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IN SENATE

January 12, 2017

Introduced by Sen. SEWARD -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Insurance -- reported favorably from said committee, ordered to first and second report, ordered to a third reading, amended and ordered reprinted, retaining its place in the order of third reading

AN ACT to amend the insurance law, in relation to election of directors of domestic mutual life insurance companies

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

1 Section 1. Section 4210 of the insurance law is amended by adding a
2 new subsection (n) to read as follows:

3 (n) In addition to the procedures described in this section, a domes-
4 tic mutual life insurance company may, upon approval of the superinten-
5 dent, offer policyholders alternate methods of voting in an uncontested
6 election and receiving materials related thereto, including via elec-
7 tronic means. The superintendent may approve such methods if he or she
8 finds that they are consistent with the requirements of law and equita-
9 ble and reasonable for the company's policyholders. The superintendent
10 may issue such rules and regulations as he or she deems necessary to
11 implement the provisions of this subsection.

12 § 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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