for certain public
8 utilities employees.

ASSEMBLY, No. 3977

STATE OF NEW JERSEY 212th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED FEBRUARY 8, 2007

Sponsored by:

Assemblyman FREDERICK SCALERA

District 36 (Bergen, Essex and Passaic)

Assemblyman THOMAS P. GIBLIN

District 34 (Essex and Passaic)

Assemblyman PATRICK J. DIEGNAN, JR.

District 18 (Middlesex)

Co-Sponsored by:

Assemblyman Connors

SYNOPSIS

Authorizes use of logo and warning light for certain public utilities employees.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As introduced.



1 AN ACT concerning certain public utility employees and
2 supplementing chapter 3 of Title 39 of the Revised Statutes.

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4 **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
5 *of New Jersey:*

6

7 1. An authorized representative of a public utility company who,
8 as part of the assigned duties of a public utility employee, is
9 required to use a motor vehicle owned or leased by him or a
10 member of his family in the performance of his duties may display
11 on that motor vehicle an amber warning light that is provided by the
12 public utility company.

13 The amber warning light may be operated only while the motor
14 vehicle is being used by the authorized public utility employee on
15 the way to an emergency situation or in the performance of official
16 duties when traffic safety so requires.

17 The amber warning lights authorized under the provisions of this
18 act shall be temporarily attached, removable lights of the flashing or
19 revolving type, not more than 7 1/2 inches in diameter, and shall be
20 controlled by a switch installed inside the vehicle.

21 While in operation, the amber warning light shall be
22 conspicuously displayed on the roof of the motor vehicle.

23 Nothing herein shall be construed to grant any person displaying
24 and operating an amber warning light pursuant to the provisions of
25 this act any privileges or exemptions denied to the drivers of other
26 motor vehicles and all such persons shall drive with due regard for
27 the safety of all persons and shall obey the traffic laws of this State.

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29 2. An authorized representative of a public utility company who,
30 as part of the assigned duties of a public utility employee, is
31 required to use a motor vehicle owned or leased by him or a
32 member of his family in the performance of his duties may after
33 registering with the commission affix on that motor vehicle a
34 magnetic sign, provided by the public utility company, that displays
35 the corporate logo of the public utility company.

36 The logo shall only be displayed while the motor vehicle is used
37 by the authorized representative in the performance of official
38 duties.

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40 3. Any person authorized to display amber emergency warning
41 lights or a corporate logo pursuant to this act, who intentionally
42 uses the lights or logo in violation of the provisions of this act, shall
43 be liable to a penalty of not more than \$50.00 and his privilege to
44 display the lights may be suspended or revoked by the Chief
45 Administrator of the Motor Vehicle Commission.

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47 4. The Chief Administrator of the Motor Vehicle Commission,
48 in accordance with the provisions of the "Administrative Procedure

1 Act," P.L.1968, c.410 (C.52:14B-1 et seq.), shall promulgate rules
2 and regulations to effectuate the purposes of this act.

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4 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

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STATEMENT

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9 This bill would permit an authorized public utility employee who
10 uses a private car to display an amber emergency warning light and
11 a corporate logo.

12 Under the provisions of this bill, an authorized public utility
13 employees would be permitted to display an amber emergency
14 warning light when traveling to an emergency situation or if in the
15 performance of official duties, traffic safety so requires. The bill
16 specifies that this provision does not provide the employee any
17 privileges or exemptions denied to the drivers of other motor
18 vehicles.

19 Further, the bill permits an authorized public utility employee
20 who uses a private car to display the public utility company's
21 corporate logo on the side of the vehicle, provided the vehicle is
22 being used by the authorized representative in the performance of
23 official duties.

24 Under the provisions of this bill, a person who intentionally uses
25 the lights or logo in violation of the provisions of this act is subject
26 to a penalty of not more than \$50.00 and his privilege to display the
27 lights may be suspended or revoked by the Chief Administrator of
28 the Motor Vehicle Commission.

ASSEMBLY LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

ASSEMBLY, No. 3977

with committee amendments

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: MAY 10, 2007

The Assembly Law and Public Safety Committee reports favorably and with committee amendments Assembly Bill No. 3977.

As amended, Assembly Bill No. 3977 permits an authorized public utility employee who uses a private car to apply for and be issued a permit to display an amber warning light.

