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Introduced by M. of A. PAULIN -- read once and referred to the Committee on Health

AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to embryo and pre-embryo banks and storage facilities

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 10 of section 4360 of the public health law, as
2 added by chapter 589 of the laws of 1990, is amended to read as follows:

3 10. "Tissue" means a human eye, skin, bone, bone marrow, heart valve,
4 spermatozoon, ova, pre-embryo, embryo, artery, vein, tendon, ligament,
5 pituitary gland or a fluid other than blood or a blood derivative.

6 § 2. Section 4364 of the public health law is amended by adding a new
7 subdivision 6 to read as follows:

8 6. All embryo and pre-embryo banks or storage facilities shall comply
9 with regulations to be promulgated by the commissioner that may incorpo-
10 rate standards ISO 9001 and ISO 20387 of the International Organization
11 for Standardization, the standards for biorepositories established by
12 the International Society for Biological and Environmental Repositories
13 and by the College of American Pathologists Biorepository Accreditation
14 Program, and the United States Food and Drug Administration guidance on
15 "current good tissue practices".

16 § 3. This act shall take effect immediately; provided, however that
17 section two of this act shall take effect on the first of January next
18 succeeding the date on which it shall have become a law. Effective imme-
19 diately, the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation
20 necessary for the implementation of this act on its effective date are
21 authorized to be made and completed on or before such effective date.

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

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