STATE OF NEW YORK

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2021-2022 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

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Introduced by Sen. HINCHEY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Consumer Protection -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the general business law, in relation to requiring electric vehicle charging stations to be installed at gasoline stations in an amount equal to or greater than the number of new gas dispensing motor fuel pumps being installed

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

Section 1. The general business law is amended by adding a new section 396-xx to read as follows:

§ 396-xx. Gasoline station; dealer; electric vehicle charging station required. 1. Definitions. As used in this section:

(a) "gasoline station" shall mean a premises or facility greater than fifteen hundred square feet with operational gas dispensing motor fuel pumps that dispense motor fuel available for general public retail sale.

(b) "dealer" shall mean any person owning or operating a premises or facility with one or more operational gas dispensing motor fuel pumps that dispense motor fuel available for general public retail sale.

(c) "electric vehicle charging station" shall mean a level two charging station that delivers electricity from a source outside an electric vehicle into one or more electric vehicles. An electric vehicle charging station may include several charge points simultaneously connecting several electric vehicles to the station and any related equipment needed to facilitate charging plug-in electric vehicles. Each electric vehicle charging station shall have the ability to deliver a charge load of no less than 6kW per station and each electric vehicle charging station shall have non-proprietary chargers capable of charging electric vehicles from at least three different incorporated auto manufacturers.

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

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2. Any dealer installing new operational gas dispensing motor fuel pumps for the retail sale of motor fuels for use in motor vehicles shall install electric vehicle charging stations at such gasoline station in an amount equal to or greater than the number of new operational gas dispensing motor fuel pumps being installed at such gasoline station.

3. No building permit shall be issued to a dealer if the documentation submitted for such building permit does not reflect the installation of electric vehicle charging stations in an amount equal to or greater than the number of new operational gas dispensing motor fuel pumps being installed at such gasoline station.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.