

# STATE OF NEW YORK

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2017-2018 Regular Sessions

## IN SENATE

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

AN ACT to amend the election law, in relation to half-day shifts for election inspectors or poll clerks

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 7 of section 3-400 of the election law, as  
2 added by chapter 5 of the laws of 2010, is amended to read as follows:  
3 7. The board of elections may employ election inspectors or poll  
4 clerks to work half-day shifts with adjusted compensation, provided,  
5 however, that there shall not be a time when the poll site is open that  
6 there is not at least one inspector from each of the two major political  
7 parties [~~is~~] present [~~at the poll site for the entire time that the~~  
8 ~~polls are open~~]. Each county board of elections shall prescribe the  
9 necessary rules and procedures to ensure proper poll site operation,  
10 including rules detailing the basis on which a request by an election  
11 inspector or poll clerk to work a half-day shift may be denied.  
12 § 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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