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## IN SENATE

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

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to requiring teachers colleges to incorporate a course of instruction in mental health

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

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

3 56. The commissioner shall establish and enforce rules and regulations  
4 requiring every college for teachers or teachers college within the  
5 state to incorporate instruction in mental health within current curric-  
6 ulum.

7 § 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall  
8 have become a law.

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

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