AN ACT to amend the racing, pari-mutuel wagering and breeding law, in relation to the definition of stallion for purposes of the New York state thoroughbred breeding and development fund

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

1. Section 1. Subdivision 5 of section 251 of the racing, pari-mutuel wagering and breeding law, as amended by chapter 18 of the laws of 2008, is amended to read as follows:

5. "New York stallion." A stallion standing in New York at the time he was bred to the dam of a New York-bred; a stallion must be registered with the fund or its designated agent and must be (i) owned by a resident of this state and standing the entire stud season in this state; or (ii) owned by a resident of another state but standing the entire stud season in this state and leasing by a resident of this state for a term of not less than [two years] ONE YEAR; or (iii) owned jointly by a resident of this state together with a resident of another state and standing the entire stud season in this state and leased by a resident of this state for a term of not less than [two years] ONE YEAR. Leases shall be filed with the fund or its designated agent.

2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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