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Introduced by Sens. SKOUFIS, MAY, RIVERA -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Health

AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to providing information on where a list of violations and other actions taken against the facility can be found

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

1 Section 1. Section 2803 of the public health law is amended by adding 2 a new subdivision 13 to read as follows:

13. The commissioner shall require each residential health care facility to provide residents and their families with a separate document, as
part of an intake application, in no less than twelve-point font, that
includes information on how a potential resident and their family
members can look up complaints, citations, inspections, enforcement
actions, and penalties taken against the facility including the web
address for the New York state nursing home profiles website that is
maintained by the department and the nursing home compare website maintained by the United States department of health and human services, if
applicable.

13 § 2. This act shall take effect on the sixtieth day after it shall 14 have become a law.

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

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