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IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. GOTTFRIED -- read once and referred to the Committee on Higher Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to the employment and supervision of physician assistants

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

Section 1. Subdivisions 3 and 5 of section 6542 of the education law, as amended by section 1 of part T of chapter 57 of the laws of 2013, are amended and a new subdivision 8 is added to read as follows:

4 3. No physician shall [employ or] supervise more than four physician 5 assistants <u>at any one time</u> in his or her private practice.

5. Notwithstanding any other provision of this article, nothing shall prohibit a physician employed by or rendering services to the department of corrections and community supervision under contract from supervising no more than six physician assistants <u>at any one time</u> in his or her practice for the department of corrections and community supervision.

11 8. Nothing in subdivision three or five of this section shall be 12 construed to modify the conditions relating to the performance of 13 medical services required under subdivision one of this section.

14 § 2. This act shall take effect on the first of January next succeed-15 ing the date on which it shall have become a law. Effective immediately, 16 any rules and regulations necessary to implement the provisions of this 17 act on its effective date are authorized to be added, amended and/or 18 repealed on or before such date.

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

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