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Introduced by M. of A. RAMOS -- read once and referred to the Committee on Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to providing for the availability of adequate supplies for left-handed students

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

1 Section 1. Section 305 of the education law is amended by adding a new
2 subdivision 42 to read as follows:
3 42. THE COMMISSIONER SHALL PROMULGATE RULES AND REGULATIONS TO PROVIDE
4 FOR THE PROPORTIONATE AVAILABILITY OF ADEQUATE SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND
5 EQUIPMENT FOR USE BY LEFT-HANDED STUDENTS WHERE ADEQUATE SUPPLIES AND
6 EQUIPMENT ARE AVAILABLE FOR USE BY RIGHT-HANDED STUDENTS. THE RULES AND
7 REGULATIONS PROMULGATED PURSUANT TO THIS SUBDIVISION SHALL APPLY TO ANY
8 SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT PURCHASED BY THE DEPARTMENT OR SCHOOLS ON
9 OR AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF SUCH RULES AND REGULATIONS.
10 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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