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Introduced by COMMITTEE ON RULES -- (at request of M. of A. Sepulveda)  
-- read once and referred to the Committee on Health

AN ACT to direct the New York state department of health to conduct a study on the high incidence of asthma in the borough of the Bronx in the city of New York and to prepare a remedial plan

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

1     Section 1. The commissioner of the New York state department of health  
2     is hereby authorized and directed to prepare or have prepared a study of  
3     and a remedial plan for the high incidence of asthma in the borough of  
4     the Bronx in the city of New York. Such study shall include an analysis  
5     of high risk neighborhoods examining disparities in: income, race and  
6     ethnicity, public and private housing, proximity to major sources of air  
7     pollution, and an evaluation of the effectiveness of existing medical  
8     facilities.  
9     S 2. Such study and remedial plan shall be completed within twelve  
10    months of the effective date of this act.  
11    S 3. This act shall take effect on the one hundred twentieth day after  
12    it shall have become a law and the results of such study and the remedial  
13    plan shall be provided to the governor and the legislature no later  
14    than eighteen months from the beginning of such study.

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

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