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opment

AN ACT to amend the general business law, in relation to second hand  
video games

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

1     Section 1. The general business law is amended by adding a new article  
2     39-H to read as follows:

3                                     ARTICLE 39-H

4                                     SECOND HAND VIDEO GAMES

5     SECTION 899-AAAA. DEFINITION.

6             899-BBBB. CERTAIN INFORMATION TO BE RECORDED.

7             899-CCCC. VIOLATIONS AND PENALTIES.

8     S 899-AAAA. DEFINITION. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS ARTICLE "VIDEO GAME"  
9     MEANS ANY ELECTRONIC AMUSEMENT DEVICE THAT UTILIZES A COMPUTER, MICRO-  
10    PROCESSOR OR SIMILAR ELECTRONIC CIRCUITRY AND ITS OWN MONITOR, OR IS  
11    DESIGNED TO BE USED WITH A TELEVISION SET OR A COMPUTER MONITOR, THAT  
12    INTERACTS WITH THE USER OF THE DEVICE.

13    S 899-BBBB. CERTAIN INFORMATION TO BE RECORDED. EVERY OWNER OF A  
14    COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENT WHICH PURCHASES AND RESELLS SECOND HAND VIDEO  
15    GAMES SHALL KEEP A BOOK IN WHICH SHALL BE FAIRLY RECORDED, AT THE TIME  
16    OF SUCH PURCHASE, AN ACCOUNT AND DESCRIPTION OF THE VIDEO GAME  
17    PURCHASED, THE AMOUNT OF MONEY PAID FOR SUCH PURCHASE, THE DATE OF THE  
18    PURCHASE, AND THE NAME AND RESIDENCE OF THE PERSON SELLING SUCH VIDEO  
19    GAME. NO SUCH PURCHASE SHALL BE MADE UNLESS THE SELLER PROVIDES SATIS-  
20    FACTORY PHOTOGRAPHIC IDENTIFICATION TO THE PURCHASER, AND THE FORM OF  
21    SUCH IDENTIFICATION SHALL ALSO BE RECORDED.

22    S 899-CCCC. VIOLATIONS AND PENALTIES. A VIOLATION OF THIS ARTICLE  
23    SHALL BE PUNISHABLE BY A CIVIL PENALTY OF FROM ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS TO

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

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1 FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR A FIRST OFFENSE, AND FROM FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS  
2 TO TWENTY-FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR A SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT OFFENSE.  
3 S 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall  
4 have become a law.