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2021-2022 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

January 14, 2021

Introduced by Sens. KENNEDY, MAY -- read twice and ordered printed, and
when printed to be committed to the Committee on Transportation

AN ACT to amend the public authorities law, in relation to EZ pass fund-
ing and waiving deposit fees for a certain period after a rate
increase

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

1 Section 1. The public authorities law is amended by adding a new
2 section 378-b to read as follows:

3 § 378-b. EZ pass funding. 1. If the authority shall vote to increase
4 any fees or charges for the use of the thruway or any part thereof
5 pursuant to subdivision eight of section three hundred fifty-four of
6 this title for cash or non EZ pass users, for a period of sixty days
7 from the date of such vote any deposit owed for a new EZ pass shall be
8 waived.

9 2. Any retail location in the state which sells EZ pass shall be
10 required to accept cash payment as a valid method for EZ pass users to
11 reload their EZ pass tag.

12 § 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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