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I N A S S E M B L Y

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Introduced by M. of A. KAVANAGH -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to requiring counties to provide assistance and advice to licensed care facilities to help establish disaster preparedness plans

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

- 1 Section 1. Section 23 of the executive law is amended by adding a new
2 subdivision 8 to read as follows:
3 8. CONSISTENT WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION, EACH COUNTY IN
4 COOPERATION WITH THE DISASTER PREPAREDNESS COMMISSION SHALL PROVIDE
5 ASSISTANCE AND ADVICE FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF SUCH PLANS FOR EACH AND
6 EVERY LICENSED FACILITY WITHIN SUCH COUNTY THAT TREATS OR CARES FOR ANY
7 PERSON. SUCH FACILITIES SHALL INCLUDE, BUT NOT BE LIMITED TO, NURSING
8 HOMES, EXTENDED CARE FACILITIES, AND DAYCARE FACILITIES. THE DIRECTOR OF
9 EACH FACILITY SHALL MAINTAIN A COPY OF SUCH PLANS ON THE PREMISES OF
10 EACH FACILITY AT ALL TIMES, AND SHALL PROVIDE THE DISASTER PREPAREDNESS
11 COMMISSION WITH THE NECESSARY ADDRESSES AND PHONE NUMBERS OF SUCH FACILITIES
12 TO ALLOW THE DISASTER PREPAREDNESS COMMISSION TO ASSIST IN THE
13 COORDINATION OF ASSISTANCE.
14 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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