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Introduced by Sen. HANNON -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Health

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to directing the commissioner of health to develop a uniform prior prescription drug authorization form for managed care providers

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

1     Section 1. Section 364-j of the social services law is amended by  
2     adding a new subdivision 26 to read as follows:  
3     26. ON OR BEFORE JANUARY FIRST, TWO THOUSAND THIRTEEN, THE COMMISSION-  
4     ER OF HEALTH SHALL DEVELOP A UNIFORM PRIOR AUTHORIZATION FORM TO BE  
5     UTILIZED BY ALL MANAGED CARE PROVIDERS FOR PURPOSES OF DETERMINING  
6     COVERAGE OF PRESCRIPTION DRUG BENEFITS UNDER THIS TITLE.  
7     S 2. This act shall take effect immediately; provided, however, that  
8     the amendment to section 364-j of the social services law, made by  
9     section one of this act shall not affect the repeal of such section and  
10    shall be deemed repealed therewith.

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

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