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

AN ACT to amend the general business law, in relation to firearms designed to look like objects

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

Section 1. The general business law is amended by adding a new section 399-rr to read as follows:

S 399-RR. FIREARMS DESIGNED TO LOOK LIKE OBJECTS; PROHIBITED. (A) NO PERSON, FIRM OR CORPORATION SHALL MANUFACTURE, IMPORT, SELL, OFFER, GIVE OR LEND A FIREARM DESIGNED TO LOOK LIKE AN OBJECT OTHER THAN A FIREARM, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, FIREARMS DESIGNED TO LOOK LIKE A PEN OR A CELLPHONE.

(B) ANY PERSON, FIRM OR CORPORATION WHO KNOWINGLY VIOLATES ANY PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION SHALL BE GUILTY OF A CLASS A MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE AS PROVIDED FOR IN THE PENAL LAW.

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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