

# STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. WEPRIN -- read once and referred to the Committee on Local Governments

AN ACT to amend the municipal home rule law, in relation to punishment for the violation of a local law

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

- 1 Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subdivision 4 of section 10 of the municipal home rule law is amended to read as follows:
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- 3 (b) To provide for the enforcement of local laws by legal or equitable
- 4 proceedings which are or may be provided or authorized by law, to
- 5 prescribe that violations thereof shall constitute misdemeanors,
- 6 offenses or infractions and to provide for the punishment of violations
- 7 thereof by civil penalty, fine, forfeiture, community service or imprisonment,
- 8 or by two or more of such punishments, provided, however, that
- 9 a local law adopted pursuant to subdivision two of this section shall
- 10 provide only for such enforcement or punishment as could be prescribed
- 11 if the action of the legislative body were taken by ordinance, resolution,
- 12 rule or regulation, as the case may be.
- 13 § 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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