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Introduced by Sens. GRIFFO, LARKIN, MAZIARZ, RANZENHOFER, RITCHIE, SEWARD, ZELDIN -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Codes

AN ACT to amend the penal law, in relation to sexual abuse of a person under the age of thirteen

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

- 1 Section 1. Section 130.65 of the penal law, as amended by chapter 1 of 2 the laws of 2000, is amended to read as follows:
 - S 130.65 Sexual abuse in the first degree.
- A person is guilty of sexual abuse in the first degree when he or she subjects another person to sexual contact:
 - 1. By forcible compulsion; or

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- 7 2. When the other person is incapable of consent by reason of being 8 physically helpless; or
 - 3. When the other person is less than eleven years old; OR
- 4. WHEN THE OTHER PERSON IS LESS THAN THIRTEEN YEARS OLD AND THE ACTOR IS TWENTY-ONE YEARS OLD OR OLDER.
- 12 Sexual abuse in the first degree is a class D felony.
- 13 S 2. This act shall take effect on the first of November next succeed-14 ing the date on which 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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