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Introduced by Sen. KRUGER -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Social Services

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to eligibility for additional state payments to recipients of supplemental security income benefits and repealing paragraph (b) of subdivision 2 of section 209 of such law relating thereto

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

Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subdivision 2 of section 209 of the social services law is REPEALED.

S 2. Subdivision 3 of section 209 of the social services law is amended by adding two new paragraphs (f) and (g) to read as follows:

(F) "LIVING WITH OTHERS" SHALL MEAN A COUPLE OR PERSON WHO IS LIVING IN A PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD WITH ANOTHER INDIVIDUAL OR INDIVIDUALS AND WHO ARE:

(I) RECEIVING MAINTENANCE AND SUPPORT (FOOD AND SHELTER) FROM ANOTHER;

(II) A CHILD UNDER THE AGE OF EIGHTEEN; OR

(III) A CHILD UNDER THE AGE OF TWENTY-TWO WHO IS ATTENDING AN ACCREDITED SCHOOL.

(G) ANY PERSON NOT LIVING WITH OTHERS AS DEFINED IN PARAGRAPH (F) OF THIS SUBDIVISION SHALL BE DEEMED TO BE LIVING ALONE.

S 3. This act shall take effect on the first of April next succeeding the date on which it shall have become a law.

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

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