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AN ACT to amend the election law, in relation to requiring that all printed political campaign mailing pieces include a message about recycling the printed materials

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

Section 1. The election law is amended by adding a new section 3-111 to read as follows:

S 3-111. RECYCLING OF CAMPAIGN AND POLITICAL LITERATURE. ALL POLITICAL LITERATURE IN NEW YORK STATE, WHETHER HAND-BILLED OR MAILED, SHALL HAVE AFFIXED TO IT, THE RECYCLING LOGO SIGNIFIED BY THREE CHASING ARROWS IN A TRIANGULAR CONFIGURATION, AND THE FOLLOWING PRINTED MESSAGE: "THIS MATERIAL IS RECYCLABLE. PLEASE PROPERLY RECYCLE AFTER USE."

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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