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Introduced by M. of A. PRETLOW, DINOWITZ, REYES, BURGOS, SAYEGH, McMAHON, COLTON, HYNDMAN, AUBRY, TAYLOR, WILLIAMS, SOLAGES, ROZIC, KELLES, CUNNINGHAM, CRUZ, CHANDLER-WATERMAN, GUNTHER, BENEDETTO, LUNSFORD, LEVENBERG, SANTABARBARA, STERN, GIBBS, WALLACE, DAVILA, COOK, ANDERSON, ALVAREZ, ZINERMAN, JOYNER, SEPTIMO, BENDETT, K. BROWN, MORINELLO, PIROZZOLO, DeSTEFANO, FLOOD, HEVESI, MEEKS, GONZALEZ-ROJAS, SIMONE, LUCAS -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. BYRNES -- read once and referred to the Committee on Health -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to conducting education and outreach programs for individuals who have suffered a pregnancy loss or infant loss

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

- 1 Section 1. Subdivision 1 of section 207 of the public health law is
2 amended by adding a new paragraph (r) to read as follows:
3 (r) For those who are experiencing pregnancy loss or infant loss,
4 which shall for the purposes of this paragraph include but not be limit-
5 ed to, miscarriage, stillbirth, or termination for medical reasons,
6 information regarding:
7 (i) the potential mental and physical impact from such loss; and
8 (ii) resources for support and follow-up care.
9 § 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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