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Introduced by M. of A. FERNANDEZ -- read once and referred to the
Committee on Codes

AN ACT to amend the criminal procedure law, in relation to preventing
temporary questioning of person solely because such person is wearing
a mask during a state emergency for an epidemic or pandemic

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

1 Section 1. Section 140.50 of the criminal procedure law is amended by
2 adding a new subdivision 5 to read as follows:

3 5. No person shall be subject to temporary questioning solely because
4 such person is wearing a mask during a state emergency for an epidemic
5 or pandemic.

6 § 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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