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Introduced by M. of A. DINOWITZ -- read once and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

AN ACT to amend the judiciary law, in relation to extending the required publishing date for the first annual report regarding the impact of laws pertaining to discovery in criminal cases

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

Section 1. Subdivision 5 of section 216 of the judiciary law, as added by section 4 of part HHH of chapter 56 of the laws of 2020, is renumbered subdivision 6 and is amended to read as follows:

6. The chief administrator of the courts, in conjunction with the division of criminal justice services, shall collect data and report annually regarding the impact of article two hundred forty-five of the criminal procedure law. Such data and report shall contain information regarding the implementation of article two hundred forty-five of the criminal procedure law, including procedures used to implement the article, resources needed for implementation, information regarding cases where discovery obligations are not met, and information regarding case outcomes. The report shall be released publicly and published on the websites of the office of court administration and the division of criminal justice services. The first report shall be published [~~eighteen~~] **twenty-one** months after the effective date of this [~~section~~] **subdivision**, and shall include data from the first twelve months following the [~~enactment of this section~~] **effective date of this subdivision**. Reports for subsequent years shall **be** published annually thereafter.

§ 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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