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IN SENATE

January 5, 2017

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

AN ACT to amend the correction law, in relation to directing the division of criminal justice services to notify the appropriate agencies, within 48 hours of the receipt of a change of address, or of enrollment, attendance, employment or residence at an institution of higher education by a sex offender

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

Section 1. Subdivisions 1, 3 and 4 of section 168-j of the correction law, as amended by a chapter of the laws of 2016 amending the correction law relating to directing the division of criminal justice services to notify the appropriate agencies, within 48 hours of the receipt of a change of address, or of enrollment, attendance, employment or residence at an institution of higher education by a sex offender, as proposed in legislative bills numbers A.9239 and S.7252, are amended to read as follows:

1. Upon receipt of a change of address by a sex offender required to register under this article, but in any event no more than [~~forty-eight hours~~] two business days after such receipt, the division shall notify the local law enforcement agency having jurisdiction of the new place of residence and the local law enforcement agency where the sex offender last resided of the new place of residence.

3. The division shall, if the sex offender changes residence to another state, notify the appropriate agency within that state of the new place of residence [~~within forty-eight hours~~].

4. Upon receipt of a change in the status of the enrollment, attendance, employment or residence at an institution of higher education by a sex offender required to register under this article, but in any event no more than [~~forty-eight hours~~] two business days after such receipt,

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

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the division shall notify each law enforcement agency having jurisdiction which is affected by such change.

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the same date and in the same manner as a chapter of the laws of 2016 amending the correction law relating to directing the division of criminal justice services to notify the appropriate agencies, within 48 hours of the receipt of a change of address, or of enrollment, attendance, employment or residence at an institution of higher education by a sex offender, as proposed in legislative bills numbers A.9239 and S.7252, takes effect.