

STATE OF NEW YORK

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2023-2024 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

March 24, 2023

Introduced by M. of A. THIELE -- read once and referred to the Committee on Environmental Conservation

AN ACT to amend the environmental conservation law, in relation to providing for persons with a medically diagnosed developmental disability to be eligible to receive a fishing license free of charge

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

1 Section 1. Section 11-0715 of the environmental conservation law is
2 amended by adding a new subdivision 4-a to read as follows:

3 4-a. A person, resident in the state for at least thirty days imme-
4 diately prior to the date of application, who has been medically diag-
5 nosed with a developmental disability, as defined pursuant to section
6 1.03 of the mental hygiene law, is entitled to receive free of charge a
7 fishing license for which he or she is eligible, renewable each year.

8 § 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred twentieth day after
9 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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