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I N A S S E M B L Y

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

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to requiring police agencies to take reports of missing adults whenever the adult is reported to be missing

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 "Lamont
2 Dottin's law".
3 S 2. The executive law is amended by adding a new section 837-f-2 to
4 read as follows:
5 S 837-F-2. MISSING ADULTS. IN THE EVENT THAT A POLICE AGENCY RECEIVES
6 A REPORT THAT A PERSON IS MISSING FROM HIS OR HER NORMAL AND ORDINARY
7 PLACE OF RESIDENCE AND WHOSE WHEREABOUTS CANNOT BE DETERMINED BY A
8 PERSON WHOSE RELATIONSHIP WITH SUCH PERSON WOULD PLACE THEM IN A POSI-
9 TION TO HAVE KNOWLEDGE OF THEIR WHEREABOUTS, AND SUCH MISSING PERSON
10 DOES NOT QUALIFY AS EITHER A MISSING CHILD PURSUANT TO SECTION EIGHT
11 HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVEN-E OF THE EXECUTIVE LAW OR A VULNERABLE ADULT PURSU-
12 ANT TO EXECUTIVE LAW SECTION EIGHT HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVEN-1 OF THE EXECU-
13 TIVE LAW, THE POLICE AGENCY SHALL COLLECT INFORMATION NECESSARY TO FILE
14 AN ELECTRONIC REPORT WITH THE NATIONAL CRIME INFORMATION CENTER REGIS-
15 TER. WITHIN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS OF COLLECTING THE INFORMATION, IF THE
16 POLICE AGENCY HAS NOT BEEN NOTIFIED THAT THE MISSING PERSON HAS BEEN
17 LOCATED, THE POLICE AGENCY SHALL SUBMIT AN ELECTRONIC REPORT REGARDING
18 THE MISSING PERSON WITH THE NATIONAL CRIME INFORMATION CENTER REGISTER.
19 S 3. This act shall take effect on the sixtieth day after it shall
20 have become a law.

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

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