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Introduced by M. of A. MONTESANO, RAIA, CROUCH, GOODELL, CERETTO,  
HAWLEY, McLAUGHLIN, FINCH, LALOR -- read once and referred to the  
Committee on Banks

AN ACT to amend the social services law and the banking law, in relation  
to prohibiting automated teller machines or point of sale terminals in  
certain locations from accepting electronic benefit transfer cards for  
cash withdrawals

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

- 1     Section 1. The social services law is amended by adding a new section  
2     144-b to read as follows:  
3     S 144-B. PROHIBITION OF THE USE OF ELECTRONIC BENEFIT TRANSFER CARDS  
4     IN CERTAIN LOCATIONS. THE OFFICE OF TEMPORARY AND DISABILITY ASSISTANCE  
5     SHALL INSURE THAT ELECTRONIC BENEFIT TRANSFER CARDS ISSUED BY AND  
6     THROUGH THE AGENCY TO FACILITATE THE DELIVERY OF ASSISTANCE MAY NOT BE  
7     USED TO ACCESS STATE-PROVIDED CASH BENEFITS FROM ANY AUTOMATED TELLER  
8     MACHINES OR POINT OF SALE TERMINALS IN THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS: (A)  
9     GAMBLING ESTABLISHMENTS; (B) PSYCHICS; (C) BAIL BOND ESTABLISHMENTS; (D)  
10    BINGO HALLS; (E) CRUISE SHIPS; (F) TATTOO PARLORS; OR (G) ANY BUSINESS  
11    PROVIDING SERVICES THAT HAVE BEEN DEEMED INCONSISTENT WITH THE INTENT OF  
12    THE OFFICE OF TEMPORARY AND DISABILITY ASSISTANCE.  
13    S 2. The banking law is amended by adding a new section 9-w to read as  
14    follows:  
15    S 9-W. PROHIBITION OF THE USE OF ELECTRONIC BENEFIT TRANSFER CARDS AT  
16    AUTOMATED TELLER MACHINES IN CERTAIN LOCATIONS. ELECTRONIC BENEFIT  
17    TRANSFER CARDS ISSUED BY THE STATE TO FACILITATE THE DELIVERY OF ASSIST-  
18    ANCE MAY NOT BE USED TO ACCESS STATE-PROVIDED CASH BENEFITS FROM ANY  
19    AUTOMATED TELLER MACHINES OR POINT OF SALE TERMINALS IN THE FOLLOWING  
20    LOCATIONS: (A) GAMBLING ESTABLISHMENTS; (B) PSYCHICS; (C) BAIL BOND  
21    ESTABLISHMENTS; (D) BINGO HALLS; (E) CRUISE SHIPS; (F) TATTOO PARLORS;  
22    OR (G) ANY BUSINESS PROVIDING SERVICES THAT HAVE BEEN DEEMED INCONSIST-  
23    ENT WITH THE INTENT OF THE OFFICE OF TEMPORARY AND DISABILITY ASSIST-  
24    ANCE.  
25    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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