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Introduced by M. of A. WRIGHT, KAVANAGH -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. LIFTON, WEINSTEIN -- read once and referred to the Committee on Election Law

AN ACT to amend the election law, in relation to employment of election inspectors

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 3-400 of the election law is amended by adding a new subdivision 7 to read as follows:

7. THE BOARD OF ELECTIONS MAY EMPLOY ELECTION INSPECTORS TO WORK HALF-DAY SHIFTS WITH ADJUSTED COMPENSATION, PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT AT LEAST ONE INSPECTOR FROM EACH OF THE TWO MAJOR POLITICAL PARTIES IS PRESENT AT THE POLL SITE FOR THE ENTIRE TIME THAT THE POLLS ARE OPEN. EACH COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS SHALL PRESCRIBE THE NECESSARY RULES AND PROCEDURES TO ENSURE PROPER POLL SITE OPERATION.

S 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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