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I N S E N A T E

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

AN ACT in relation to directing the commissioner of health to conduct a study of the effectiveness and safety of urgent care centers and to deliver a report of the study's results to the governor, the speaker of the assembly, the minority leader of the assembly, the temporary president of the senate and the minority leader of the senate

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

- 1 Section 1. This act shall be known and may be cited as the "urgent
2 care center study act".
3 S 2. The commissioner of health is directed to conduct a study and do
4 research as to the effectiveness and safety of urgent care centers.
5 The study shall be conducted in accordance with rules, regulations and
6 standards determined by the commissioner of health, and the study shall
7 concentrate on the scope, effectiveness, safety and quality of care of
8 urgent care centers along with demographic disparities in the quality of
9 care in urgent care centers across the state.
10 The commissioner of health shall report his or her findings to the
11 governor, the speaker of the assembly, the minority leader of the assem-
12 bly, the temporary president of the senate and the minority leader of
13 the senate on or before one year from the date this act shall take
14 effect.
15 S 3. 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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