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Introduced by Sen. THOMPSON -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Transportation

AN ACT to amend the vehicle and traffic law, in relation to increasing the maximum allowable speed on certain highways

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

1 Section 1. Subdivisions 2 and 3 of section 1180-a of the vehicle and
2 traffic law, as amended by chapter 464 of the laws of 2003, are amended
3 to read as follows:
4 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraphs (a) and (b) of subdi-
5 vision one of this section, upon The Governor Thomas E. Dewey Thruway as
6 such term is defined in section three hundred fifty-six of the public
7 authorities law, the New York state thruway authority may establish a
8 maximum speed limit of not more than [sixty-five] SEVENTY-FIVE miles per
9 hour provided that such maximum allowable speed limit is established in
10 accordance with all applicable rules and regulations.
11 3. Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraphs (a) and (b) of subdi-
12 vision one of this section, upon (a) the southern tier expressway from a
13 point east of the town of Lowman, in the county of Chemung, thence
14 generally westerly to the Pennsylvania border and from the Chemung
15 interchange to New York touring route twenty-six, (b) interstate route
16 eighty-one from the Pennsylvania border in Broome county to the inter-
17 change with New York state touring route twelve in Jefferson county, (c)
18 the Adirondack northway portion of interstate route eighty-seven from
19 the interchange with Crescent Road in Saratoga county to the province of
20 Quebec, (d) interstate route eighty-eight from the interchange with New
21 York state touring route three hundred sixty-nine in Broome county to
22 the interchange with interstate route ninety in Schenectady county, (e)
23 interstate route three hundred ninety, known as the Genesee Expressway,
24 from the interchange with the southern tier expressway in Steuben county
25 to the interchange with interstate route four hundred ninety in Monroe

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

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1 county, (f) interstate route four hundred ninety from interstate ninety
2 exit forty-five in Ontario county to the city of Rochester in Monroe
3 county and from interstate ninety exit forty-seven in Genesee county to
4 the city of Rochester in Monroe county, (g) interstate route five
5 hundred ninety from the interchange with interstate route three hundred
6 ninety in Monroe county to the interchange with interstate route four
7 hundred ninety in Monroe county, (h) route seventeen from the inter-
8 change with New York touring route three hundred ninety-four to the
9 Pennsylvania border, (i) interstate route four hundred eighty-one from
10 the southerly interchange with interstate route eighty-one in Onondaga
11 county to the northerly interchange with interstate route eighty-one in
12 Onondaga county, (j) New York state touring route four hundred eighty-
13 one from the northerly interchange with interstate route eighty-one in
14 Onondaga county to the city of Fulton in Oswego county, (k) interstate
15 ninety from exit eight, in the county of Rensselaer, thence generally
16 easterly to the interchange with the Berkshire section of The Governor
17 Thomas E. Dewey Thruway, (l) interstate route six hundred ninety, from
18 the city of Syracuse and town of Geddes border, thence generally wester-
19 ly to the interchange with the New York state thruway, (m) New York
20 state touring route six hundred ninety, from the interchange with the
21 New York state thruway, thence generally westerly to its intersection
22 with New York state touring route forty-eight in the town of Lysander,
23 (n) New York state touring route six hundred ninety-five, from the
24 interchange with interstate route six hundred ninety approximately 2.3
25 miles to the interchange with New York state touring route five, (o) New
26 York state touring route five from the interchange with New York state
27 touring route six hundred ninety-five approximately 5.0 miles to the
28 interchange with New York state touring route one hundred seventy-four
29 in the town of Camillus, and (p) route five hundred thirty-one from the
30 interchange with interstate route four hundred ninety in Monroe county
31 to the interchange with route thirty-six in Monroe county, and (q)
32 United States route two hundred nineteen, from the interchange with
33 Armor Duellies Road in the town of Orchard Park, thence generally south-
34 erly to the interchange with New York state route thirty-nine in the
35 town of Concord, the commissioner of the department of transportation
36 may establish a maximum speed limit of not more than [sixty-five] SEVEN-
37 TY-FIVE miles per hour provided that such maximum allowable speed limit
38 is established in accordance with all applicable rules and regulations.
39 S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.