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AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to the membership of the state emergency medical advisory committee of the state emergency medical services council

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 1 of section 3002-a of the public health law,
2 as added by chapter 804 of the laws of 1992, is amended to read as
3 follows:
4 1. There shall be a state emergency medical advisory committee of the
5 state emergency medical services council consisting of [twenty-nine]
6 THIRTY-ONE members. [Twenty-one] TWENTY-THREE members shall be physi-
7 cians appointed by the commissioner, including one [from] NOMINATED BY
8 each regional emergency medical [advisory committee and] SERVICES COUN-
9 CIL, an additional physician from the city of New York [and at least],
10 one pediatrician, one trauma surgeon, [and] one psychiatrist AND THE
11 CHAIRPERSON. Each of the physicians shall have demonstrated knowledge
12 and experience in emergency medical services. There shall be eight non-
13 physician non-voting members appointed by the chairperson of the state
14 council, at least five of whom shall be members of the state emergency
15 medical services council at the time of their appointment. At least one
16 of the eight shall be an emergency nurse, at least one shall be an
17 advanced emergency medical technician, at least one shall be a basic
18 emergency medical technician, and at least one shall be employed in a
19 hospital setting with administrative responsibility for a hospital emer-

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

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1 gency department or service. [The commissioner shall appoint a physician
2 to chair the committee.]
3 S 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred twentieth day after
4 it shall have become a law; provided, however, that effective immediate-
5 ly, the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation
6 necessary for the implementation of this act on its effective date are
7 authorized and directed to be made and completed on or before such
8 effective date.