

STATE OF NEW YORK

10436

IN ASSEMBLY

April 23, 2018

Introduced by M. of A. LENTOL -- (at request of the Office of Court Administration) -- read once and referred to the Committee on Codes

AN ACT to amend the criminal procedure law, in relation to the number of peremptory challenges for certain cases

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

- 1 Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subdivision 2 of section 270.25 of the
- 2 criminal procedure law is amended to read as follows:
- 3 (b) Fifteen for the regular jurors if the highest crime charged is a
- 4 class B or class C felony, other than a class B or C felony as defined
- 5 in article two hundred twenty, and two for each alternate juror to be
- 6 selected.
- 7 § 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall
- 8 have become a law and shall be applicable only to jury trials commencing
- 9 on or after such effective date.

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

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