STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

January 9, 2018

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

AN ACT to amend the vehicle and traffic law, in relation to the removal of all police markings, patterns and affixed lights from a vehicle prior to decommissioning and auction

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

Section 1. Section 375 of the vehicle and traffic law is amended by 2 adding a new subdivision 52 to read as follows:

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- 52. (a) Any police vehicle purchased by the state, a public authority, 4 or any municipality must have all police markings, patterns and affixed 5 lights removed prior to the decommissioning and auction of such vehicle.
- (b) The superintendent or chief of police, or other person responsible 7 for the supervision and maintenance of a fleet of police vehicles, shall cause any police vehicle that is scheduled to be decommissioned and 9 auctioned to have all police markings, patterns and affixed lights 10 removed.
- 11 (c) The commissioner of the division of criminal justice services, in 12 consultation with the commissioner of motor vehicles, shall promulgate rules and regulations determining the specifications that must be met to 13 14 consider any vehicle ready for decommissioning and auction.
- 15 § 2. This act shall take effect on the sixtieth day after it shall 16 have become a law; provided, however, that effective immediately, the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary 18 for the implementation of this act on its effective date is authorized and directed to be made and completed on or before such effective date.

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

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