

# STATE OF NEW YORK

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2017-2018 Regular Sessions

## IN ASSEMBLY

January 17, 2017

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Introduced by M. of A. PEOPLES-STOKES -- read once and referred to the  
Committee on Children and Families

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to disclosure of  
information pertaining to a child abuse and neglect investigation

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

1 Section 1. Section 422-a of the social services law is amended by  
2 adding a new subdivision 8 to read as follows:

3 8. Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of law to the contrary,  
4 any disclosure of information made by a city or county social services  
5 commissioner pursuant to a good faith basis under this section shall not  
6 be subject to prosecution pursuant to subdivision twelve of section four  
7 hundred twenty-two of this title.

8 § 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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