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Introduced by Sen. RYAN -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Environmental Conservation

AN ACT to amend the environmental conservation law, in relation to educating the public about the health and environmental impacts of idling vehicles

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

Section 1. Paragraph b of subdivision 2 of section 19-0301 of the environmental conservation law is amended to read as follows:

b. Encourage voluntary cooperation by all persons in controlling air pollution and air contamination**, including but not limited to, educating the public about the health and environmental impacts of idling vehicles, such as air pollution from vehicle emissions, environmental impacts of carbon dioxide emissions and health risks associated with exposure to vehicle emissions. Such education shall, at a minimum, include developing and distributing educational materials and posting such information on the department's website**.

§ 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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