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Introduced by M. of A. MORELLE, LAVINE, MOSLEY, GALEF, SCHIMMINGER, CUSICK, GUNTHER, SIMANOWITZ, SCARBOROUGH, BROOK-KRASNY, SKARTADOS, MOYA, BRINDISI -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. ARROYO, CLARK, COOK, FAHY, KEARNS, MAGEE, MARKEY, McDONALD, PERRY, ROBINSON, STECK, THIELE -- read once and referred to the Committee on Codes

AN ACT to amend the penal law, in relation to murder in the first degree where the intended victim was a prosecutor or district attorney

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

1 Section 1. Subparagraph (xiii) of paragraph (a) of subdivision 1 of
2 section 125.27 of the penal law, as added by chapter 300 of the laws of
3 2001, is amended and a new subparagraph (xiv) is added to read as
4 follows:
5 (xiii) the victim was killed in furtherance of an act of terrorism, as
6 defined in paragraph (b) of subdivision one of section 490.05 of this
7 chapter; [and] OR
8 (XIV) THE INTENDED VICTIM WAS A PROSECUTOR OR DISTRICT ATTORNEY, AS
9 DEFINED BY SUBDIVISION THIRTY-ONE OR THIRTY-TWO OF SECTION 1.20 OF THE
10 CRIMINAL PROCEDURE LAW AND THE DEFENDANT KILLED SUCH VICTIM BECAUSE SUCH
11 VICTIM WAS, AT THE TIME OF THE KILLING, A PROSECUTOR OR DISTRICT ATTOR-
12 NEY; AND
13 S 2. This act shall take effect on the first of November next succeed-
14 ing the date on which it shall have become a law.

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

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