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Introduced by M. of A. LAVINE -- read once and referred to the Committee  
on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the state administrative procedure act, in relation to  
providing a cure period in regulations affecting small businesses and  
local governments

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

1     Section 1. Section 202-b of the state administrative procedure act is  
2 amended by adding a new subdivision 1-a to read as follows:  
3     1-A. IN DEVELOPING A RULE FOR WHICH A REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY ANALYSIS  
4 IS REQUIRED AND WHICH INVOLVES THE ESTABLISHMENT OR MODIFICATION OF A  
5 VIOLATION OR OF PENALTIES ASSOCIATED WITH A VIOLATION, THE AGENCY SHALL:  
6 (A) INCLUDE A CURE PERIOD OR OTHER OPPORTUNITY FOR AMELIORATIVE ACTION,  
7 THE SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF WHICH WILL PREVENT THE IMPOSITION OF PENAL-  
8 TIES ON THE PARTY OR PARTIES SUBJECT TO ENFORCEMENT; OR (B) INCLUDE IN  
9 THE REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY ANALYSIS AN EXPLANATION OF WHY NO SUCH CURE  
10 PERIOD WAS INCLUDED IN THE RULE.  
11     S 2. This act shall take effect on the first of October next succeed-  
12 ing the date on which it shall have become a law, and shall apply to all  
13 rules for which a notice of proposed rule making is published on or  
14 after such date.

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

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