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Introduced by Sen. BRESLIN -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Insurance

AN ACT to amend the insurance law, in relation to reducing the cost of auto insurance for any automobile equipped with side door airbags

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

1 Section 1. Section 2336 of the insurance law is amended by adding a
2 new subsection (i) to read as follows:
3 (I) ANY SCHEDULE OR RATING PLAN FOR NON-COMMERCIAL PRIVATE PASSENGER
4 AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE MAY PROVIDE FOR AN APPROPRIATE REDUCTION IN PREMIUM
5 CHARGES FOR PERSONAL INJURY PROTECTION AND MEDICAL PAYMENT COVERAGES
6 WITH RESPECT TO ANY INSURED VEHICLE EQUIPPED WITH A SIDE DOOR INFLATABLE
7 RESTRAINT SYSTEM (AIRBAGS). SUCH DISCOUNT SHALL APPLY TO SIDE DOOR
8 INFLATABLE RESTRAINT SYSTEMS THAT MEET APPLICABLE FEDERAL OR APPROPRIATE
9 EQUIVALENT STANDARDS. WITH RESPECT TO VEHICLES OTHER THAN NON-COMMERCIAL
10 PRIVATE PASSENGER AUTOMOBILES, ANY SCHEDULE RATING PLAN MAY INCLUDE AN
11 APPROPRIATE PREMIUM CREDIT, WHICH REFLECTS THE EXISTENCE OF SUCH SIDE
12 DOOR INFLATABLE RESTRAINT SYSTEM.
13 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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