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Introduced by M. of A. FERNANDEZ, CRUZ, DE LA ROSA, HYNDMAN, NIOU, SIMON, SAYEGH -- read once and referred to the Committee on Consumer Affairs and Protection

AN ACT to amend the general business law, in relation to the full disclosure of ingredients in certain products

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

- Section 1. The general business law is amended by adding a new section 2 399-rr to read as follows:
- 3 § 399-rr. Prohibition of generic terms in ingredients of certain 4 products. 1. For purposes of this section "personal care product" means articles intended to be rubbed, poured, sprinkled, or sprayed on, introduced into, or otherwise applied to the human body or any part thereof
- for cleansing, beautifying, promoting attractiveness, or altering the 8 appearance, and articles intended for use as a component of any such 9 articles; except that such term shall not include soap.
- 10 2. Manufacturers of personal care products distributed, sold or 11 offered for sale in this state, whether at retail or wholesale, for
- 12 personal, professional or commercial use, or distributed for promotional
- 13 purposes, shall not use the terms fragrance, colorant, dye, perfume or
- 14 preservative in lieu of listing a chemical used in such products. The
- 15 terms fragrance, colorant, dye, perfume or preservative may only be used
- 16 if the chemical constituting such ingredient is explicitly listed on the
- label of such product. All chemicals present in personal care products 17
- 18 sold or offered for sale in this state shall be included in the ingredi-
- 19 ents list on the label of such products.
- 20 § 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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