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IN ASSEMBLY

May 14, 2014

Introduced by M. of A. HEVESI -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to the establishment of a human trafficking hotline

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

1 Section 1. The executive law is amended by adding a new section 75 to 2 read as follows:

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- S 75. HUMAN TRAFFICKING HOTLINE. 1. THE ATTORNEY GENERAL SHALL ESTABLISH AND MAINTAIN A TWENTY-FOUR HOUR TOLL-FREE STATEWIDE HOTLINE NUMBER FOR USE IN THE INVESTIGATION AND PREVENTION OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING.
 - 2. CALLS MADE TO THE TOLL-FREE STATEWIDE HOTLINE SHALL BE ANONYMOUS.
- 3. THE ATTORNEY GENERAL SHALL REFER INFORMATION OBTAINED THROUGH THE STATEWIDE HOTLINE TO THE APPROPRIATE DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE WITH JURISDICTION IN THE MATTER.
- 10 S 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred eightieth day after 11 it shall have become a law. Effective immediately, the addition, amend-12 ment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implemen-13 tation of this act on its effective date is authorized to be made and 14 completed on or before such effective date.

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

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