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Introduced by M. of A. JOHN -- read once and referred to the Committee on Codes

AN ACT to amend the penal law, in relation to prostitution

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

Section 1. The penal law is amended by adding a new section 230.01 to read as follows:

S 230.01 PROSTITUTION IN THE FIRST DEGREE.

A PERSON IS GUILTY OF PROSTITUTION IN THE FIRST DEGREE WHEN SUCH PERSON ENGAGES OR AGREES OR OFFERS TO ENGAGE IN SEXUAL CONDUCT WITH ANOTHER PERSON IN RETURN FOR A FEE AND SUCH PERSON IS CONVICTED THREE OR MORE TIMES FOR PROSTITUTION PURSUANT TO THIS CHAPTER.

PROSTITUTION IN THE FIRST DEGREE IS A CLASS A MISDEMEANOR.

S 2. This act shall take effect on the first of November next succeeding the date on which it shall have become a law.

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

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