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# IN SENATE

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Introduced by Sen. MAY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Rules -- recommitted to the Committee on Procurement and Contracts in accordance with Senate Rule 6, sec. 8 -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to requiring the state or any agency or public authority thereof to purchase zero emission vehicles beginning in two thousand twenty-five

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

Section 1. Section 201-a of the executive law is amended by adding a new subdivision 10 to read as follows:

**10. Beginning on January first, two thousand twenty-five and thereafter, every passenger vehicle purchased, leased or acquired by or for the state or any agency or public authority thereof shall be a zero emission vehicle. For purposes of this subdivision, "zero emission vehicle" shall mean a vehicle powered by means of a battery or fuel cell or a combination thereof, or another source of power, that produces zero exhaust emissions of any greenhouse gas, criteria pollutant or precursor pollutant under any and all possible operational modes and conditions. The office of general services, in consultation with the department of environmental conservation and the New York state energy research and development authority, shall, no later than ninety days after the effective date of this subdivision, develop a specific state fleet procurement plan to implement the provisions of this subdivision, provided, however, that such plan shall provide for exceptions where a zero emission vehicle is not available for procurement.**

§ 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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