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AN ACT to amend the environmental conservation law, in relation to the powers of the commissioner of the department of environmental conservation

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

- Section 1. Subdivision 4 of section 3-0301 of the environmental conservation law, as added by chapter 719 of the laws of 1981, is amended to read as follows:
  - 4. The commissioner shall:

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- (A) cooperate with the commissioner of the state department of health, district attorneys and the department of law in providing assistance in the investigation and prosecution of violations of article twenty-seven of this chapter; AND
- 9 (B) CONSIDER COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL AND STATE LAWS, REGULATIONS OR 10 PERMITS GOVERNING THE ENVIRONMENT WHEN RESOLVING A DISPUTE BETWEEN TWO 11 OR MORE MUNICIPALITIES.
- 12 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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