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-- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. BRENNAN, PERRY, ROBINSON, STECK --
read once and referred to the Committee on Environmental Conservation

AN ACT relating to requiring southeast Queens to mitigate certain prop-
erty damage caused by environmental issues which are caused by acts or
omissions of such municipality

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

1 Section 1. In southeast Queens, where the municipality or its depart-
2 ments by acts of omission or commission either creates or greatly
3 contributes to an environmental crisis which impacts a sizable segment
4 of its citizens, creating property damage and threatening residents'
5 health, and where such municipality or its departments either owns or
6 controls the infrastructure that can substantially mitigate this envi-
7 ronmental issue and bring relief to those residents, then such munic-
8 ipality shall be required and directed to utilize that infrastructure to
9 provide a clear, objective and quantifiable plan to obtain relief in a
10 timely manner.
11 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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