

STATEMENT TO

[First Reprint]

Senate, No. 3374

with Senate Floor Amendmentss
(Proposed by Senator LAGANA)

ADOPTED:

These floor amendments provide that a towing company and garage keeper would be required to only require reasonable fees to be paid by the operator, owner, lessor, or lienholder of a vehicle for the non-consensual towing or related storage services, instead of permitting these fees to be imposed. The amendments also require notice to be provided to the operator, owner, lessor, and lienholder of a vehicle, rather than to the operator, owner, lessor, or lienholder, when the vehicle has been subject to non-consensual towing as provided in the bill.

The amendments remove provisions of the bill that require lessors and lienholders of motor vehicles that reclaim possession of a towed and stored motor vehicle that has been impounded for certain reasons from paying certain costs, fines and penalties related to the removal and storage of the motor vehicle.

The amendments also amend the bill's title to reflect certain changes made to the bill and update the bill's synopsis.