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Introduced by M. of A. MOLINARO, CROUCH, MILLER, COLTON, ERRIGO, KOLB, HAWLEY, CALHOUN, ALFANO, KAVANAGH, FINCH, TOBACCO -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. DUPREY, GIGLIO, McKEVITT, QUINN, REILLY, SAYWARD, TEDISCO, THIELE, WALKER -- read once and referred to the Committee on Election Law

AN ACT to amend the election law, in relation to absentee voting

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

1 Section 1. Section 8-400 of the election law is amended by adding a  
2 new subdivision 10 to read as follows:  
3 10. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, A QUALIFIED VOTER IN  
4 ANY VILLAGE, TOWN OR CITY MAY VOTE IN ANY SPECIAL ELECTION OR ON A LOCAL  
5 REFERENDUM OR ANY QUALIFIED VOTER OF A SCHOOL OR FIRE DISTRICT MAY VOTE  
6 IN ANY DISTRICT ELECTION OR ON A LOCAL REFERENDUM BY ABSENTEE BALLOT  
7 PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION. THE LIST OF REGISTERED  
8 VOTERS IF SO REQUESTED BY THE VILLAGE, TOWN, CITY, SCHOOL DISTRICT OR  
9 FIRE DISTRICT SHALL BE FURNISHED BY THE RESPECTIVE BOARD OF ELECTIONS  
10 AND NEED NOT BE COMPILED BY THE AFORESAID VOTING UNIT.  
11 S 2. This act shall take effect on the first of January next succeed-  
12 ing 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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