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I N S E N A T E

April 28, 2010

Introduced by Sen. HUNTLEY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities

AN ACT to amend Jonathan's law, in relation to release of records pertaining to allegations and investigations of abuse and mistreatment occurring on or after January 1, 2003 and before May 5, 2007

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

Section 1. Section 11 of chapter 24 of the laws of 2007, constituting Jonathan's law, as amended by chapter 321 of the laws of 2008, is amended to read as follows:

S 11. This act shall take effect immediately; provided, however, that section 33.25 of the mental hygiene law as added by section two of this act shall be deemed to have been in full force and effect on and after January 1, 2003 with respect to any written requests submitted by qualified persons on or before December 31, [2010] 2012.

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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