STATE OF NEW YORK

9056

IN SENATE

April 15, 2024

Introduced by Sen. SANDERS -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Crime Victims, Crime and Correction

AN ACT to amend the correction law, in relation to requiring notification of an incarcerated individual's emergency contacts when such incarcerated individual attempts suicide or is hospitalized

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

Section 1. The correction law is amended by adding a new section 17 to read as follows:

§ 17. Notice to emergency contacts. Within twenty-four hours of the attempted suicide or hospitalization of an incarcerated individual or any other individual occurring in the custody of the department, the department shall notify the emergency contacts of such incarcerated individual or other such individual.

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the thirtieth 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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