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IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. L. ROSENTHAL, FAHY, GALEF, GALLAGHER, SEAWRIGHT, CRUZ, CLARK, SIMON, DAVILA, GONZALEZ-ROJAS, GRIFFIN, DICKENS, EPSTEIN, ENGLEBRIGHT, GOTTFRIED, JACOBSON, COOK -- read once and referred to the Committee on Insurance -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the insurance law, in relation to prohibiting medical malpractice insurance companies from taking any adverse action against a reproductive health care provider who provides legal reproductive health care

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

1 Section 1. The insurance law is amended by adding a new section 3436-a
2 to read as follows:

3 § 3436-a. Adverse action against legal reproductive health care. Poli-
4 cies issued by the association, as defined in article fifty-five of this
5 chapter, shall prohibit an insurer of the association from taking any
6 adverse action against an abortion or reproductive health care provider
7 solely on the basis that the abortion or reproductive health care
8 provider performs an abortion or provides reproductive health care that
9 is legal in the state of New York on someone who is from out of the
10 state. Such policy shall include medical professionals who legally
11 prescribe abortion medication to out-of-state patients by means of tele-
12 health.

13 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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