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## IN ASSEMBLY

January 30, 2018

Introduced by M. of A. O'DONNELL -- read once and referred to the Committee on Tourism, Parks, Arts and Sports Development

AN ACT to amend the parks, recreation and historic preservation law, in relation to prohibiting littering on state park lands

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

Section 1. The parks, recreation and historic preservation law is 1 amended by adding a new section 13.12 to read as follows: 2 § 13.12 Throwing refuse on park lands prohibited. 1. No person shall 3 4 throw, dump, deposit or place, or cause to be thrown, dumped, deposited 5 or placed upon any park lands or upon private lands adjacent thereto, 6 any refuse, trash, garbage, rubbish, litter or any nauseous or offensive 7 matter. 2. Nothing herein contained shall be construed as prohibited the use 8 in a reasonable manner as ashes, sand, salt or other material for the 9 10 purpose of reducing the hazard of, or providing traction on snow, ice or 11 <u>sleet.</u> 12 3. A violation of the provisions of subdivision one of this section 13 shall be punishable by a fine not to exceed seven hundred fifty dollars and/or a requirement to perform services at the park lands where the 14 15 offense occurred, or, in the discretion of the department, at another 16 state park land location, not to exceed ten hours and for any second or 17 subsequent violation by a fine not to exceed one thousand four hundred 18 dollars and/or a requirement to perform services at the park lands where 19 the offense occurred, or, in the discretion of the department, at another state park land location, not to exceed fifteen hours. 20

21 § 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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