# STATE OF NEW YORK

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# IN SENATE

February 6, 2018

Introduced by Sen. ORTT -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Codes

AN ACT to amend the penal law, in relation to aggravated harassment of a police officer

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

Section 1. The penal law is amended by adding a new section 240.33 to read as follows:

**§ 240.33 Aggravated harassment of a police officer.**

**A person is guilty of aggravated harassment of a police officer when, with intent to harass, annoy, threaten or alarm a person whom he or she knows or reasonably should know to be a police officer, he or she causes or attempts to cause such police officer to come into contact with blood, seminal fluid, urine, feces, or the contents of a toilet bowl, by throwing, tossing or expelling such such fluid or material.**

**The term "police officer" shall mean a police officer as defined in subdivision thirty-four of section 1.20 of the criminal procedure law.**

**Aggravated harassment of a police officer is a class E felony.**

§ 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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