## STATE OF NEW YORK

8769

2019-2020 Regular Sessions

## IN ASSEMBLY

November 25, 2019

Introduced by M. of A. WALSH -- read once and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

AN ACT to amend the family court act, in relation to the scheduling of a fact finding hearing after the issuance of a temporary order of protection in family court

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

## 1 Section 1. Subdivision 1 of section 828 of the family court act is 2 amended by adding a new paragraph (c) to read as follows:

3 (c) Upon issuing a temporary order of protection, the court shall 4 schedule a first appearance for purposes of a fact-finding hearing not 5 later than fourteen days after the temporary order of protection is 6 issued. If no hearing has been scheduled within fourteen days of the 7 issuance of the temporary order of protection, the temporary order of 8 protection issued pursuant to this section shall be deemed to have 9 expired and no longer be in effect.

10 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

LBD11996-01-9