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IN SENATE

January 10, 2017

Introduced by Sen. AVELLA -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Transportation

AN ACT to amend the public authorities law, in relation to the metropolitan transportation authority providing signs that would give the public immediate instruction on how to react to a fall onto the transit facility tracks

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

Section 1. The public authorities law is amended by adding a new section 1277-b to read as follows:

§ 1277-b. Emergency transit facility signs. 1. The authority shall create and post signage in a clear and conspicuous manner, in at least sixteen point font that will instruct the public on how to react when an individual falls onto the transit facility tracks.

2. Such signage shall be posted on every transit facility station.

§ 2. This act shall take effect one year after it shall have become a law.

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

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