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IN SENATE

January 24, 2025

Introduced by Sen. PALUMBO -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Environmental Conservation

AN ACT to amend the environmental conservation law, in relation to the setback requirement in the Peconic and Gardiner's Bays for the Suffolk County Lease Program and Sugar Kelp

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

Section 1. Paragraph a of subdivision 4 of section 13-0302 of the environmental conservation law, as amended by chapter 656 of the laws of 2021, is amended to read as follows:

a. Underwater lands within [~~one thousand~~] **five hundred** feet of the high water mark shall not be included in a shellfish cultivation zone.

§ 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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