STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN ASSEMBLY

July 6, 2022

Introduced by COMMITTEE ON RULES -- (at request of M. of A. Davila) -read once and referred to the Committee on Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to authorizing schools to possess and administer naloxone in emergency situations

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

1 Section 1. The education law is amended by adding a new section 921-b 2 to read as follows:

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§ 921-b. On-site naloxone. 1. School districts, boards of cooperative 4 educational services, county vocational education and extension boards, 5 charter schools, and non-public elementary and secondary schools in this 6 state may provide and maintain on-site in each instructional school 7 facility naloxone in quantities and types deemed by the commissioner, in 8 consultation with the commissioner of health, to be adequate to ensure ready and appropriate access for use during emergencies to any student or staff to negate or neutralize, in whole or in part, the pharmacological effects of an opioid in the human body.

2. School districts, boards of cooperative educational services, coun-13 ty vocational education and extension boards, charter schools, and nonpublic elementary and secondary schools in this state, any person 14 employed by any such entity, or employed by a contractor of such an 16 entity while performing services for the entity may administer naloxone in the event of an emergency.

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred twentieth day after 18 it shall have become a law. Effective immediately, the commissioner of 19 health, in consultation with the commissioner of education, may promul-20 gate any rule or regulation necessary for the timely implementation of 22 this act on its effective date.

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

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