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AN ACT in relation to directing the division of military and naval affairs to establish policies on the security and protection of New York national guard recruiting centers

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

Section 1. 1. The division of military and naval affairs shall establish policies to ensure the security and protection of New York national guard recruiting centers from terrorist attacks.

2. The division shall:

a. provide sidearms or issue permits to carry a concealed firearm to full-time New York national guard personnel employed at recruiting centers;

b. improve and strengthen building security through the installation of metal detectors, bulletproof glass, video surveillance equipment and barricades to limit vehicle access at national guard recruiting centers and at Reserve Officer Training Corps facilities;

c. relocate recruiting centers to armories or other secure locations; and

d. take additional measures deemed necessary by the division to protect employees, recruits, visitors and any other individuals at New York national guard recruiting centers and Reserve Officer Training Corps facilities.

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

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3. The division shall issue a report on an annual basis to the temporary president of the senate, the speaker of the assembly, the chair of the senate committee on veterans, homeland security and military affairs and the chair of the assembly committee on veterans' affairs. The report shall contain information related to improvements being made or planned to be made under the provisions of this act.

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.