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IN SENATE

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Introduced by Sen. JACOBS -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Education -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to developing guidelines to encouraging participation in apprenticeships and raising awareness in apprenticeship opportunities

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

Section 1. Section 305 of the education law is amended by adding a new subdivision 56 to read as follows:

56. The commissioner shall, in consultation with the department of labor and pupil personnel advocates, develop guidelines for use by high school counselors and guidance counselors to coordinate services with local representatives of the building and construction trade councils, port maritime councils, and councils of manufacturing and industry for purposes of encouraging participation in apprenticeships, pre-apprenticeships, career and technical education and raising awareness surrounding apprenticeships, pre-apprenticeships, and career and technical education opportunities. Such guidelines shall be made available on the department's website and shall be updated annually.

§ 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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