

**RESOLUTION #2003-8**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF  
UPPER SOUTHAMPTON, COUNTY OF BUCKS, COMMONWEALTH OF PA  
OPPOSING HOUSE BILL 298 AND SENATE BILL 321, KNOWN AS  
GOVERNMENT COMPETITION AGAINST PRIVATE ENTERPRISE ACT.**

**WHEREAS**, House Bill 298 and Senate Bill 321, known as the "Government Competition Against Private Enterprise Act", which has been recently introduced into the PA legislation; and

**WHEREAS**, this legislation prohibits local governments from competing against private enterprise; and

**WHEREAS**, this legislation will prevent local governments from providing needed services at the lowest cost to the taxpayers; and

**WHEREAS**, this legislation would impede local governments ability to perform their government functions and mandated responsibilities; and

**WHEREAS**, this legislation would prohibit local governments from funding, capitalizing or subsidizing public libraries, fire companies, and recreational programs, and other government activities;

**NOW THEREFORE**, be it resolved that the Board of Supervisors of Upper Southampton Township adamantly oppose House Bill 298 and Senate Bill 321 and encourage its State and Local Representatives to vote against these bills.

**RESOLVED** this 3rd day of June 2003.

**UPPER SOUTHAMPTON TOWNSHIP  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

  
Lola Biuckians, Chairman

  
Walter C. Stevens, Secretary/Treasurer