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BY: Economic Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 261

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 4, after "terminate" insert ", because of nonpayment,"; in line 6, after the first "service" insert "<u>if the property owner or property manager has enrolled in a certain notification program</u>"; in line 7, after "circumstances;" insert "<u>requiring a certain property owner or property manager to obtain certain consent from a customer in order to enroll in a certain termination program;</u>"; and in line 8, strike "requiring" and substitute "<u>authorizing</u>".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, in line 19, strike "SUBJECT TO SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, IF A" and substitute "A"; and in line 20, strike "IS GOING TO TERMINATE" and substitute "THAT TERMINATES, BECAUSE OF NONPAYMENT,"; in line 21, strike ", THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY"; and in line 23, after "CUSTOMER" insert "IF THE PROPERTY OWNER OR PROPERTY MANAGER HAS ENROLLED IN A THIRD-PARTY TERMINATION NOTIFICATION PROGRAM".

On page 2, strike beginning with "ENROLLS" in line 3 down through "ADOPTS" in line 4 and substitute ":

- (1) NOTIFIES THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF THE PROPERTY
 OWNER'S OR PROPERTY MANAGER'S ENROLLMENT IN A THIRD-PARTY
 NOTIFICATION PROGRAM; AND
- (2) PROVIDES DOCUMENTATION THAT THE PROPERTY OWNER OR PROPERTY MANAGER OBTAINED THE CUSTOMER'S WRITTEN CONSENT

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AUTHORIZING THE PROPERTY OWNER OR PROPERTY MANAGER TO RECEIVE THE CUSTOMER'S NOTICE OF TERMINATION";

in line 5, after "(C)" insert "IN ORDER FOR A PROPERTY OWNER OR PROPERTY MANAGER TO ENROLL IN A THIRD-PARTY NOTIFICATION PROGRAM, THE PROPERTY OWNER OR PROPERTY MANAGER SHALL OBTAIN THE CUSTOMER'S WRITTEN CONSENT AUTHORIZING THE PROPERTY OWNER OR PROPERTY MANAGER TO RECEIVE THE CUSTOMER'S NOTICE OF TERMINATION FROM THE THIRD-PARTY NOTIFICATION PROGRAM.

<u>(D)</u>";

in line 7, strike "(D)" and substitute "(E)"; and in the same line, strike "SHALL" and substitute "MAY".