STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN ASSEMBLY

January 12, 2017

Introduced by M. of A. PRETLOW -- read once and referred to the Committee on Racing and Wagering

AN ACT to amend the racing, pari-mutuel wagering and breeding law, in relation to permitting drug-free adhesive breathing devices

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

1	Section 1.	The racing,	pari-mutuel	wagering	and breed:	ing law is
2	amended by ad	ding a new se	ction 218-a t	to read as	follows:	
3	<u>§ 218-a.E</u>	<u>quipment regu</u>	lated. Only e	equipment :	<u>specifically</u>	approved by

4 the stewards shall be worn or carried by a jockey or a horse in a race; 5 provided, however, the use of any drug-free adhesive breathing device, 6 consisting of a non-irritating adhesive and constructed of United States 7 food and drug administration approved medical-grade components that 8 assists in the reduction of airway resistance within the nasal cavity of 9 a horse during any race meeting shall not be prohibited.

10 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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