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Introduced by Sens. MARTINS, FUSCHILLO, SKELOS, STAVISKY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Transportation -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee -- recommitted to the Committee on Transportation in accordance with Senate Rule 6, sec. 8 -- reported favorably from said committee and committed to the Committee on Finance -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the public authorities law, in relation to one-way or round trip tickets purchased for use on the Long Island Rail Road

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1     Section 1. The public authorities law is amended by adding a new  
2     section 1266-j to read as follows:  
3     S 1266-J. LONG ISLAND RAIL ROAD; REIMBURSEMENT. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY  
4     OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, ANY ONE-WAY OR ROUND TRIP TICKET PURCHASED FOR  
5     USE ON THE LONG ISLAND RAIL ROAD SHALL BE VALID FOR ONE YEAR FROM THE  
6     DATE OF PURCHASE AND THE AUTHORITY SHALL REIMBURSE ONE HUNDRED PERCENT  
7     OF THE PURCHASE PRICE OF ANY UNUSED LONG ISLAND RAIL ROAD ONE-WAY OR  
8     ROUND TRIP TICKET TO THE BEARER OF SUCH TICKET, PROVIDED THAT SUCH TICKET  
9     IS RETURNED WITHIN SIX MONTHS OF THE DATE OF PURCHASE. THE AUTHORITY  
10    IS PROHIBITED FROM ASSESSING ANY SURCHARGE OR PROCESSING FEE OR OTHERWISE  
11    ROUNDING UP THE ACTUAL COST OF A HIGHER CLASS TICKET UPON THE  
12    RETURN OF ANY SUCH UNUSED ONE-WAY OR ROUND TRIP TICKET PURCHASED FOR USE  
13    ON THE LONG ISLAND RAIL ROAD.  
14    S 2. This act shall take effect on the thirtieth day after it shall  
15    have become a law.

EXPLANATION--Matter in *ITALICS* (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [ ] is old law to be omitted.

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