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AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to requiring all institutions, faculty and staff of the state university and city university which provide a store selling textbooks information on required textbook and course materials to be used in courses of study to provide the same information to any other store selling textbooks which requests it; and to amend chapter 219 of the laws of 2003 amending the education law relating to publishers or manufacturers providing printed instructional materials for college students with disabilities, in relation to eliminating the expiration and repeal of certain provisions thereof

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

Section 1. The education law is amended by adding a new section 716 to read as follows:

S 716. INFORMATION RELATING TO TEXTBOOKS. ANY INSTITUTION, FACULTY OR STAFF OF THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK OR THE CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK WHICH PROVIDES ANY INFORMATION CONCERNING REQUIRED AND OPTIONAL TEXTBOOKS, REQUIRED ACADEMIC LEARNING MATERIALS, OR REQUIRED CUSTOM PUBLICATIONS TO ANY STORE SELLING TEXTBOOKS SHALL, UPON REQUEST AND IN A TIMELY MANNER, MAKE AVAILABLE THE SAME INFORMATION TO ANY OTHER STORE SELLING TEXTBOOKS.

S 2. Section 2 of chapter 219 of the laws of 2003 amending the education law relating to publishers or manufacturers providing printed instructional materials for college students with disabilities, as amended by chapter 342 of the laws of 2007, is amended to read as follows:

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

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S 2. This act shall take effect August 15, 2004 and SECTION 715 OF THE EDUCATION LAW, AS ADDED BY SECTION ONE OF THIS ACT, shall expire and be deemed repealed 6 years after such effective date.

S 3. This act shall take effect immediately.