HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL 276

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AN ACT

RELATING TO CRIME; CREATING THE CRIME OF TARGETED RESIDENTIAL PICKETING.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

- SECTION 1. A new section of the Criminal Code is enacted to read:
 - "[NEW MATERIAL] TARGETED RESIDENTIAL PICKETING.--
 - A. Targeted residential picketing consists of
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picketing that is specifically directed or focused toward a residence of a person Hfll→and takes place within one hundred feet of the property line of that person's residence←Hfll .

- B. Whoever commits targeted residential picketing is guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be sentenced pursuant to the provisions of Section 31-19-1 NMSA 1978.
- C. As used in this section Hfll→,←Hfll
 Hfll→:←Hfll

Hf11→(1)←Hf11 "picketing" means a person's presence Hf11→intended to apprise←Hf11 Hf11→that

apprises←Hf11 the targeted individual or targeted household, vocally or by standing or marching with a sign, banner, sound amplification device or other means, of an opinion or message Hf11→.←Hf11 Hf11→; and←Hf11

Hf1l→(2) "residence" means a single-family or multifamily dwelling unit that is not being used as a place of public meeting.←Hf1l

D. Nothing in this section shall be construed to limit the penalties for targeted residential picketing pursuant to the provisions of the Demonstrations at Funerals and Memorial Services Act."

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