STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

January 13, 2022

Introduced by Sen. CLEARE -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Consumer Protection

AN ACT to amend the general business law, in relation to the sale of space heaters

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 391-jj to read as follows:

§ 391-jj. Sale of space heaters. No person, firm, partnership, association or corporation shall distribute, sell or offer for sale in this state, or to any person located in this state, a space heater unless such space heater:

1. includes a thermostat;

2. includes an automatic shut-off; and

3. has been certified by a testing and certification body recognized and approved by the United States department of labor, occupational safety and health administration.

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth 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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