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IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by COMMITTEE ON RULES -- (at request of M. of A. Cruz) -- read once and referred to the Committee on Higher Education

AN ACT requiring the department of education to study and report on the self-identified ethnicity and multilingual status of all licensed social workers

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

1 Section 1. The department of education shall prepare a comprehensive 2 study and report on the self-identified ethnicity and multilingual 3 status of all licensed social workers. Such data shall be collected 4 during the licensure and re-registration process of such individuals and 5 then compiled in an easily readable format.

6 § 2. The commissioner of education shall provide such report to the 7 governor, temporary president of the senate and speaker of the assembly 8 no later than one year after the effective date of this act. Such 9 report shall be updated and delivered annually for a total of five 10 years.

11 § 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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