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2025-2026 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

May 16, 2025

Introduced by M. of A. LUCAS -- read once and referred to the Committee on Higher Education

AN ACT to amend chapter 554 of the laws of 2013, amending the education law and other laws relating to applied behavior analysis, in relation to extending the expiration of certain provisions thereof

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

Section 1. Subdivision a of section 13 of chapter 554 of the laws of 2013, amending the education law and other laws relating to applied behavior analysis, as amended by section 1 of part SSS of chapter 58 of the laws of 2020, is amended to read as follows:

a. Nothing in this act shall be construed as prohibiting a person employed or retained by programs licensed, certified, operated, approved, registered or funded and regulated by the office for people with developmental disabilities, the office of children and family services, or the office of mental health from performing the duties of a licensed behavior analyst or a certified behavior analyst assistant in the course of such employment or retention; provided, however, that this section shall not authorize the use of any title authorized pursuant to article 167 of the education law; and provided further, however, that this section shall be deemed repealed on July 1, [~~2025~~] **2030**.

§ 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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