

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 761

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Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:

SEN. LOONEY, 11th Dist. SEN. CASSANO, 4th Dist. SEN. LESSER, 9th Dist. SEN. MOORE, 22nd Dist. SEN. BRADLEY, 23rd Dist. SEN. KUSHNER, 24th Dist. SEN. HASKELL, 26th Dist. SEN. LEONE, 27th Dist. SEN. FLEXER, 29th Dist.

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A PRIVATE RIGHT OF ACTION AGAINST AN EMPLOYER WHO FAILS TO PROVIDE HONEST RECOMMENDATIONS WHEN ASKED TO PROVIDE A REFERENCE FOR A JOB APPLICANT.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to create a private right of
- 2 action against an individual who provides a reference to a potential
- 3 employer and knowingly fails to disclose or falsifies information
- 4 concerning acts of sexual harassment or assault committed by the
- 5 employee.

Statement of Purpose:

To ensure that an individual who provides a reference for an employee does not intentionally conceal information concerning acts of sexual harassment or assault committed by the employee.

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