

STATE OF NEW YORK

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2017-2018 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

March 6, 2017

Introduced by M. of A. MAGNARELLI, BRINDISI, BUCHWALD, SKOUFIS, GUNTHER, WOERNER -- read once and referred to the Committee on Local Governments

AN ACT to amend the volunteer firefighters' benefit law and the volunteer ambulance workers' law, in relation to updating benefits and modernizing coverage for services provided in the line of duty

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. The volunteer firefighters' benefit law is amended by
2 adding a new section 9-a to read as follows:

3 § 9-a. Total disability benefits for injuries on or after July first,
4 two thousand seventeen. Notwithstanding the provisions of section eight
5 or nine of this article, in the case of temporary total disability and
6 permanent total disability when the volunteer firefighter is injured in
7 the line of duty on or after July first, two thousand seventeen, said
8 firefighter shall receive six hundred fifty dollars per week during the
9 continuance thereof.

10 § 2. The volunteer ambulance workers' benefit law is amended by adding
11 a new section 9-a to read as follows:

12 § 9-a. Total disability benefits for injuries on or after July first,
13 two thousand seventeen. Notwithstanding the provisions of section eight
14 or nine of this article, in the case of temporary total disability and
15 permanent total disability when the volunteer ambulance worker is
16 injured in the line of duty on or after July first, two thousand seven-
17 teen, said ambulance worker shall receive six hundred fifty dollars per
18 week during the continuance thereof.

19 § 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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