

STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. HUNTER -- read once and referred to the Committee on Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to prohibiting the use of the onset of menarche to determine a student's physical maturity for the purpose of permitting such student to participate in athletic activities

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

1 Section 1. The education law is amended by adding a new section 904-a
2 to read as follows:

3 § 904-a. Physical evaluations required prior to participation in
4 certain athletic activities. The commissioner shall promulgate rules and
5 regulations prohibiting the use of the onset of menarche as a measure of
6 a student's level of physical development and maturity when determining
7 that the student's participation in an athletic activity will not pres-
8 ent a safety or health concern for such student.

9 § 2. This act shall take effect on the first of July next succeeding
10 the date on which it shall have become a law. Effective immediately, the
11 addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary
12 for the implementation of this act on its effective date are authorized
13 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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