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Introduced by M. of A. DINOWITZ -- read once and referred to the Committee on Health

AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to publication of nursing home ratings

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

- Section 1. The public health law is amended by adding a new section 2 2808-e to read as follows:
- § 2808-e. Nursing home ratings. 1. The commissioner shall provide that
 the most recent star rating of every nursing home facility in the
 state, assigned pursuant to the inspection rating system of the U.S.
 Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (overall CMS rating), shall
- 7 <u>be prominently displayed on the home page of the department's website,</u>
 8 <u>or by an easily accessible link to such information.</u>
- 9 2. Each nursing home facility shall post its overall CMS rating on the 10 homepage of any website maintained by such facility and on any website 11 or webpage relating to such facility maintained by an entity which owns
- 12 or operates such facility. Each nursing home shall also conspicuously
- 13 post its most recent overall CMS rating so that it is visible to the general public and to residents.
- 15 § 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall 16 have become a law.

EXPLANATION--Matter in italics (underscored) is new; matter in brackets

[-] is old law to be omitted.

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