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IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. P. RIVERA -- read once and referred to the Committee on Codes

AN ACT to amend the penal law, in relation to enhancing the criminal penalty for assaulting employees of a local social services district

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

1 Section 1. Section 120.05 of the penal law is amended by adding a new 2 subdivision 13 to read as follows:

3 13. (A) WITH INTENT TO CAUSE PHYSICAL INJURY TO AN EMPLOYEE OF A LOCAL 4 SOCIAL SERVICES DISTRICT WHILE SUCH EMPLOYEE IS IN PERFORMANCE OF AN 5 ASSIGNED DUTY PROVIDING, OR DIRECTLY RELATED TO PROVIDING, PUBLIC ASSISTANCE 6 AND CARE, HE OR SHE CAUSES PHYSICAL INJURY TO SUCH EMPLOYEE; 7 OR (B) HE OR SHE RECKLESSLY CAUSES PHYSICAL INJURY TO SUCH EMPLOYEE; OR 8 WITH CRIMINAL NEGLIGENCE, HE OR SHE CAUSES PHYSICAL INJURY TO SUCH (C) 9 EMPLOYEE BY MEANS OF A DEADLY WEAPON OR A DANGEROUS INSTRUMENT.

10 S 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall 11 have become a law.

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

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