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2023-2024 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. EACHUS -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to requiring standards for the new construction of electric vehicle charging stations to require such stations to have an external cutoff switch

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

Section 1. Subdivision 20 of section 378 of the executive law, as renumbered by section 3 of part RR of chapter 56 of the laws of 2023, is renumbered subdivision 21 and a new subdivision 20 is added to read as follows:

20. Standards requiring new construction of permanently installed residential electric vehicle charging stations to include a red external cutoff switch, a sign with directions to the residence's breaker box, and a brightly labeled sticker placed on the residence's breaker box next to the switch that cuts power to the electric vehicle charging station. Such requirements shall also apply to the sale or transfer of a residence containing a permanently installed electric vehicle charging station. A cutoff switch shall be a hand-operated switch which is capable of cutting off all power and electricity to the vehicle without the need of a key or to unlock the device. For permanently installed residential electric vehicle charging stations, such cutoff switch shall be placed outside of the house or garage.

§ 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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