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Introduced by Sen. ORTT -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Consumer Protection

AN ACT to amend the general business law, in relation to exempting retired federal agents and border patrol agents from training requirements for security guards

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

Section 1. Paragraph g of subdivision 4 of section 89-n of the general business law, as added by chapter 221 of the laws of 2003, is amended and a new paragraph h is added to read as follows:

g. a peace officer as defined in subdivisions two, twenty and twenty-five and paragraphs a and b of subdivision twenty-one of section 2.10 of the criminal procedure law who has been retired from such employment for a period not to exceed ten years, provided, however, that a retired peace officer who has been retired from such employment for a period in excess of ten years shall be required to provide proof to his or her security guard employer of his or her satisfactory completion of an eight hour annual in-service training course approved by the municipal police training council, and provided further, however, that a retired peace officer who will be required by his or her security guard employer to carry a firearm or will be authorized to have access to a firearm shall provide to such employer proof of his or her satisfactory completion of a forty-seven hour firearms training course approved by the municipal police training council and, if such firearms training course has not been completed within one year prior to employment, satisfactory completion of an additional eight hour annual firearms in-service training course approved by the municipal police training council, such training course to be completed at least annually[.]; OR

*H. A RETIRED FEDERAL AGENT OR RETIRED BORDER PATROL AGENT WHO HAS BEEN RETIRED FROM SUCH EMPLOYMENT FOR A PERIOD NOT TO EXCEED TEN YEARS, PROVIDED THAT SUCH INDIVIDUAL PROVIDES PROOF OF HIS OR HER SATISFACTORY*

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

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COMPLETION OF TRAINING SUBSTANTIALLY SIMILAR TO THE TRAINING SET FORTH IN THIS SECTION.

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately and the secretary of state is hereby authorized to add, amend and/or repeal any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation of this act on its effective date.