

# STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN ASSEMBLY

May 1, 2024

Introduced by M. of A. FAHY -- read once and referred to the Committee on Transportation

AN ACT to amend chapter 123 of the laws of 2014 amending the vehicle and traffic law, the general municipal law, and the public officers law relating to owner liability for failure of an operator to comply with traffic-control indications, in relation to extending the provisions of such chapter

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

1 Section 1. Section 15 of chapter 123 of the laws of 2014 amending the  
2 vehicle and traffic law, the general municipal law, and the public offi-  
3 cers law relating to owner liability for failure of an operator to  
4 comply with traffic-control indications, the opening paragraph as  
5 amended by section 1 of part TT of chapter 58 of the laws of 2019, is  
6 amended to read as follows:

7 § 15. This act shall take effect on the thirtieth day after it shall  
8 have become a law; provided, however, that sections three, nine,  
9 twelve-b, thirteen and fourteen of this act shall expire and be deemed  
10 repealed December 1, [~~2024~~] 2029; and provided further that any rules  
11 necessary for the implementation of this act on its effective date shall  
12 be promulgated on or before such effective date, provided that:

13 (a) [~~the amendments to subdivision 1 of section 235 of the vehicle and~~  
14 ~~traffic law made by section one of this act shall not affect the expira-~~  
15 ~~tion of such subdivision and shall be deemed to expire therewith, when~~  
16 ~~upon such date the provisions of section one-a of this act shall take~~  
17 ~~effect,~~

18 (b) ~~the amendments to section 235 of the vehicle and traffic law made~~  
19 ~~by section one-a of this act shall not affect the expiration of such~~  
20 ~~section and shall be deemed to expire therewith, when upon such date the~~  
21 ~~provisions of section one-b of this act shall take effect,~~

22 (c) ~~the amendments to section 235 of the vehicle and traffic law made~~  
23 ~~by section one-b of this act shall not affect the expiration of such~~  
24 ~~section and shall be deemed to expire therewith, when upon such date the~~  
25 ~~provisions of section one-c of this act shall take effect,~~

EXPLANATION--Matter in italics (underscored) is new; matter in brackets  
[-] is old law to be omitted.

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1 ~~(d) the amendments to section 235 of the vehicle and traffic law made~~  
2 ~~by section one c of this act shall not affect the expiration of such~~  
3 ~~section and shall be deemed to expire therewith, when upon such date the~~  
4 ~~provisions of section one d of this act shall take effect;~~

5 ~~(e) the amendments to section 235 of the vehicle and traffic law made~~  
6 ~~by section one d of this act shall not affect the expiration of such~~  
7 ~~section and shall be deemed to expire therewith, when upon such date the~~  
8 ~~provisions of section one e of this act shall take effect;~~

9 ~~(f) the amendments to subdivision 1 of section 236 of the vehicle and~~  
10 ~~traffic law made by section two of this act shall not affect the expira-~~  
11 ~~tion of such subdivision and shall be deemed to expire therewith, when~~  
12 ~~upon such date the provisions of section two a of this act shall take~~  
13 ~~effect;~~

14 ~~(g) the amendments to subdivision 1 of section 236 of the vehicle and~~  
15 ~~traffic law made by section two a of this act shall not affect the expi-~~  
16 ~~ration of such subdivision and shall be deemed to expire therewith, when~~  
17 ~~upon such date the provisions of section two b of this act shall take~~  
18 ~~effect;~~

19 ~~(h) the amendments to subdivision 1 of section 236 of the vehicle and~~  
20 ~~traffic law made by section two b of this act shall not affect the expi-~~  
21 ~~ration of such subdivision and shall be deemed to expire therewith, when~~  
22 ~~upon such date the provisions of section two c of this act shall take~~  
23 ~~effect;~~

24 ~~(i) the amendments to subdivision 1 of section 236 of the vehicle and~~  
25 ~~traffic law made by section two c of this act shall not affect the expi-~~  
26 ~~ration of such subdivision and shall be deemed to expire therewith, when~~  
27 ~~upon such date the provisions of section two d of this act shall take~~  
28 ~~effect;~~

29 ~~(j) the amendments to paragraph f of subdivision 1 of section 239 of~~  
30 ~~the vehicle and traffic law made by section four of this act shall not~~  
31 ~~affect the expiration of such paragraph and shall be deemed to expire~~  
32 ~~therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section four a of this~~  
33 ~~act shall take effect;~~

