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## IN ASSEMBLY

October 7, 2020

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Introduced by COMMITTEE ON RULES -- (at request of M. of A. Byrnes, Crouch, DeStefano, Giglio, Kolb, McDonough, Tague) -- read once and referred to the Committee on Education

AN ACT in relation to limiting the liability of a school

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

- 1 Section 1. Notwithstanding any provision of law, rule or regulation to  
2 the contrary, any school that holds in-person instruction in compliance  
3 with individual school plans approved by the state departments of educa-  
4 tion and health and related COVID-19 emergency rules, or otherwise in  
5 accordance with applicable law and any further amendments or modifica-  
6 tions thereto, shall not be liable for any damages due to a person  
7 contracting novel coronavirus, COVID-19, while attending such in-person  
8 instruction.
- 9 § 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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