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AN ACT to amend the public authorities law and the environmental conservation law, in relation to the construction of a pipeline property under the control of the New York state thruway authority

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 389 to read as follows:  
3     S 389. PIPELINE LIMITATION. NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF SUBDIVI-  
4     SION ELEVEN OF SECTION THREE HUNDRED FIFTY-FOUR OF THIS TITLE OR ANY  
5     OTHER LAW, RULE OR REGULATION TO THE CONTRARY, THE AUTHORITY SHALL NOT  
6     CONSTRUCT OR MAINTAIN OR ENTER INTO ANY LEASE OR CONTRACT FOR THE  
7     CONSTRUCTION OR MAINTENANCE OF OR GRANT ANY PERMIT OR EASEMENT IN  
8     CONNECTION WITH THE CONSTRUCTION OF A PIPELINE DESIGNED TO CARRY HAZARD-  
9     OUS SUBSTANCES, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO PETROLEUM, ON PROPERTY  
10    UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE AUTHORITY.  
11    S 2. The environmental conservation law is amended by adding a new  
12    section 3-321 to read as follows:  
13    S 3-321. PIPELINE LIMITATION. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY LAW, RULE OR REGU-  
14    LATION TO THE CONTRARY, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL NOT APPROVE ANY APPLICATION  
15    FOR ANY PERMIT, CERTIFICATION OR AUTHORIZATION IN CONNECTION WITH THE  
16    CONSTRUCTION OF A PIPELINE DESIGNED TO CARRY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES,  
17    INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO PETROLEUM, ON PROPERTY UNDER THE CONTROL OF  
18    THE NEW YORK STATE THRUWAY AUTHORITY.  
19    S 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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