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Introduced by M. of A. DINOWITZ, COLTON, KELLNER -- Multi-Sponsored by  
-- M. of A. BROOK-KRASNY, HOOPER, SALADINO, TITONE -- read once and  
referred to the Committee on Governmental Employees

AN ACT to amend the civil service law, in relation to directing the  
granting of excused leave to public officers and employees of this  
state to undertake screening for colon cancer

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

1     Section 1. The section heading and subdivision 1 of section 159-b of  
2     the civil service law, the section heading as amended by chapter 566 of  
3     the laws of 2006 and subdivision 1 as amended by chapter 391 of the laws  
4     of 2008, are amended to read as follows:  
5     Excused leave to undertake a screening for breast cancer OR COLON  
6     CANCER. 1. Every public officer, employee of this state, employee of  
7     any county, employee of any community college, employee of any public  
8     authority, employee of any public benefit corporation, employee of any  
9     board of cooperative educational services (BOCES), employee of any voca-  
10    tional education and extension board, or a school district enumerated in  
11    section one of chapter five hundred sixty-six of the laws of nineteen  
12    hundred sixty-seven, employee of any municipality, employee of any  
13    school district or any employee of a participating employer in the New  
14    York state and local employees' retirement system or any employee of a  
15    participating employer in the New York state teachers' retirement system  
16    shall be entitled to absent himself or herself and shall be deemed to  
17    have a paid leave of absence from his or her duties or service as such  
18    public officer or employee of this state, employee of any county,  
19    employee of any community college, employee of any public authority,  
20    employee of any public benefit corporation, employee of any board of  
21    cooperative educational services (BOCES), employee of any vocational  
22    education and extension board, or a school district enumerated in

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

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1 section one of chapter five hundred sixty-six of the laws of nineteen  
2 hundred sixty-seven, employee of any municipality, employee of any  
3 school district, or any employee of a participating employer in the New  
4 York state and local employees' retirement system or any employee of a  
5 participating employer in the New York state teachers' retirement system  
6 for a sufficient period of time, not to exceed four hours on an annual  
7 basis, to undertake a screening for breast cancer AND EIGHT HOURS ON AN  
8 ANNUAL BASIS, TO UNDERTAKE A SCREENING FOR COLON CANCER.  
9 S 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall  
10 have become a law; provided, however, that effective immediately, the  
11 addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary  
12 for the implementation of this act on its effective date are authorized  
13 and directed to be made and completed on or before such effective date.