STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

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Introduced by Sens. LIU, BRISPORT, HOYLMAN-SIGAL, JACKSON, KRUEGER, RAMOS, RIVERA, SEPULVEDA -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on New York City Education

AN ACT to require any public school located in a city with a population of one million or more to provide a remote learning option when such public school is located in a county where community transmission of any illness is at a substantial or high level

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

Section 1. Notwithstanding any law, rule, regulation or order to the contrary, any public school located in a city with a population of one million or more shall provide a remote learning option to all primary and secondary students when such public school is located in a county determined by the federal centers for disease control and prevention to have a substantial or high level of community transmission of any illness deemed by the federal centers for disease control and prevention to be an outbreak. Such remote learning option shall remain available until the federal centers for disease control and prevention determines that community transmission in such county is at a low or moderate level.

§ 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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