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Introduced by M. of A. PRETLOW -- read once and referred to the Committee on Racing and Wagering

AN ACT to amend the racing, pari-mutuel wagering and breeding law, in relation to permitting drug-free adhesive breathing devices

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

1 Section 1. The racing, pari-mutuel wagering and breeding law is
2 amended by adding a new section 218-a to read as follows:
3 S 218-A. EQUIPMENT REGULATED. ONLY EQUIPMENT SPECIFICALLY APPROVED BY
4 THE STEWARDS SHALL BE WORN OR CARRIED BY A JOCKEY OR A HORSE IN A RACE;
5 PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THE USE OF ANY DRUG-FREE ADHESIVE BREATHING DEVICE,
6 CONSISTING OF A NON-IRRITATING ADHESIVE AND CONSTRUCTED OF UNITED STATES
7 FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION APPROVED MEDICAL-GRADE COMPONENTS THAT
8 ASSISTS IN THE REDUCTION OF AIRWAY RESISTANCE WITHIN THE NASAL CAVITY OF
9 A HORSE DURING ANY RACE MEETING SHALL NOT BE PROHIBITED.
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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