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Introduced by M. of A. ROSENTHAL, GOTTFRIED, SPANO, BRONSON, MAISEL --
Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. BOYLAND, CALHOUN, GLICK, LUPARDO,
McKEVITT -- read once and referred to the Committee on Social Services
-- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended
and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to providing a
model health care proxy form to individuals applying for medical
assistance

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

1 Section 1. Section 366-a of the social services law is amended by
2 adding a new subdivision 1-a to read as follows:
3 1-A. EVERY PERSON MAKING APPLICATION FOR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, AND EVERY
4 PERSON ON WHOSE BEHALF AN APPLICATION IS MADE, SHALL, IF INTERESTED, BE
5 GIVEN THE NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH MODEL HEALTH CARE PROXY
6 FORM BY THE PERSON TAKING THE APPLICATION, EXCEPT WHERE DOING SO WOULD
7 IMPEDE THE IMMEDIATE PROVISION OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES.
8 S 2. This act shall take effect on the sixtieth day after it shall
9 have become a law.

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

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