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Introduced by M. of A. WALSH, MONTESANO, McDONOUGH, RA, DiPIETRO, HAWLEY, BLANKENBUSH, MORINELLO, J. M. GIGLIO, BRABENEC, BARCLAY, M. MILLER, NORRIS, ASHBY, SALKA, PALMESANO, TAGUE, SMULLEN -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. BYRNES, DeSTEFANO, MANKTELOW -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the legislative law, in relation to bills with a threshold level of co-sponsorship

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

Section 1. The legislative law is amended by adding a new section 33-a to read as follows:

§ 33-a. Bills with a threshold level of co-sponsorship. 1. Any bill introduced in the assembly shall, upon being co-sponsored by seventy-six or more members, be brought to the floor of the house for a vote to be taken thereon during the legislative session in which it was introduced.

2. Any bill introduced in the senate shall, upon being co-sponsored by thirty-two or more members, be brought to the floor of the house for a vote to be taken thereon during the legislative session in which it was introduced.

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the first of January next succeeding the date on which it shall have become a law.

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

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