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

AN ACT to amend the general business law, in relation to prohibiting mandatory influenza vaccinations as a condition for employment

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

Section 1. The general business law is amended by adding a new section 399-ff to read as follows:

S 399-FF. PROHIBITION OF MANDATORY INFLUENZA VACCINATIONS. NO EMPLOYER SHALL REQUIRE INFLUENZA VACCINATIONS AS A CONDITION OF EMPLOYMENT. THIS SECTION SHALL NOT APPLY TO EMPLOYEES OF LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES PURSUANT TO SECTION TWENTY-ONE HUNDRED NINETY-FOUR OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH LAW.

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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