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vation

AN ACT to amend the environmental conservation law, in relation to
prohibiting the use of thermal paper receipts or cash receipt paper
containing bisphenol-A

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

1 Section 1. Section 37-0503 of the environmental conservation law, as
2 added by chapter 280 of the laws of 2010, is amended to read as follows:
3 S 37-0503. Definitions.
4 As used in this title[,]:
5 1. "child care product" means all pacifiers and unfilled beverage
6 containers to be used by children under three years old for the consump-
7 tion of liquids including pacifiers, baby bottles, baby bottle liners
8 and cups, cup lids, straws and sippy cups.
9 2. "THERMAL RECEIPT PAPER" OR "CASH RECEIPT PAPER" MEANS ANY PAPER
10 THAT IS USED BY A COMMERCIAL ENTITY TO ISSUE A MECHANICALLY PRODUCED
11 RECORD OF A COMMERCIAL TRANSACTION.
12 S 2. The environmental conservation law is amended by adding a new
13 section 37-0508 to read as follows:
14 S 37-0508. THERMAL RECEIPT PAPER.
15 NO PERSON SHALL MANUFACTURE, SELL, OFFER FOR SALE OR DISTRIBUTE IN
16 THIS STATE ANY THERMAL RECEIPT PAPER OR CASH REGISTER PAPER THAT
17 CONTAINS BISPHENOL-A.
18 S 3. This act shall take effect October 1, 2013. Effective immediate-
19 ly, the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation
20 necessary for the implementation of this act on its effective date is
21 authorized to be made on or before such date.

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

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