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Introduced by M. of A. SIMON, WEPRIN, DINOWITZ -- read once and referred to the Committee on Cities

AN ACT to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to establishing a no fare program for students traveling on ferries

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

Section 1. The administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding a new section 19-308 to read as follows:

§ 19-308 No fare program for students. a. Notwithstanding any other provisions of law or the terms of any contract, the commissioner shall establish and implement a no fare program for students traveling on city ferries.

b. For purposes of this section, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

1. "Student" shall mean any individual in grades kindergarten through twelve.

2. "City ferry" shall mean any motorized watercraft that is used as a means of commuter passenger mass transportation by water that is owned or operated by or on behalf of the city.

§ 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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