

**SENATE BILL 338
PRINTER'S NO. 315**

**Amendment A05338
SPONSOR: Sen. Gordner**

The amendment replaces the language of the bill.

Senate Bill 338:

Establishes the National Human Trafficking Resource Center Hotline Act and imposes duties on Prothonotaries.

Amendment A05338:

Establishes the National Human Trafficking Resource Center Hotline Act.

Senate Bill 338:

Requires certain establishments to post a sign no smaller than 8 ½ by 11 inches, containing the National Human Trafficking Resource Center Hotline.

Specifies information to be included on the sign.

Requires additional posting by certain establishments.

Requires the sign to be posted in English and Spanish.

Requires certain fonts.

Requires the authority responsible for licensing the establishment as well as the Department to provide the sign on its Internet website for use of the establishments to print as needed.

Provides for civil penalties of no more than \$500 for noncompliance.

Provides for liens to be filed in the office of the Prothonotary for non-payment of fines.

Amendment A05338:

Requires defined establishments to post a sign containing the National Human Trafficking Resource Center Hotline. Allows any other business or establishment to voluntarily post a sign.

Defined establishments include: massage parlors, holders of liquor licenses, adult entertainment establishments, hotels and motels found to be a drug-related nuisance, mass transportation stations and Department of Transportation rest areas or welcome centers and full time, commercial truck stops.

Establishments shall post at least one sign in a conspicuous manner clearly visible to the public and employees of the establishment.

The sign shall be no smaller than 8 ½ by 11 inches. The Department may consult with human trafficking victim advocates to determine other information to be posted on the sign. The Department shall design the sign to draw attention to the National Human Trafficking Resource Center Hotline. The sign shall be posted in English and in Spanish.

The authorities responsible for licensing the establishments shall provide notice of the law. The Department shall provide the sign on its Internet website for use of the establishments to print.

Provides for civil penalties of no more than \$500 for non-compliance.

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