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IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. BURDICK -- read once and referred to the Committee on Education -- recommitted to the Committee on Education in accordance with Assembly Rule 3, sec. 2 -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to requiring same-day notification of a parent or person in parental relation of a student with a disability where certain behavioral interventions are used

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

Section 1. Section 4402 of the education law is amended by adding a new subdivision 9 to read as follows:

9. The board of education or trustees of each school district shall develop a procedure to notify the parent or person in parental relation of a student with a disability on the same day a physical or mechanical restraint is applied on such student or such student is placed in a time out room. When the student's parent or person in parental relation cannot be contacted after reasonable attempts are made, the principal shall record and report such attempts to the committee on special education.

§ 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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