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Introduced by Sen. AVELLA -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Higher Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to immunization reports by pharmacies

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

Section 1. Subdivision 3 of section 6801 of the education law, as added by chapter 563 of the laws of 2008, is amended to read as follows:

3. No pharmacist shall administer immunizing agents without receiving training satisfactory to the commissioner and the commissioner of health which shall include, but not be limited to, techniques for screening individuals and obtaining informed consent; techniques of administration; indications, precautions and contraindications in the use of agent or agents; record keeping of immunization and information; and handling emergencies, including anaphylaxis and needlesticks. *WITHIN THIRTY DAYS OF ADMINISTERING AN IMMUNIZING AGENT, A PHARMACIST SHALL FURNISH DOCUMENTATION OF SUCH IMMUNIZATION TO THE PRIMARY CARE PHYSICIAN OF A PERSON RECEIVING SUCH IMMUNIZATION.*

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately; provided, however, that the amendments to subdivision 3 of section 6801 of the education law made by section one of this act shall not affect the expiration of such section and shall be deemed to expire therewith.

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

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