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IN SENATE

October 18, 2021

Introduced by Sen. SALAZAR -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Rules

AN ACT to amend the correction law, in relation to educational leave for eligible inmates

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

Section 1. Subdivision 7 of section 851 of the correction law, as amended by chapter 691 of the laws of 1977, is amended to read as follows:

7. "Educational leave" means a privilege granted to an eligible inmate to leave the premises of an institution for a period not exceeding fourteen hours in any day for the purpose of education or vocational training, or for any matter necessary to the furtherance of any such purposes. **For purposes of this subdivision, as applied under this chapter, an eligible inmate shall include an inmate who is within two years of being an eligible inmate.**

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall have become a law; provided, however, that the amendments to subdivision 7 of section 851 of the correction law made by section one of this act shall not affect the expiration of such section and shall be deemed to expire therewith.

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

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