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IN SENATE

January 19, 2017

Introduced by Sen. HELMING -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Crime Victims, Crime and Correction

AN ACT to amend the correction law, in relation to the failure to register or verify under the sex offender registration act or violation of the prohibition of sex offenders working on motor vehicles engaged in retail sales of frozen desserts

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

Section 1. Section 168-t of the correction law, as amended by chapter 373 of the laws of 2007, is amended to read as follows:

§ 168-t. Penalty. Any sex offender required to register or to verify pursuant to the provisions of this article who fails to register or verify in the manner and within the time periods provided for in this article [shall be guilty of a class E felony upon conviction for the first offense, and upon conviction for a second or subsequent offense 8 shall be guilty of a class D felony. Any sex offender or who violates the provisions of section one hundred sixty-eight-v of this article 10 shall be guilty of [a class A misdemeanor upon conviction for the first offense, and upon conviction for a second or subsequent offense shall be 12 **guilty of**] a class D felony. Any such failure to register or verify may 13 also be the basis for revocation of parole pursuant to section two 14 hundred fifty-nine-i of the executive law or the basis for revocation of 15 probation pursuant to article four hundred ten of the criminal procedure law.

17 2. This act shall take effect on the thirtieth day after it shall 18 have become a law.

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

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