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AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to exempt persons under the profession of psychology

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

1 Section 1. Section 7605 of the education law is amended by adding a 2 new subdivision 11 to read as follows:

11. THE CONDUCT, ACTIVITIES OR SERVICES OF AN INDIVIDUAL TO ADMINISTER AND SCORE STANDARDIZED OBJECTIVE (NON-PROJECTIVE) PSYCHOLOGICAL OR NEUROPSYCHOLOGICAL TESTS WHICH HAVE SPECIFIC PREDETERMINED AND MANUALIZED ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES AND WHICH DO NOT REQUIRE INTERPRETATION OR OTHER JUDGMENTS; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT SUCH INDIVIDUAL SHALL: (I) HOLD NO LESS THAN A BACHELOR'S DEGREE IN PSYCHOLOGY OR A RELATED FIELD; (II) BE TRAINED BY AND BE UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF A LICENSED PSYCHOLOGIST IN A NON-SCHOOL SETTING IN NO GREATER THAN A 3AGING RATIO OR THE PART TIME EQUIVALENT THERETO; AND (III) NOT SELECT TESTS, ANALYZE

12 PATIENT DATA OR COMMUNICATE RESULTS TO PATIENTS.

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

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