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Introduced by Sens. MURPHY, AKSHAR, AVELLA, CARLUCCI, GALLIVAN, GOLDEN, RANZENHOFER, RITCHIE, YOUNG -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Crime Victims, Crime and Correction

AN ACT to amend the correction law, in relation to reporting sex offender changes of address to the division of criminal justice services

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 4 of section 168-f of the correction law, as
2 amended by chapter 67 of the laws of 2008, is amended to read as
3 follows:

4 4. Any sex offender shall register with the division no later than ten
5 calendar days after any change of address, internet accounts with inter-
6 net access providers belonging to such offender, internet identifiers
7 that such offender uses, or his or her status of enrollment, attendance,
8 employment or residence at any institution of higher education. If any
9 sex offender submits a change of address to a law enforcement agency, or
10 if a law enforcement agency facilitates the change of address for such
11 sex offender, the law enforcement agency shall, within five business
12 days, forward the change of address form to the division. The law
13 enforcement agency shall provide a copy of the completed form to the
14 offender and retain a copy for its records. A fee of ten dollars, as
15 authorized by subdivision eight of section one hundred sixty-eight-b of
16 this article, shall be submitted by the sex offender each time such
17 offender registers any change of address or any change of his or her
18 status of enrollment, attendance, employment or residence at any insti-
19 tution of higher education. Any failure or omission to submit the
20 required fee shall not affect the acceptance by the division of the
21 change of address or change of status.

22 § 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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