

STATE OF NEW YORK

8768--A

IN SENATE

March 8, 2024

Introduced by Sen. WEBB -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Higher Education -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to including nasal sprays in topical therapeutic pharmaceutical agents optometrists are authorized to use

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

- 1 Section 1. Subdivision 1 of section 7101-a of the education law is
- 2 amended by adding a new paragraph (e-1) to read as follows:
- 3 (e-1) Nasal sprays as topical therapeutic pharmaceutical agents.
- 4 Topical therapeutic pharmaceutical agents shall also include those drugs
- 5 listed in subparagraph (iii) of paragraph (f) of this subdivision that
- 6 are administered through a nasal spray for the treatment of dry eye
- 7 disease.
- 8 § 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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