STATE OF NEW YORK

3022

2019-2020 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

January 31, 2019

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

AN ACT to amend the vehicle and traffic law, in relation to prohibiting U turns by certain vehicles

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

Section 1. The vehicle and traffic law is amended by adding a new section 1167 to read as follows:

§ 1167. U turns by certain vehicles prohibited. Any for hire vehicle with a capacity of transporting ten or more occupants, including the driver, is prohibited from making a U turn on any roadway in the state with two or more lanes of traffic, whether in the same direction or opposing, except in the case of an emergency situation or when the driver of such vehicle is directed to make a U turn by a police officer, peace officer, constable or sheriff.

§ 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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