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Introduced by Sen. RITCHIE -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Rules

AN ACT to amend the vehicle and traffic law, in relation to allowing county clerks to retain fees collected for motor vehicle related services through a department of motor vehicles' website

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

1     Section 1. Subdivision 3 of section 205 of the vehicle and traffic  
2     law, as amended by section 3 of part G of chapter 59 of the laws of  
3     2008, is amended to read as follows:  
4     3. (A) Each such county clerk shall retain from fees collected for any  
5     motor vehicle related service described in subdivision one of this  
6     section processed by such county clerk an amount based on a percentage  
7     of gross receipts collected. For purposes of this section, the term  
8     "gross receipts" shall include all fines, fees and penalties collected  
9     pursuant to this chapter by a county clerk acting as agent of the  
10    commissioner OR DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES' WEBSITE, but shall not  
11    include any state or local sales or compensating use taxes imposed under  
12    or pursuant to the authority of articles twenty-eight and twenty-nine of  
13    the tax law and collected by such clerk OR DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES'  
14    WEBSITE on behalf of the commissioner of taxation and finance. The  
15    retention percentage shall be 12.7 percent and shall take effect April  
16    first, nineteen hundred ninety-nine; provided, however, the retention  
17    percentage shall be thirty percent of the thirty dollar fee established  
18    in paragraph (e) of subdivision two of section four hundred ninety-one  
19    and paragraph [f-one] (F-1) of subdivision two of section five hundred  
20    three of this chapter.  
21    (B) THE COMMISSIONER SHALL REMIT ON A QUARTERLY BASIS TO EACH SUCH  
22    COUNTY CLERK FROM FEES COLLECTED FOR ANY MOTOR VEHICLE RELATED SERVICE  
23    DESCRIBED IN SUBDIVISION ONE OF THIS SECTION THAT ARE PROCESSED THROUGH  
24    THE DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES' WEBSITE THE RETENTION PERCENTAGE OF

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

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1 GROSS RECEIPTS COLLECTED, AS SUCH RETENTION PERCENTAGE IS DESCRIBED IN  
2 PARAGRAPH (A) OF THIS SUBDIVISION WHICH SUCH COUNTY CLERK WOULD HAVE  
3 BEEN ENTITLED TO RETAIN PURSUANT TO THIS SUBDIVISION IF SUCH FEES HAD  
4 BEEN PROCESSED IN THE COUNTY OF RECORD OF THE REGISTRANT.

5 S 2. This act shall take effect April 1, 2016; provided, however, that  
6 effective immediately, the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule  
7 or regulation necessary for the implementation of this act on its effec-  
8 tive date are authorized and directed to be made and completed on or  
9 before such effective date.