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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. Woerner) --  
read once and referred to the Committee on Tourism, Parks, Arts and  
Sports Development

AN ACT to amend the parks, recreation and historic preservation law and  
the vehicle and traffic law, regarding snowmobile registrations

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 27.15 of the parks, recreation and  
2 historic preservation law, as amended by chapter 839 of the laws of  
3 1973, is amended to read as follows:

4 2. The amount of state aid to be allocated to counties, cities, towns  
5 or villages shall be determined by the commissioner as hereinafter  
6 provided. The commissioner shall determine the percentage proportion  
7 which the authorized expenditures of each individual county, city, town  
8 or village, but not exceeding [twenty-five] FIFTY thousand dollars for  
9 each county including the municipalities therein, shall bear to the  
10 total authorized expenditures of all the counties, cities, towns or  
11 villages for enforcement of such provisions during the fiscal year. Such  
12 percentage proportion shall then be applied against an amount equal to  
13 twenty-five percent of the amount received by the state in fees received  
14 for registration of snowmobiles during such fiscal year, to the extent  
15 only and not exceeding the sum of [one] TWO hundred [fifty] thousand  
16 dollars. The amount thus determined shall constitute the maximum amount  
17 of state aid to which each county, city, town or village shall be enti-  
18 tled. Provided, however, that no county, city, town or village shall  
19 receive state aid in an amount in excess of [one-half] THREE QUARTERS of  
20 its authorized expenditures as approved by the commissioner for such  
21 fiscal year. The commissioner shall certify to the comptroller the  
22 amount thus determined for each county, city, town or village as the  
23 amount of state aid to be apportioned to such county, city, town or  
24 village.

25 S 2. Subdivision 2 of section 2230 of the vehicle and traffic law, as  
26 amended by chapter 609 of the laws of 2005, is amended and a new subdi-  
27 vision 3 is added to read as follows:

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

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1 2. Any person who violates any provision of this article or regulation  
2 adopted pursuant thereto shall be guilty of a violation punishable by a  
3 fine of NOT LESS THAN two hundred dollars NOR MORE THAN FIVE HUNDRED  
4 DOLLARS, OR BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN FIFTEEN DAYS, OR BY BOTH  
5 SUCH FINE AND IMPRISONMENT EXCEPT, IF THE VIOLATION CONSISTS OF FAILURE  
6 TO RENEW A REGISTRATION WHICH WAS VALID WITHIN SIXTY DAYS, THE FINE  
7 SHALL NOT BE LESS THAN FIFTY DOLLARS, and one-half of such fine shall be  
8 deposited in the snowmobile trail development and maintenance fund as  
9 set forth in section 21.07 of the parks, recreation and historic preser-  
10 vation law.

11 3. NOTWITHSTANDING PARAGRAPHS ONE AND TWO OF THIS SECTION, A VIOLATION  
12 OF DISPLAY OF REGISTRATION NUMBERS AS DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH ONE OF  
13 SECTION TWENTY-TWO HUNDRED TWENTY-THREE OF THIS ARTICLE SHALL BE PUNISH-  
14 ABLE BY A FINE OR NOT MORE THAN ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS; ONE-HALF OF SUCH  
15 FINE SHALL BE DEPOSITED IN THE SNOWMOBILE TRAIL DEVELOPMENT AND MAINTENANCE  
16 FUND AS SET FORTH IN SECTION 21.07 OF THE PARKS, RECREATION AND  
17 HISTORIC PRESERVATION LAW.

18 S 3. This act shall take effect January 1, 2017.