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Introduced   by M. of A. STECK -- read once and referred to the Committee  
on Labor

AN ACT to amend the labor law, in relation to eliminating a disincentive  
for whistleblowers

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

1     Section 1. Subdivision 7 of section 740 of the labor law, as added by  
2     chapter 660 of the laws of 1984, is amended to read as follows:  
3     7. Existing rights. Nothing in this section shall be deemed to dimin-  
4     ish the rights, privileges, or remedies of any employee under any other  
5     law or regulation or under any collective bargaining agreement or  
6     employment contract[; except that the institution of an action in  
7     accordance with this section shall be deemed a waiver of the rights and  
8     remedies available under any other contract, collective bargaining  
9     agreement, law, rule or regulation or under the common law].  
10    S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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