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Introduced by M. of A. *ESPAILLAT*, COLTON, GREENE, JOHN, MILLER, ORTIZ, COOK -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. ALFANO, BARRA, DIAZ, GLICK, GOTTFRIED, V. LOPEZ, ROSENTHAL, TOWNS -- read once and referred to the Committee on Housing

AN ACT to authorize the commissioner of the division of housing and community renewal to prescribe certain forms in different languages

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

1 Section 1. The commissioner of the division of housing and community  
2 renewal is authorized to prescribe for legal forms and applications to  
3 be translated into Spanish and any other languages as such commissioner  
4 deems appropriate, as long as such language is spoken by at least one  
5 percent of the population. Such commissioner shall further cause such  
6 translated forms and applications to be prepared, printed and dissem-  
7 inated.  
8 S 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall  
9 have become a law; provided, however, that effective immediately, the  
10 commissioner of the division of housing and community renewal shall make  
11 and complete the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regu-  
12 lation necessary for the implementation of this act on or before such  
13 effective date.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets  
[ ] is old law to be omitted.

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