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2015-2016 Regular Sessions

I N A S S E M B L Y

January 8, 2015

Introduced by M. of A. STECK -- read once and referred to the Committee
on Labor

AN ACT to amend the labor law, in relation to eliminating a disincentive
for whistleblowers

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 7 of section 740 of the labor law, as added by
2 chapter 660 of the laws of 1984, is amended to read as follows:
3 7. Existing rights. Nothing in this section shall be deemed to dimin-
4 ish the rights, privileges, or remedies of any employee under any other
5 law or regulation or under any collective bargaining agreement or
6 employment contract[; except that the institution of an action in
7 accordance with this section shall be deemed a waiver of the rights and
8 remedies available under any other contract, collective bargaining
9 agreement, law, rule or regulation or under the common law].
10 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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