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Introduced by M. of A. CAHILL -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. GALEF, LIFTON, SEPULVEDA -- read once and referred to the Committee on Health -- recommitted to the Committee on Health in accordance with Assembly Rule 3, sec. 2 -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to prohibiting smoking within fifty feet of all entrances to certain buildings

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

Section 1. Section 1399-n of the public health law is amended by adding two new subdivisions 9 and 10 to read as follows:

9. "STATE OFFICE" MEANS ANY BUILDING OR FACILITY IN THE STATE WHEREIN ONE HUNDRED OR MORE EMPLOYEES, IN AGGREGATE, OF ANY STATE AGENCY ARE LOCATED WHETHER OR NOT SUCH OFFICE BUILDING OR FACILITY IS OWNED, RENTED OR LEASED BY THE STATE.

10. "STATE AGENCY" MEANS ANY DEPARTMENT OF THE EXECUTIVE, ANY BUREAU, COMMISSION, AGENCY, BOARD OR OTHER AGENCY, ANY PUBLIC AUTHORITY, AND THE JUDICIARY AND THE LEGISLATURE.

S 2. Section 1399-o of the public health law is amended by adding a new subdivision 5 to read as follows:

5. SMOKING SHALL NOT BE PERMITTED AND NO PERSON SHALL SMOKE IN THE OUTSIDE AREA WITHIN FIFTY FEET OF AN ENTRANCE TO A BUILDING CONTAINING ONE OR MORE OF THE INDOOR AREAS LISTED IN SUBDIVISION ONE OF THIS SECTION, OR IN THE OUTSIDE AREA WITHIN FIFTY FEET OF ANY STATE OFFICE BUILDING USED FOR ANY STATE AGENCY.

S 3. This act shall take effect on the one hundred twentieth day after it shall have become a law. Effective immediately, the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation of this act on its effective date is authorized and directed to be made and completed on or before such effective date.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [ ] is old law to be omitted.

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