34 ~~(k) the amendments to paragraph f of subdivision 1 of section 239 of~~  
35 ~~the vehicle and traffic law made by section four a of this act shall not~~  
36 ~~affect the expiration of such paragraph and shall be deemed to expire~~  
37 ~~therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section four b of this~~  
38 ~~act shall take effect;~~

39 ~~(l) the amendments to paragraph f of subdivision 1 of section 239 of~~  
40 ~~the vehicle and traffic law made by section four b of this act shall not~~  
41 ~~affect the expiration of such paragraph and shall be deemed to expire~~  
42 ~~therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section four c of this~~  
43 ~~act shall take effect;~~

44 ~~(m) the amendments to paragraph f of subdivision 1 of section 239 of~~  
45 ~~the vehicle and traffic law made by section four c of this act shall not~~  
46 ~~affect the expiration of such paragraph and shall be deemed to expire~~  
47 ~~therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section four d of this~~  
48 ~~act shall take effect;~~

49 ~~(n) the amendments to subdivisions 1 and 1-a of section 240 of the~~  
50 ~~vehicle and traffic law made by section five of this act shall not~~  
51 ~~affect the expiration of such subdivisions and shall be deemed to expire~~  
52 ~~therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section five a of this~~  
53 ~~act shall take effect;~~

54 ~~(o) the amendments to subdivisions 1 and 1-a of section 240 of the~~  
55 ~~vehicle and traffic law made by section five a of this act shall not~~  
56 ~~affect the expiration of such subdivisions and shall be deemed to expire~~

1 ~~therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section five-b of this~~  
2 ~~act shall take effect;~~

3 ~~(p) the amendments to subdivisions 1 and 1-a of section 240 of the~~  
4 ~~vehicle and traffic law made by section five-b of this act shall not~~  
5 ~~affect the expiration of such subdivisions and shall be deemed to expire~~  
6 ~~therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section five-c of this~~  
7 ~~act shall take effect;~~

8 ~~(q) the amendments to subdivisions 1 and 1-a of section 240 of the~~  
9 ~~vehicle and traffic law made by section five-c of this act shall not~~  
10 ~~affect the expiration of such subdivisions and shall be deemed to expire~~  
11 ~~therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section five-d of this~~  
12 ~~act shall take effect;~~

13 ~~(r) the amendments to paragraphs a and g of subdivision 2 of section~~  
14 ~~240 of the vehicle and traffic law made by section six of this act shall~~  
15 ~~not affect the expiration of such paragraphs and shall be deemed to~~  
16 ~~expire therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section six-a of~~  
17 ~~this act shall take effect;~~

18 ~~(s) the amendments to paragraphs a and g of subdivision 2 of section~~  
19 ~~240 of the vehicle and traffic law made by section six-a of this act~~  
20 ~~shall not affect the expiration of such paragraphs and shall be deemed~~  
21 ~~to expire therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section six-b~~  
22 ~~of this act shall take effect;~~

23 ~~(t) the amendments to paragraphs a and g of subdivision 2 of section~~  
24 ~~240 of the vehicle and traffic law made by section six-b of this act~~  
25 ~~shall not affect the expiration of such paragraphs and shall be deemed~~  
26 ~~to expire therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section six-c~~  
27 ~~of this act shall take effect;~~

28 ~~(u) the amendments to paragraphs a and g of subdivision 2 of section~~  
29 ~~240 of the vehicle and traffic law made by section six-c of this act~~  
30 ~~shall not affect the expiration of such paragraphs and shall be deemed~~  
31 ~~to expire therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section six-d~~  
32 ~~of this act shall take effect;~~

33 ~~(v) the amendments to subdivisions 1 and 2 of section 241 of the vehi-~~  
34 ~~cle and traffic law made by section seven of this act shall not affect~~  
35 ~~the expiration of such subdivisions and shall be deemed to expire there-~~  
36 ~~with, when upon such date the provisions of section seven-a of this act~~  
37 ~~shall take effect;~~

38 ~~(w) the amendments to subdivisions 1 and 2 of section 241 of the vehi-~~  
39 ~~cle and traffic law made by section seven-a of this act shall not affect~~  
40 ~~the expiration of such subdivisions and shall be deemed to expire there-~~  
41 ~~with, when upon such date the provisions of section seven-b of this act~~  
42 ~~shall take effect;~~

43 ~~(x) the amendments to subdivisions 1 and 2 of section 241 of the vehi-~~  
44 ~~cle and traffic law made by section seven-b of this act shall not affect~~  
45 ~~the expiration of such subdivisions and shall be deemed to expire there-~~  
46 ~~with, when upon such date the provisions of section seven-c of this act~~  
47 ~~shall take effect;~~