Under the provisions of this bill, an authorized public utility employee who is issued a permit is able to display an amber warning light for the protection of the public and the employee while the motor vehicle is being used on a public highway. The bill specifies that this provision does not provide the employee any privileges or exemptions denied to the drivers of other motor vehicles.

Further, the bill permits an authorized public utility employee who uses a private car to display a magnetic sign that displays the corporate logo of the public utility company. The sign is to be placed on the exterior front driver's side of the door of the motor vehicle, provided the vehicle is being used by the employee in the performance of his official duties.

A person who intentionally misuses the light or magnetic sign in violation of the law is subject to a penalty of not more than \$100 and his permit to display the lights may be suspended or revoked by the Chief Administrator of the Motor Vehicle Commission.

Finally, the bill would amend current law to allow the chief administrator to collect a \$25 fee for the initial issuance and renewals of a permit to use an amber warning light. This fee would extend to all vehicles permitted to have an amber warning light, such as private investigators, towing companies and construction companies. The fee would not extend to motor vehicles that are currently exempted from registration fees, such as vehicles owned by the State or a municipality.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

The committee amended the bill to:

(1) require that the authorized public employee apply for a permit to use an amber warning light;

(2) allow the chief administrator to cancel, suspend, or revoke the permit whenever the conditions for the permit's issuance no longer exists or for any good cause;

(3) allow the authorized public employee to use the light only for the protection of himself and others on a public highway;

(4) specify that the magnetic sign be placed on the exterior of the front driver's side door of the motor vehicle;

(5) change the penalty for misuse of the amber warning light and sign from \$50 to \$100;

(6) allow the chief administrator to collect a \$25 fee for the initial issuance and for every subsequent renewal of all permits to use an amber warning light; and

(7) revise the effective date.

SENATE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

[First Reprint]

ASSEMBLY, No. 3977

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: DECEMBER 3, 2007

The Senate Transportation Committee reports favorably Assembly Bill No. 3977 (1R).

This bill permits an authorized public utility employee who uses a private car to apply for and be issued a permit to display an amber warning light.

Under the provisions of this bill, an authorized public utility employee who is issued a permit is able to display an amber warning light for the protection of the public and the employee only while the motor vehicle is being used on a public highway. The bill specifies that this provision does not provide the employee any privileges or exemptions denied to the drivers of other motor vehicles.

Further, the bill permits an authorized public utility employee who uses a private car to display a magnetic sign that displays the corporate logo of the public utility company. The sign is to be placed on the exterior front driver's side of the door of the motor vehicle, provided the vehicle is being used by the employee in the performance of his official duties.

A person who willfully misuses the light or magnetic sign in violation of the law is subject to a penalty of not more than \$100 and his permit to display the light may be suspended or revoked by the Chief Administrator of the Motor Vehicle Commission.

Finally, the bill would amend current law to allow the chief administrator to collect a \$25 fee for the initial issuance and renewals of a permit to use an amber warning light. This fee would extend to all vehicles permitted to have an amber warning light, such as private investigators, towing companies and construction companies. The fee would not extend to motor vehicles that are currently exempted from registration fees, such as vehicles owned by the State or a municipality.

The provisions of this bill are identical to those of Senate Bill No. 2739, which the committee also reports this day.

SENATE, No. 2739

STATE OF NEW JERSEY 212th LEGISLATURE

INTRODUCED MAY 24, 2007

Sponsored by:

Senator PAUL A. SARLO

District 36 (Bergen, Essex and Passaic)

Senator GERALD CARDINALE

District 39 (Bergen)

SYNOPSIS

Authorizes use of logo and warning light for certain public utilities employees.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As introduced.



(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 12/18/2007)

1 AN ACT concerning certain public utility employees and
2 supplementing chapter 3 of Title 39 of the Revised Statutes and
3 amending R.S.39:3-50.

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5 **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
6 *of New Jersey:*

7
8 1. An authorized employee of a public utility company who, as
9 part of the official duties of a public utility employee, is required to
10 use a motor vehicle owned or leased by him or a member of his
11 family in the performance of his duties may apply for and be issued
12 a permit by the chief administrator authorizing the display on that
13 motor vehicle of an amber warning light that is provided by the
14 public utility company. The permit for the amber warning light shall
15 be in the possession of the public utility employee while the light is
16 displayed on the motor vehicle. The chief administrator may
17 cancel, suspend, or revoke a permit issued pursuant to this act
18 whenever the conditions for its issuance no longer exist or for any
19 other reasonable grounds. The chief administrator shall collect a
20 \$25 fee for the initial issuance and for each subsequent renewal of
21 the permit for each vehicle for which the applicant seeks
22 authorization to use an amber warning light. The fees collected
23 pursuant to this section shall be considered revenue of the
24 commission and shall not be subject to the calculation of
25 proportional revenue remitted to the commission pursuant to section
26 105 of P.L.2003, c.13 (C.39:2A-36).

