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Introduced by Sen. PERKINS -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Crime Victims, Crime and Correction

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to requiring certain employees of the New York state department of corrections and community supervision to wear body cameras

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

Section 1. Section 259-c of the executive law is amended by adding two new subdivisions 18 and 19 to read as follows:

18. REQUIRE EVERY PAROLE OFFICER AND EMPLOYEE OF THE DEPARTMENT TO WEAR BODY CAMERAS WITH VIDEO AND AUDIO WHENEVER HE OR SHE IS INTERACTING WITH A PAROLEE.

19. IMPLEMENT THE USE OF CAMERAS IN EVERY OFFICIAL OFFICE AND ROOM IN THE DEPARTMENT.

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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