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IN SENATE

(Prefiled)

January 4, 2017

Introduced by Sen. KAMINSKY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Codes

AN ACT to amend the penal law, in relation to making false statements to district attorneys, assistant district attorneys or district attorney investigators in this state

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

Section 1. The penal law is amended by adding a new section 195.25 to read as follows:

§ 195.25 Making false statements.

A person is guilty of making a false statement in any matter when, communicating with any district attorney, assistant district attorney or district attorney investigator of any county of this state, he or she knowingly and willfully:

(a) falsifies, conceals, or covers up by any trick, scheme, or device a material fact;

(b) makes any materially false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement or representation; or

(c) makes or uses any false writing or document knowing the same to contain any materially false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement or entry.

Making false statements is a class E felony.

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

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

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