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AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to single-purpose day camps

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 1392 of the public health law, as
2 amended by chapter 439 of the laws of 2009, is amended to read as
3 follows:
4 2. "Summer day camp" shall mean a property consisting of a tract of
5 land and any tents, vehicles, buildings or other structures that may be
6 pertinent to its use, any part of which may be occupied on a scheduled
7 basis at any time between June first and September fifteenth in any year
8 by children under sixteen years of age under general supervision, for
9 the purpose of ANY indoor or outdoor organized group activities, involv-
10 ing ONE OR MORE nonpassive recreational activities with significant risk
11 of injury, as such activities are defined by the department in rules and
12 regulations, for a period of less than twenty-four hours on any day the
13 property is so occupied, and on which no provisions are made for over-
14 night occupancy by such children. The commissioner shall have the power
15 to except by rule from this article and the sanitary code a place,
16 facility or activity that is not within the intent of this definition,
17 PROVIDED THAT NO EXCEPTION MAY BE GRANTED TO A SUMMER DAY CAMP WHICH IS
18 DEDICATED TO A SINGLE ACTIVITY IF THAT ACTIVITY MEETS THE CRITERIA OF A
19 NONPASSIVE RECREATIONAL ACTIVITY WITH SIGNIFICANT RISK OF INJURY.
20 S 2. This act shall take effect on the first of April next succeeding
21 the date on which it shall have become a law.

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

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