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IN SENATE

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CONCURRENT RESOLUTION OF THE SENATE AND ASSEMBLY

proposing amendments to section 3 of article 17 of the constitution and repealing section 4 of article 17 of the constitution, in relation to the protection and promotion of the mental health of New Yorkers

Section 1. Resolved (If the Assembly concur), That section 3 of article 17 of the constitution be amended to read as follows:

- § 3. The protection and promotion of the <u>physical and mental</u> health of the inhabitants of the state are matters of public concern and provision therefor shall be made by the state and by such of its subdivisions and in such manner, and by such means as the legislature shall from time to time determine.
- 8 § 2. Resolved (If the Assembly concur), That section 4 of article 17 9 of the constitution be REPEALED.
- 10 § 3. Resolved (If the Assembly concur), That the foregoing amendment 11 be referred to the first regular legislative session convening after the 12 next succeeding general election of members of the assembly, and, in 13 conformity with section 1 of article 19 of the constitution, be 14 published for 3 months previous to the time of such election.

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

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