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Introduced by Sens. KAPLAN, MAY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Codes -- reported favorably from said committee, ordered to first and second report, ordered to a third reading, amended and ordered reprinted, retaining its place in the order of third reading

AN ACT to amend the penal law, in relation to extortion or coercion related to immigration status

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

Section 1. Section 135.60 of the penal law is amended by adding a new subdivision 10 to read as follows:

10. Report his or her immigration status or suspected immigration status.

§ 2. Subparagraph (iv) of paragraph (e) of subdivision 2 of section 155.05 of the penal law is amended to read as follows:

(iv) Accuse some person of a crime or cause criminal charges **or removal proceedings** to be instituted against him **or her**; or

§ 3. This act shall take effect on the thirtieth day after it shall have become a law.

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

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