STATE OF NEW YORK

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2017-2018 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

January 13, 2017

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

AN ACT to amend the public service law, in relation to the expiration of minutes purchased with prepaid cellular telephone cards

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

Section 1. Paragraphs e and f of subdivision 2 of section 92-f of the public service law, as added by chapter 651 of the laws of 1999, are amended and a new paragraph g is added to read as follows:

e. any expiration date or expiration policy; [~~and~~]

f. instructions for use of the card[~~.~~]**; and**

g. in the case of a company that offers prepaid cellular telephone services by means of a prepaid calling card, such prepaid calling card shall have printed on its face, in conspicuous print of a font at least two times larger that any other print printed on such card, and in bold face print that is at least ten-point sized, the expiration date for the cellular minutes purchased with the card.

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred eightieth day 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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