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Introduced by M. of A. GALEF, GOTTFRIED, GUNTHER, HYNDMAN, EPSTEIN, SIMON, GLICK, ABINANTI, DICKENS, FALL, DARLING, RODRIGUEZ, CRUZ, RICHARDSON, STECK, NIOU, FERNANDEZ -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. NOLAN -- read once and referred to the Committee on Labor -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the workers' compensation law, in relation to paid family leave and siblings

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

Section 1. Section 201 of the workers' compensation law is amended by adding a new subdivision 24 to read as follows:

24. "Sibling" means a biological or adopted sibling, a half-sibling or stepsibling.

§ 2. Subdivision 20 of section 201 of the workers' compensation law, as added by section 2 of part SS of chapter 54 of the laws of 2016, is amended to read as follows:

20. "Family member" means a child, parent, grandparent, grandchild, **sibling,** spouse, or domestic partner as defined in this section.

§ 3. This act shall take effect on the first of January following the first of September next succeeding the date on which it shall have become a law and shall apply to all policies or contracts issued, renewed, modified, altered or amended on or after such date.

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

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