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AN ACT requiring the state fire prevention and building code council to implement rules and regulations regarding the maple industry

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

Section 1. The state fire prevention and building code council is hereby directed to implement rules and regulations that:

- (a) include maple production facilities and sugarhouses within the definition of agricultural buildings, so that such facilities will be qualified for exceptions for agricultural buildings; and
- (b) allow for public access and assembly in sugarhouses as an agritourism activity.
 - S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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