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IN SENATE -- Introduced by Sen. CARLUCCI -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Transportation

IN ASSEMBLY -- Introduced by M. of A. ORTIZ -- read once and referred to the Committee on Transportation

AN ACT to amend the vehicle and traffic law, in relation to mandatory registration or declination of registration in the New York state organ and tissue donor registry on motor vehicle license applications

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

Section 1. This act shall be known and may be cited as "Lauren's Law". S 2. Subdivision 1 of section 502 of the vehicle and traffic law, as amended by chapter 639 of the laws of 2006, is amended to read as follows:

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1. Application for license. Application for a driver's license shall The fee prescribed by law may be submitted be made to the commissioner. with such application. The applicant shall furnish such proof of identity, age, and fitness as may be required by the commissioner. The commissioner may also provide that the application procedure shall include the taking of a photo image or images of the applicant in accordance with rules and regulations prescribed by the commissioner. In addition, commissioner also shall require that the applicant provide his or her social security number [and provide]. THE COMMISSIONER SHALL ENSURE THAT space IS PROVIDED on the application so that the applicant [may] register OR DECLINE REGISTRATION in the New York state DONATE LIFE REGISTRY FOR organ and tissue [donor registry] DONATIONS under forty-three hundred ten of the public health law AND THAT THE FOLLOWING IS STATED ON THE APPLICATION: "WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE ADDED TO THE LIFE REGISTRY? CHECK BOX FOR 'YES' OR CHECK BOX FOR 'NO' AT THIS TIME".

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

In addition, an applicant for a commercial driver's license who

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operate a commercial motor vehicle in interstate commerce shall certify that such applicant meets the requirements to operate a commercial motor vehicle, as set forth in public law 99-570, title XII, and title 49 of the code of federal regulations, and all regulations promulgated by the United States secretary of transportation under the hazardous materials transportation act. Upon a determination that the holder of a commercial driver's license has made any false statement, with respect to the application for such license, the commissioner shall revoke such license.

S 3. This act shall take effect on the one hundred twentieth day after it shall have become a law; provided, however, that effective immediately, the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation of this act on its effective date are authorized and directed to be made and completed on or before such effective date.