

Senate Bill 384

By: Senators Ramsey, Sr. of the 43rd, Wilkinson of the 50th, Henson of the 41st, Stoner of the 6th and Carter of the 42nd

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 12-8-40.2, relating to yard trimmings disposal regulations, so as to
2 provide that commercial lawn and landscape companies shall not deposit grass trimmings,
3 leaves, or other debris in any public street within 50 meters of a storm drain; to provide for
4 a penalty; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 style="text-align:center">**SECTION 1.**

7 Code Section 12-8-40.2, relating to yard trimmings disposal regulations, is amended by
8 adding a new subsection to read as follows:

9 "(d) No commercial lawn or landscape service shall rake, blow, or otherwise deposit grass
10 trimmings, leaves, or other debris in a public road, street, or right of way within 50 meters
11 of a storm sewer opening. Any person who violates the provisions of this subsection shall
12 be guilty of a misdemeanor."

13 style="text-align:center">**SECTION 2.**

14 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.