

STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN ASSEMBLY

March 1, 2024

Introduced by M. of A. TAYLOR -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to hazardous materials emergency response training for incidents involving lithium-ion batteries

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

1 Section 1. Subdivisions 3 and 4 of section 156-a of the executive law
2 are renumbered subdivisions 4 and 5 and a new subdivision 3 is added to
3 read as follows:

4 3. Such specialized hazardous materials emergency response training
5 program curriculum shall also include guidance regarding emergency
6 response to incidents involving lithium-ion batteries. For the purposes
7 of this section, "lithium-ion battery" means a storage battery in which
8 an electrical current is generated by lithium ions embedded in a
9 carbon graphite nickel metal-oxide substrate placed in a high-viscosity
10 carbonate mixture or gelled polymer electrolyte.

11 § 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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