STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

May 12, 2022

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

AN ACT to amend the agriculture and markets law, in relation to increasing the number of cuisine trails in the state

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

Section 1. The opening paragraph of paragraph (b) of subdivision 3 of section 284-a of the agriculture and markets law, as amended by chapter 314 of the laws of 2016, is amended to read as follows:

Designations shall take into consideration geographic proximity and alignment, thematic consistency, geographic or historical consistency, density, economic feasibility, and the cooperation of agricultural producers on the trails to be designated. The department shall designate no more than fifteen farm trails, fifteen apple trails, and [~~fifteen~~] **twenty-five** cuisine trails. Criteria for developing and approving such trails shall include:

§ 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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