## STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN ASSEMBLY

June 5, 2018

Introduced by COMMITTEE ON RULES -- (at request of M. of A. Englebright) -- read once and referred to the Committee on Environmental Conserva-

AN ACT to amend the environmental conservation law, in relation to penalties and enforcement in the Long Island Pine Barrens maritime reserve

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

Section 1. Subdivision 4 of section 57-0136 of the environmental 2 conservation law, as amended by chapter 289 of the laws of 2006, is amended to read as follows:

- 4. Additional remedies. (a) Alternatively, or in addition to an action seeking civil penalties or criminal fines or imprisonment as provided by subdivisions two and three of this section, the commission, the Suffolk county district attorney or the attorney general may institute any appropriate action or proceeding to prevent, restrain, enjoin, correct, or abate any violation of, or to enforce, any provision of this title, the land use plan adopted by the commission, any regulation promulgated 11 by the commission, or the terms or conditions of any order, permit, or 12 determination issued by the commission pursuant to this title. The court in which the action or proceeding is brought may order the person 14 responsible for the violation to take such affirmative measures as are 15 necessary to correct or remediate the violation. Such an action or 16 proceeding may also seek restitution for any such violation.
- 17 (b) In addition to the penalties set forth in subdivisions two and three of this section, a police officer or peace officer may immediately 18 impound any all-terrain vehicle, as defined in section twenty-two 19 20 hundred eighty-one of the vehicle and traffic law, provided that such 21 seizure is conducted pursuant to section five hundred eleven-b of the 22 <u>vehicle and traffic law. A five hundred dollar surcharge may be added to</u> 23 any such impoundment.
  - § 2. This act shall take effect June 1, 2019.

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

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