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AN ACT to amend the general business law, in relation to prohibiting  
credit card companies from accepting and processing an application  
that has been altered, torn and reconstructed or damaged

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

1     Section 1. Section 520 of the general business law is amended by  
2     adding a new subdivision 10 to read as follows:  
3     (10) NO CREDIT CARD COMPANIES SHALL ACCEPT AND PROCESS AN APPLICATION  
4     THAT HAS BEEN ALTERED, TORN AND RECONSTRUCTED OR DAMAGED.  
5     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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