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Introduced by M. of A. GUNTHER -- read once and referred to the Committee on Health

AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to school grade or age requirements for certain immunizations

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

1     Section 1. Paragraph b of subdivision 2 of section 2164 of the public  
2 health law, as amended by chapter 401 of the laws of 2015, is amended to  
3 read as follows:  
4     b. Every person in parental relation to a child in this state born on  
5 or after January first, nineteen hundred ninety-four and entering  
6 [sixth] SEVENTH grade or a comparable age level special education  
7 program with an unassigned grade on or after September first, two thou-  
8 sand [seven] SIXTEEN, shall have administered to such child a booster  
9 immunization containing diphtheria and tetanus toxoids, and an acellular  
10 pertussis vaccine, which meets the standards approved by the United  
11 States public health service for such biological products, and which is  
12 approved by the department under such conditions as may be specified by  
13 the public health council.  
14     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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