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Introduced by Sen. KAMINSKY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Environmental Conservation

AN ACT to amend the environmental conservation law, in relation to providing Long Island residents with water usage information

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

Section 1. The environmental conservation law is amended by adding a new section 15-1530 to read as follows:

S 15-1530. LONG ISLAND WATER USAGE INFORMATION.

BEGINNING ON THE FIRST OF JANUARY, TWO THOUSAND SEVENTEEN, IN NASSAU AND SUFFOLK COUNTIES, ALL WATER PURVEYORS, EITHER PUBLIC OR PRIVATE, OR A WATER AUTHORITY, WITH TEN THOUSAND OR MORE CUSTOMERS, SHALL INCLUDE WATER USAGE INFORMATION ALONG WITH CUSTOMER BILLS. SUCH USAGE INFORMATION SHALL BE SPECIFIED IN GALLONS AND AT A MINIMUM INCLUDE:

1. INFORMATION ON YEAR TO DATE USAGE;

2. A SEASONAL COMPARISON; AND

3. LAST YEAR'S USAGE FOR THE SAME TIME PERIOD.

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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