STATE OF NEW YORK

10354

IN ASSEMBLY

April 29, 2020

Introduced by M. of A. BICHOTTE -- read once and referred to the Committee on Environmental Conservation

AN ACT to amend part H of chapter 58 of the laws of 2019, amending the environmental conservation law and other laws relating to establishing guidelines for bag waste reduction, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; and suspends any rule or regulation concerning such bag waste reduction currently in effect until January 1, 2021 in response to the public health emergency related to the coronavirus (COVID-19)

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

Section 1. Section 5 of part H of chapter 58 of the laws of 2019, amending the environmental conservation law and other laws relating to establishing guidelines for bag waste reduction, is amended to read as follows:

§ 5. This act shall take effect [~~March 1, 2020~~] January 1, 2021.

§ 2. Any rule or regulation established and/or enacted in furtherance of part H of chapter 58 of the laws of 2019 are hereby suspended and shall resume effectiveness on January 1, 2021.

§ 3. This act shall take effect immediately and shall be deemed to have been in full force and effect on and after March 1, 2020.

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

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