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Introduced by M. of A. NOLAN, GREENE, PHEFFER, MILLMAN, JAFFEE, DINOW-ITZ, PERRY, REILLY, COLTON, ESPAILLAT, O'DONNELL -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. CHRISTENSEN, DESTITO, GLICK, GOTTFRIED, HOOPER, MCENENY, SCARBOROUGH, WEISENBERG -- read once and referred to the Committee on Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to requirements for use of school property by outside organizations

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

1 Section 1. Paragraph (c) of subdivision 1 of section 414 of the educa-
2 tion law, as amended by chapter 257 of the laws of 1976, is amended to
3 read as follows:
4 (c) For holding social, civic and recreational meetings and enter-
5 tainments, and other uses pertaining to the welfare of the community;
6 but such meetings, entertainment and uses shall be non-exclusive and
7 shall be open to the general public. CIVIC MEETINGS SHALL INCLUDE, BUT
8 NOT BE LIMITED TO, MEETINGS OF PARENT ASSOCIATIONS AND PARENT TEACHER
9 ASSOCIATIONS. THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OR TRUSTEES OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT
10 SHALL PREPARE AND DISTRIBUTE TO ANY ORGANIZATION OR GROUP WHICH SPONSORS
11 A MEETING, ENTERTAINMENT OR OTHER USE A WRITTEN NOTICE STATING THAT SUCH
12 EVENTS ARE REQUIRED TO BE NON-EXCLUSIVE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.
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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