ASSEMBLY JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

ASSEMBLY, No. 3821

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: JUNE 9, 2022

The Assembly Judiciary Committee reports favorably Assembly Bill No. 3821.

This bill changes the requirements of the placement of early voting locations and ballot drop boxes in this State.

The requirements in this bill are intended to make voting more accessible to certain residents in New Jersey. At least 50 percent of the early voting centers and ballot drop boxes in a county are to be located in municipalities that have the lowest voter turnout percentages in that county. At least 50 percent of the early voting locations and ballot drop boxes are also to be placed in locations that are accessible by public transportation.