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Introduced by M. of A. KOLB, HAWLEY, RAIA, MOLINARO, FINCH -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. BARCLAY, CALHOUN, CROUCH -- read once and referred to the Committee on Correction

AN ACT to amend the correction law, in relation to permitting correction officers to be color blind

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

Section 1. The correction law is amended by adding a new section 22-b to read as follows:

S 22-B. FURTHER QUALIFICATIONS FOR EMPLOYMENT AS A CORRECTION OFFICER. EVERY APPLICANT FOR EMPLOYMENT AS A CORRECTION OFFICER WHO IS QUALIFIED FOR SUCH EMPLOYMENT SHALL BE DEEMED QUALIFIED EVEN IF SUCH APPLICANT IS COLOR BLIND.

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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