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2025-2026 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

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

AN ACT to amend the public authorities law, in relation to eligibility
for paratransit services

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

1 Section 1. Section 1299-f of the public authorities law is amended by
2 adding a new subdivision 8 to read as follows:

3 8. Notwithstanding any provisions of law, or the terms of any
4 contract, where the authority offers paratransit service to provide
5 public transportation for eligible individuals with disabilities or
6 health conditions that prevent them from using the public buses and
7 railroad operated by the authority for some or all of their trips, such
8 paratransit service shall be made available at the same fares for indi-
9 viduals with disabilities or health conditions who are able to utilize
10 the public buses and railroad operated by the authority.

11 § 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall
12 have become a law.

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

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