

# STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN ASSEMBLY

February 15, 2018

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Introduced by M. of A. ABINANTI -- read once and referred to the Committee on Health

AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to adding autism to the list of conditions covered for lawful medical use of marihuana

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

1 Section 1. Subparagraph (i) of paragraph (a) of subdivision 7 of  
2 section 3360 of the public health law, as amended by chapter 403 of the  
3 laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:

4 (i) having one of the following severe debilitating or life-threatening  
5 conditions: cancer, autism, positive status for human immunodeficiency  
6 virus or acquired immune deficiency syndrome, amyotrophic lateral  
7 sclerosis, Parkinson's disease, multiple sclerosis, damage to the nervous  
8 tissue of the spinal cord with objective neurological indication of  
9 intractable spasticity, epilepsy, inflammatory bowel disease, neuropathies,  
10 Huntington's disease, post-traumatic stress disorder, or as added  
11 by the commissioner; and

12 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately, provided, however, that  
13 the amendments to section 3360 of the public health law made by section  
14 one of this act shall not affect the repeal of such section and shall be  
15 deemed repealed therewith.

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

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