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Introduced by M. of A. BARRETT -- read once and referred to the Committee on Environmental Conservation -- recommitted to the Committee on Environmental Conservation in accordance with Assembly Rule 3, sec. 2 -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to require the department of environmental conservation to prepare recommendations for best practices in treating residential properties for tick prevention and management

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

Section 1. The commissioner of the department of environmental conservation shall develop recommendations no later than May 1, 2017 for residential property tick prevention and management. Such recommendations shall include but not be limited to the use of landscape techniques including organic land care practices, methods to discourage rodent activity, use of fungal pathogens, and effective active ingredients, as defined in subdivision 1 of section 33-0101 of the environmental conservation law, including usage information and any label warnings or caution statements. The recommendations shall be available on the department's website and shall be reviewed and revised annually to reflect current best practices.

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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