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IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. ZINERMAN -- read once and referred to the Committee on Codes

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to providing for the posting of firearm signage in certain areas

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

Section 1. The executive law is amended by adding a new section 837-x 2 to read as follows:

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- § 837-x. Requirements for firearm signage. 1. The division shall 4 review and compare the most recent national gun violence statistics, as 5 reported by the national center for health statistics, against the most recent criminal justice statistics concerning qun violence as compiled by the division, to determine which areas in the state experience a rate of gun violence above the national average. For purposes of this section, "area" shall be determined by the division.
- 10 2. In areas in which the rate of qun violence is above the national 11 average, the division shall notify the law enforcement agency serving such area to post signage in the form prescribed by the division. 12
- 3. Statistics reported by the division and the national center for 13 14 health statistics shall be reviewed on a biannual basis by the division 15 to determine the continued accuracy of existing signage and the potential need for additional signage. 16
- 17 4. When the division determines that an area's signage requirements have changed pursuant to subdivision three of this section, the division 18 shall notify the law enforcement agency serving such area to remove or 19 20 install such signage as necessary.
- 21 § 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred eightieth day after 22 it shall have become a law. Effective immediately, the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation of this act on its effective date are authorized to be made and 24 25 completed on or before such effective date.

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

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