27 The amber warning light may be operated for the protection of
28 the public and the public utility employee only while the motor
29 vehicle is being used on a public highway by the authorized public
30 utility employee in the performance of his official duties as a public
31 utility employee.

32 The amber warning lights authorized under the provisions of this
33 act shall be temporarily attached, removable lights of the flashing or
34 revolving type, not more than 7 1/2 inches in diameter, and shall be
35 controlled by a switch installed inside the vehicle.

36 While in operation, the amber warning light shall be
37 conspicuously displayed on the roof of the motor vehicle.

38 Nothing herein shall be construed to grant any person displaying
39 and operating an amber warning light pursuant to the provisions of
40 this act any privileges or exemptions denied to the drivers of other
41 motor vehicles and all such persons shall drive with due regard for
42 the safety of all persons and shall obey the traffic laws of this State.

43
44 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 2 of P.L.1968,
45 c.439 (C.39:3-8.1), an authorized employee of a public utility

EXPLANATION – Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

Matter underlined thus is new matter.

1 company who, as part of the official duties of a public utility
2 employee, is required to use a motor vehicle owned or leased by
3 him or a member of his family in the performance of his duties may
4 affix on that motor vehicle a magnetic sign, provided by the public
5 utility company, that displays the corporate logo of the public utility
6 company. The sign shall be placed on the exterior of the front
7 driver's side door of the motor vehicle.

8 The sign may only be displayed while the motor vehicle is being
9 used on a public highway by the authorized public utility employee
10 in the performance of his official duties as a public employee, and
11 shall be removed from the motor vehicle when the vehicle is not
12 being used in the performance of these duties.

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14 3. Any person authorized to display an amber warning light or a
15 magnetic sign pursuant to this act, who willfully uses the light or
16 displays the sign in violation of the provisions of this act, shall be
17 liable to a penalty of not more than \$100 and his permit to display
18 the light may be cancelled, suspended, or revoked by the chief
19 administrator.

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21 4. The chief administrator, in accordance with the provisions of
22 the "Administrative Procedure Act," P.L.1968, c.410 (C.52:14B-1 et
23 seq.), shall promulgate rules and regulations to effectuate the
24 purposes of this act.

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26 5. R.S.39:3-50 is amended to read as follows:

27 39:3-50. All lamps and reflectors, which display a light visible
28 from directly in front of a vehicle as authorized by this subtitle,
29 shall exhibit lights substantially white, yellow or amber in color.

30 (a) The color of light emitted or reflected by exterior lamps or
31 reflectors on a vehicle shall be as follows, except as otherwise
32 provided in paragraph (b), (c) and (d) of this section:

33 White when the lamp is a headlamp, or spot lamp, or illuminates
34 a license plate or a destination sign; or is located on the outside
35 limit of a side car or other attachment on a motor cycle;

36 Substantially white or amber when the lamp is a side-cowl or
37 fender lamp, running-board or other courtesy lamp, front parking
38 lamp, back-up lamp, auxiliary driving lamp; or a turn signal on or
39 facing the front;

40 Substantially red or amber when the lamp is a turn signal or a
41 stop lamp on or facing the rear;

42 Red when any other lamp or any reflector is on the rear or on
43 either side at or near the rear, except as otherwise provided in
44 paragraph (f) of section 39:3-61 for a combination marker lamp;

45 Amber when any other lamp or reflector is on the front or on
46 either side other than at or near the rear.

47 (b) Lamps and reflectors on projecting loads shall emit or reflect
48 light with color as provided in section 10 of this act.

1 (c) No person shall drive or move any vehicle or equipment upon
2 any street or highway equipped with any device or lamp thereon
3 capable of or displaying a light of any other color than permitted by
4 this section, except: an authorized emergency vehicle, an authorized
5 school bus, or a vehicle authorized by a permit issued by the chief
6 administrator.

