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Committee on Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to the development of a
model pesticide policy

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

1 Section 1. The education law is amended by adding a new section 409-k
2 to read as follows:
3 S 409-K. MODEL PESTICIDE POLICY. 1. EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT SHALL DEVELOP
4 A MODEL PESTICIDE POLICY OR ADOPT THE MODEL POLICY DEVELOPED BY THE
5 COMMISSIONER OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE
6 COMMISSIONER OF HEALTH. SUCH POLICY SHALL INCLUDE AT A MINIMUM, PHYS-
7 ICAL, BIOLOGICAL AND MECHANICAL CONTROL METHODS, THE TARGET PESTS BEING
8 ADDRESSED AND THE TYPES OF PESTICIDES TO BE USED.
9 2. A SCHOOL DISTRICT THAT HAS ADOPTED THE MODEL POLICY DEVELOPED BY
10 THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION SHALL BE DEEMED TO HAVE
11 FULFILLED THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SECTION.
12 S 2. This act shall take effect one year after the date on which it
13 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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