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June 14, 2017

Introduced by M. of A. JONES -- read once and referred to the Committee on Health

AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to the use of insect repellent by a child attending summer camp

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

Section 1. Section 1394 of the public health law is amended by adding a new subdivision 5 to read as follows:

5. Each children's overnight camp, summer day camp and traveling summer day camp shall allow children attending such camp to carry and use insect repellent with the written permission of a parent or guardian of any child. A record of such permission shall be maintained by the camp. A child who is unable to physically apply insect repellent may be assisted by unlicensed personnel when directed to do so by the child, if permitted by a parent or guardian and authorized by the camp. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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