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

AN ACT to amend the penal law, in relation to creating the crime of unlawful possession of a radio frequency jamming device

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

Section 1. The penal law is amended by adding a new section 270.45 to read as follows:

§ 270.45 Unlawful possession of a radio frequency jamming device.

A person is guilty of unlawful possession of a radio frequency jamming device when, having no right to do so, they knowingly possess a device capable of disrupting and/or interfering with wireless communications through radio noise or signals.

Unlawful possession of a radio frequency jamming device is a class D felony.

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the sixtieth 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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