

STATE OF NEW YORK

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2021-2022 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

August 25, 2021

Introduced by M. of A. EPSTEIN -- read once and referred to the Committee on Corporations, Authorities and Commissions

AN ACT to amend the public authorities law, in relation to directing the metropolitan transportation authority to establish a student fare program

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

1 Section 1. The public authorities law is amended by adding a new
2 section 1266-1 to read as follows:

3 § 1266-1. Student fare program. Notwithstanding any other provision of
4 law to the contrary, the authority shall establish a student fare
5 program. Such program shall provide three free fares between 5:00 a.m.
6 and 10:00 p.m. each weekday for every student in a city having a popu-
7 lation of one million or more who attends kindergarten through twelfth
8 grade and who resides a half mile or more from the school such student
9 attends.

10 § 2. This act shall take effect on the first of July next succeeding
11 the date on which it shall have become a law. Effective immediately, the
12 addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary
13 for the implementation of this act on its effective date are authorized
14 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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