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Introduced by M. of A. LAVINE, WEINSTEIN, P. RIVERA, TITONE, WEPRIN, ZEBROWSKI, BRONSON, COLTON, COOK, JAFFEE, MARKEY, STEVENSON -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. ABINANTI, WRIGHT -- (at request of the Office of Court Administration) -- read once and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

AN ACT to amend the estates, powers and trusts law, in relation to the renunciation of interests in jointly held property

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

1 Section 1. Subparagraph 1 of paragraph (b) of section 2-1.11 of the
2 estates, powers and trusts law, as amended by chapter 27 of the laws of
3 2010, is amended to read as follows:
4 (1) The term "disposition" shall include a disposition created under a
5 will or trust agreement including, without limitation, the granting of a
6 power of appointment, a disposition created by the exercise or nonexercise
7 of a power of appointment, a distributive share under 4-1.1, a transfer
8 created by a trust account as defined in 7-5.1, a transfer
9 created by a life insurance or annuity contract, a transfer resulting
10 from the creation of a joint tenancy or tenancy by the entirety, [a
11 transfer created by] SUCCESSION TO AN INTEREST OCCURRING BY OPERATION OF
12 LAW ON the death of a joint tenant or tenant by the entirety, a transfer
13 under an employee benefit plan (including, without limitation, any
14 pension, retirement, death benefit, stock bonus or profit-sharing plan,
15 system or trust), a transfer of a security to a beneficiary pursuant to
16 part 4 of article 13 of this chapter, any other disposition or transfer
17 created by any testamentary or nontestamentary instrument, or by operation
18 of law, and any of the foregoing created or increased by reason of
19 a renunciation made by another person.
20 S 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall apply to estates
21 of decedents dying on or after such date.

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

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