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Introduced by Sens. BONACIC, BALL, CARLUCCI, DeFRANCISCO, FUSCHILLO, GRIFFO, LANZA, LARKIN, LATIMER, LIBOUS, LITTLE, MARCHIONE, MARTINS, MONTGOMERY, STAVISKY, ZELDIN -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Health -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee -- reported favorably from said committee and committed to the Committee on Higher Education -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to the provision of certain professional services to children's camps

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

Section 1. Subdivision 3 of section 1394 of the public health law, as added by chapter 214 of the laws of 2012,is amended to read as follows:

3. Any person, firm, corporation, or association that operates a children's overnight, summer day, or traveling summer day camp, and has obtained a permit pursuant to section thirteen hundred ninety-three of this article, shall be authorized to employ or contract with: (A) a physician, nurse practitioner, physician assistant, registered nurse, or licensed practical nurse or emergency medical technician to act as a designated camp health director or to provide health services in assistance to the camp health director pursuant to applicable regulations promulgated by the commissioner; OR (B) A PHYSICAL THERAPIST, PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT, PSYCHOLOGIST, SOCIAL WORKER, ATHLETIC TRAINER, OR MENTAL HEALTH PRACTITIONER TO PROVIDE PROFESSIONAL SERVICES WITHIN HIS OR HER LAWFUL SCOPE OF PRACTICE TO CAMPERS AND STAFF DURING THEIR ATTENDANCE OR EMPLOYMENT AT THE CAMP, PURSUANT TO APPLICABLE REGULATIONS PROMULGATED BY THE COMMISSIONER.

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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