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AN ACT to amend the public authorities law, in relation to one-way, round trip or multi-trip tickets and tickets purchased after boarding the Long Island Rail Road and the Metro-North Commuter Railroad Company

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

1 Section 1. The public authorities law is amended by adding two new
2 sections 1266-j and 1266-k to read as follows:
3 S 1266-J. LONG ISLAND RAIL ROAD AND METRO-NORTH COMMUTER RAILROAD
4 COMPANY; REIMBURSEMENT. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, ANY
5 ONE-WAY, ROUND TRIP OR MULTI-TRIP TICKET NOT PURCHASED FOR A SPECIFIC
6 MONTH OR UNLIMITED TRAVEL, BUT PURCHASED FOR USE ON THE LONG ISLAND RAIL
7 ROAD OR THE METRO-NORTH COMMUTER RAILROAD COMPANY SHALL BE VALID FOR ONE
8 YEAR FROM THE DATE OF PURCHASE AND THE AUTHORITY SHALL REIMBURSE ONE
9 HUNDRED PERCENT OF THE PURCHASE PRICE OF ANY UNUSED LONG ISLAND RAIL
10 ROAD OR METRO-NORTH COMMUTER RAILROAD COMPANY ONE-WAY, ROUND TRIP OR
11 MULTI-TRIP TICKET TO THE BEARER OF SUCH TICKET, PROVIDED THAT SUCH TICK-
12 ET IS RETURNED WITHIN ONE YEAR OF THE DATE OF PURCHASE. THE AUTHORITY IS
13 PROHIBITED FROM ASSESSING ANY SURCHARGE OR PROCESSING FEE FOR THE RETURN
14 OF ANY SUCH UNUSED ONE-WAY, ROUND TRIP OR MULTI-TRIP TICKET PURCHASED
15 FOR USE ON THE LONG ISLAND RAIL ROAD OR THE METRO-NORTH COMMUTER RAIL-
16 ROAD COMPANY.
17 S 1266-K. LONG ISLAND RAIL ROAD AND METRO-NORTH COMMUTER RAILROAD
18 COMPANY; FARE AFTER BOARDING. ADDITIONAL TRAIN FARE PURCHASED AFTER
19 BOARDING BY A PASSENGER POSSESSING A TICKET WITH INSUFFICIENT FARE,
20 SHALL BE ROUNDED UP TO THE NEAREST QUARTER OF A DOLLAR.
21 S 2. This act shall take effect on the thirtieth day after it shall
22 have become a law.

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

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