48 ~~(y) the amendments to subdivisions 1 and 2 of section 241 of the vehi-~~  
49 ~~cle and traffic law made by section seven-c of this act shall not affect~~  
50 ~~the expiration of such subdivisions and shall be deemed to expire there-~~  
51 ~~with, when upon such date the provisions of section seven-d of this act~~  
52 ~~shall take effect;~~

53 ~~(z) the amendments to subparagraph (i) of paragraph a of subdivision~~  
54 ~~5-a of section 401 of the vehicle and traffic law made by section eight~~  
55 ~~of this act shall not affect the expiration of such paragraph and shall~~

1 ~~be deemed to expire therewith, when upon such date the provisions of~~  
2 ~~section eight a of this act shall take effect,~~

3 ~~(aa) the amendments to paragraph a of subdivision 5 a of section 401~~  
4 ~~of the vehicle and traffic law made by section eight a of this act shall~~  
5 ~~not affect the expiration of such paragraph and shall be deemed to~~  
6 ~~expire therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section eight b~~  
7 ~~of this act shall take effect,~~

8 ~~(bb) the amendments to paragraph a of subdivision 5 a of section 401~~  
9 ~~of the vehicle and traffic law made by section eight b of this act shall~~  
10 ~~not affect the expiration of such paragraph and shall be deemed to~~  
11 ~~expire therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section eight c~~  
12 ~~of this act shall take effect,~~

13 ~~(cc) the amendments to paragraph a of subdivision 5 a of section 401~~  
14 ~~of the vehicle and traffic law made by section eight c of this act shall~~  
15 ~~not affect the expiration of such paragraph and shall be deemed to~~  
16 ~~expire therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section eight d~~  
17 ~~of this act shall take effect,~~

18 ~~(dd)]~~ the amendments to subdivision 1 of section 1809 of the vehicle  
19 and traffic law made by section ten of this act shall not affect the  
20 expiration of such subdivision and shall be deemed to expire therewith,  
21 when upon such date the provisions of section ten-a of this act shall  
22 take effect;

23 [~~(ee)]~~ (b) the amendments to subdivision 1 of section 1809 of the  
24 vehicle and traffic law made by section ten-a of this act shall not  
25 affect the expiration of such subdivision and shall be deemed to expire  
26 therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section ten-b of this  
27 act shall take effect;

28 [~~(ff)]~~ (c) the amendments to subdivision 1 of section 1809 of the  
29 vehicle and traffic law made by section ten-b of this act shall not  
30 affect the expiration of such subdivision and shall be deemed to expire  
31 therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section ten-c of this  
32 act shall take effect;

33 [~~(gg)]~~ (d) the amendments to subdivision 1 of section 1809 of the  
34 vehicle and traffic law made by section ten-c of this act shall not  
35 affect the expiration of such subdivision and shall be deemed to expire  
36 therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section ten-d of this  
37 act shall take effect; and

38 [~~(hh) the amendments to paragraph a of subdivision 1 of section 1809 e~~  
39 ~~of the vehicle and traffic law made by section eleven of this act shall~~  
40 ~~not affect the expiration of such paragraph and shall be deemed to~~  
41 ~~expire therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section eleven a~~  
42 ~~of this act shall take effect,~~

43 ~~(ii) the amendments to paragraph a of subdivision 1 of section 1809 e~~  
44 ~~of the vehicle and traffic law made by section eleven a of this act~~  
45 ~~shall not affect the expiration of such paragraph and shall be deemed to~~  
46 ~~expire therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section eleven b~~  
47 ~~of this act shall take effect,~~

48 ~~(jj) the amendments to paragraph a of subdivision 1 of section 1809 e~~  
49 ~~of the vehicle and traffic law made by section eleven b of this act~~  
50 ~~shall not affect the expiration of such paragraph and shall be deemed to~~  
51 ~~expire therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section eleven c~~  
52 ~~of this act shall take effect,~~

53 ~~(kk)]~~ (e) the amendments [~~made~~] to subdivision 1 of section 371 of the  
54 general municipal law made by section twelve of this act shall not  
55 affect the expiration of such subdivision and shall be deemed to expire

1 therewith, when upon such date the provisions of section [~~twelve a~~]  
2 twelve b of this act shall take effect[~~, and~~  
3 ~~(11) the amendments made to section 371 of the general municipal law~~  
4 ~~by section twelve a of this act shall not affect the expiration of such~~  
5 ~~section and shall be deemed to expire therewith, when upon such date the~~  
6 ~~provisions of section twelve b of this act shall take effect].~~  
7 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.