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## IN ASSEMBLY

March 22, 2018

Introduced by M. of A. L. ROSENTHAL -- read once and referred to the Committee on Codes

AN ACT to amend the penal law, in relation to the definition of serious offense for purposes of possession of a firearm

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. Subdivision 17 of section 265.00 of the penal law is 2 amended by adding a new paragraph (c) to read as follows:

3 (c) an offense which would constitute a felony offense against an 4 animal pursuant to section three hundred fifty-one, three hundred 5 fifty-three-a, three hundred sixty, or three hundred sixty-one of the 6 agriculture and markets law or section 242.15 of this part.

7 § 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall 8 have become a law.

EXPLANATION--Matter in <u>italics</u> (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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