

ASSEMBLY STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT
COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 136

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: DECEMBER 14, 2023

The Assembly State and Local Government Committee reports favorably Assembly Concurrent Resolution No.136.

This concurrent resolution recognizes and honors the contributions of the Malayalee people in the State of New Jersey.

The Malayalee people are identified as native speakers of the Malayalam language, which is classified as part of the Dravidian family of languages. A large number of Malayalee people have emigrated to the United States and, according to federal data, there were 644,097 people with Malayalee heritage in the United States with the highest concentration in Bergen County, New Jersey.

As reported by the committee, this concurrent resolution is identical to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 108, which also was reported by the committee on this same date.