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

AN ACT to amend the penal law, in relation to establishing the crime of kidnapping of a child, a class A felony

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

Section 1. The penal law is amended by adding a new section 135.27 to read as follows:

S 135.27 KIDNAPPING OF A CHILD.

A PERSON IS GUILTY OF KIDNAPPING OF A CHILD WHEN HE OR SHE ABDUCTS AND RESTRAINS A PERSON LESS THAN SIXTEEN YEARS OF AGE WITH INTENT TO INFLICT PHYSICAL INJURY UPON HIM OR HER OR VIOLATE OR ABUSE HIM OR HER SEXUALLY.

KIDNAPPING OF A CHILD IS A CLASS A FELONY.

S 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after 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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