

STATE OF NEW YORK

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2017-2018 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

May 5, 2017

Introduced by M. of A. DAVILA -- read once and referred to the Committee on Correction

AN ACT to amend the correction law, in relation to the housing of transgender or intersex inmates

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

1 Section 1. Section 500-b of the correction law is amended by adding a
2 new subdivision 14 to read as follows:

3 14. Notwithstanding the provisions of this section, a transgender or
4 intersex inmate may be assigned to any facility housing unit which, upon
5 the determination of the chief administrative office, ensures the
6 inmate's health and safety and is consistent with facility management
7 and security.

8 § 2. This act shall take effect sixty days after it shall have become
9 a law; provided, however, that the amendments to section 500-b of the
10 correction law made by section one of this act shall not affect the
11 repeal of such section and shall be deemed repealed therewith.

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

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