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Introduced by M. of A. JAFFEE -- read once and referred to the Committee  
on Tourism, Parks, Arts and Sports Development

AN ACT to impose a two year moratorium on the conduct of mixed martial  
arts events in the state and to require the commissioner of the  
department of health to conduct a comprehensive health study to deter-  
mine the dangers of mixed martial arts

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

1     Section 1. Notwithstanding any law, rule or regulation to the contra-  
2     ry, public and for-profit mixed martial arts competition events shall  
3     not be conducted in the state of New York for a period of two years from  
4     the effective date of this act.  
5     S 2. The commissioner of the department of health is authorized and  
6     directed to conduct a comprehensive health study to determine the  
7     dangers to participants of engaging in mixed martial arts competition  
8     events. Such study shall be completed within eighteen months of the  
9     effective date of this act.  
10    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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