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AN ACT to amend the correction law, in relation to the sex offender registry

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

1     Section 1. Section 168-a of the correction law is amended by adding a  
2     new subdivision 19 to read as follows:  
3     19. "RESIDENCE" OR "DOMICILE" MEANS ANY PLACE WHERE AN OFFENDER  
4     INTENDS TO RESIDE ON EITHER A FULL OR PART TIME BASIS. NOTHING SHALL  
5     PROHIBIT, FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS ARTICLE ONLY, A PERSON FROM HAVING  
6     MULTIPLE RESIDENCES OR DOMICILES.  
7     S 2. Paragraph (a) of subdivision 1 of section 168-b of the correction  
8     law, as amended by chapter 67 of the laws of 2008, is amended to read as  
9     follows:  
10    (a) The sex offender's name, all aliases used, date of birth, sex,  
11    race, height, weight, eye color, driver's license number, home address  
12    and/or expected place of domicile, any internet accounts with internet  
13    access providers belonging to such offender and internet identifiers  
14    that such offender uses. THE DIVISION SHALL QUERY OFFENDERS ON EACH  
15    REGISTRATION FORM WHETHER SUCH OFFENDER HAS MULTIPLE RESIDENCES OR DOMI-  
16    CILES AS DEFINED IN SUBDIVISION NINETEEN OF SECTION ONE HUNDRED  
17    SIXTY-EIGHT-A OF THIS ARTICLE AND SHALL DEVELOP EXAMPLES OF WHEN A  
18    PERSON SHALL BE DEEMED TO HAVE MULTIPLE RESIDENCES OR DOMICILES. IF AN  
19    OFFENDER ACQUIRES OR ESTABLISHES ANY ADDITIONAL RESIDENCES OR DOMICILES

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

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1 DURING A REGISTRATION PERIOD, SUCH OFFENDER SHALL, WITHIN TEN DAYS,  
2 NOTIFY ANY POLICE DEPARTMENT OF SUCH ADDITIONAL RESIDENCES OR DOMICILES  
3 IN THE MANNER DIRECTED BY THE DIVISION.

4 S 3. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall  
5 have become a law; provided that, the division of criminal justice  
6 services shall, within one hundred eighty days of such date notify each  
7 offender of their affirmative obligation to update registration informa-  
8 tion to detail any changes required by this act.