

STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN ASSEMBLY

October 23, 2019

Introduced by M. of A. SAYEGH -- read once and referred to the Committee on Transportation

AN ACT to amend the vehicle and traffic law, in relation to requiring automotive lamps be white, amber or red in color

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 3 of section 376 of the vehicle and traffic
2 law, as amended by chapter 592 of the laws of 1977, is amended to read
3 as follows:

4 3. All lights, signals and reflectors shall be of a type and design
5 approved by the commissioner. No light having a candlepower rating in
6 excess of thirty-two candle power shall be used on any vehicle, unless
7 it is of a type approved by the commissioner. No lights or signals on
8 any vehicle shall be any color except for white, amber or red. The
9 provisions of section three hundred seventy-five of this [~~chapter~~] arti-
10 cle governing the approval of equipment and the adjustment of headlamps
11 shall apply to the equipment and headlamps required by this section. The
12 commissioner is hereby authorized and empowered to adopt and from time
13 to time amend such regulations not inconsistent with this section,
14 governing the size, type, construction, location, and use of lights,
15 signals and reflectors, including the exemption of specific vehicles
16 from the requirements of this section where the construction of such
17 vehicles makes compliance herewith impracticable, or impossible.

18 § 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred eightieth day after
19 it shall have become a law.

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

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