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Introduced by Sen. SEWARD -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Local Government

AN ACT to amend the county law, in relation to wireless communication surcharges in the county of Cortland

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 1 of section 308-a of the county law, as added
2 by chapter 387 of the laws of 2002, is amended to read as follows:
3 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of any law to the contrary, the
4 county of Cortland, acting through its county legislature, is hereby
5 authorized and empowered to adopt, amend or repeal local laws to impose
6 a surcharge in an amount not to exceed [thirty cents] ONE DOLLAR per
7 month on wireless communications service in the county of Cortland. The
8 surcharge shall be imposed on each wireless communications device and
9 shall be reflected and made payable on bills rendered for wireless
10 communications service that is provided to a customer whose place of
11 primary use is within the county. For purposes of this section, the term
12 "place of primary use" shall mean the street address that is represen-
13 tative of where the customer's use of the wireless communications
14 service primarily occurs, which address must be: (a) residential street
15 address or the primary business street address of the customer; and (b)
16 within the licensed service area of the wireless communications service
17 supplier.
18 S 2. This act shall take effect on the thirtieth day after it shall
19 have become a law.

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

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