STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

February 5, 2020

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

AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to prohibiting the service of live seafood in dining establishments

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

Section 1. Section 1352 of the public health law is amended by adding a new subdivision 3-a to read as follows:

3-a. It shall be unlawful to furnish or serve in any public eating or drinking establishment, any live animal. In preparing regulations pursuant to this subdivision, the commissioner shall expressly prohibit the preparation and sale of fish or other seafood which is brought to the dining table and/or served to a customer alive.

§ 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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