7 (d) A permit authorizing a vehicle to be equipped with a lamp
8 capable of or displaying a flashing light, except as provided in 39:3-
9 54 or a light of a color other than permitted by this section, visible
10 from directly in front of said vehicle, may be issued by the director
11 when necessary, in his discretion, for the reasonable and safe
12 movement of traffic. The permit shall specify the type and color of
13 such lamp and the conditions under which a person may drive or
14 move the vehicle with said lamp displaying a light. The permit
15 shall be valid only when the specifications and conditions contained
16 therein are complied with. The chief administrator shall collect a
17 \$25 fee for the initial issuance and for each subsequent renewal of
18 the permit for each vehicle for which the applicant seeks to use such
19 a light, provided, however, that no fee shall be charged for a permit
20 authorizing the use of a light that is red or blue. The fee set forth in
21 this section shall not apply to a motor vehicle registered at no fee
22 pursuant to R.S.39:3-27. The fees collected pursuant to this section
23 shall be considered revenue of the commission and shall not be
24 subject to the calculation of proportional revenue remitted to the
25 commission pursuant to section 105 of P.L.2003, c.13 (C.39:2A-
26 36).

27 The director may cancel or revoke a permit issued under
28 authority of this section whenever the conditions for its issuance no
29 longer exist or on any other reasonable grounds.

30 (cf: P.L.1964, c.136, s.3)

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32 6. This act shall take effect on the first day of the thirteenth
33 month after enactment.

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STATEMENT

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38 This bill permits an authorized public utility employee who uses
39 a private car to apply for and be issued a permit to display an amber
40 warning light.

41 Under the provisions of this bill, an authorized public utility
42 employee who is issued a permit is able to display an amber
43 warning light for the protection of the public and the employee
44 while the motor vehicle is being used on a public highway. The bill
45 specifies that this provision does not provide the employee any
46 privileges or exemptions denied to the drivers of other motor
47 vehicles.

1 Further, the bill permits an authorized public utility employee
2 who uses a private car to display a magnetic sign that displays the
3 corporate logo of the public utility company. The sign is to be
4 placed on the exterior front driver's side of the door of the motor
5 vehicle, provided the vehicle is being used by the employee in the
6 performance of his official duties.

7 A person who intentionally misuses the light or magnetic sign in
8 violation of the law is subject to a penalty of not more than \$100
9 and his permit to display the lights may be suspended or revoked by
10 the Chief Administrator of the Motor Vehicle Commission.

11 Finally, the bill would amend current law to allow the chief
12 administrator to collect a \$25 fee for the initial issuance and
13 renewals of a permit to use an amber warning light. This fee would
14 extend to all vehicles permitted to have an amber warning light,
15 such as private investigators, towing companies and construction
16 companies. The fee would not extend to motor vehicles that are
17 currently exempted from registration fees, such as vehicles owned
18 by the State or a municipality.

SENATE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

SENATE, No. 2739

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: DECEMBER 3, 2007

The Senate Transportation Committee reports favorably Senate Bill No. 2739.

This bill permits an authorized public utility employee who uses a private car to apply for and be issued a permit to display an amber warning light.

Under the provisions of this bill, an authorized public utility employee who is issued a permit is able to display an amber warning light for the protection of the public and the employee only while the motor vehicle is being used on a public highway. The bill specifies that this provision does not provide the employee any privileges or exemptions denied to the drivers of other motor vehicles.

Further, the bill permits an authorized public utility employee who uses a private car to display a magnetic sign that displays the corporate logo of the public utility company. The sign is to be placed on the exterior front driver's side of the door of the motor vehicle, provided the vehicle is being used by the employee in the performance of his official duties.

A person who willfully misuses the light or magnetic sign in violation of the law is subject to a penalty of not more than \$100 and his permit to display the light may be suspended or revoked by the Chief Administrator of the Motor Vehicle Commission.

Finally, the bill would amend current law to allow the chief administrator to collect a \$25 fee for the initial issuance and renewals of a permit to use an amber warning light. This fee would extend to all vehicles permitted to have an amber warning light, such as private investigators, towing companies and construction companies. The fee would not extend to motor vehicles that are currently exempted from registration fees, such as vehicles owned by the State or a municipality.

The provisions of this bill are identical to those of Assembly Bill No. 3977(1R), which the committee also reports this day.