STATE OF NEW YORK

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2021-2022 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

February 23, 2021

Introduced by Sen. HARCKHAM -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Environmental Conservation

AN ACT to amend the environmental conservation law, in relation to directing the commissioner to publicly publish the annual report of the environmental radiation surveillance program

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

Section 1. Subdivision 1 of section 3-0301 of the environmental conservation law is amended by adding a new paragraph ii to read as follows:

ii. Provide freely and make publicly available on its website the annual report on radioactive releases or disposals, submitted pursuant to 6 NYCRR 380. In conjunction with the department of health, such report shall be analyzed to show trends and the cumulative impact of such radioactive releases or disposals; provided that other relevant agencies shall be notified if contamination has exceeded standards for maximum allowable level permitted in drinking water or food sources, as prescribed by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

§ 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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