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IN SENATE

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Introduced by Sens. BROUK, CLEARE, GOUNARDES, MANNION, MYRIE, SEPULVEDA,
  WEBB -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be commit-
  ted to the Committee on Higher Education -- committee discharged, bill
  amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said commit-
  tee

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to requiring student
  identification cards to contain the new national suicide prevention
  lifeline number, 9-8-8, and the crisis text line, 741741

  *The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assem-
bly, do enact as follows:*

1   Section 1. Short title. This act shall be known and may be cited as
2   the "student lifeline act".
3   § 2. The education law is amended by adding a new section 207-b to
4   read as follows:
5   *§ 207-b. Student identification cards. 1. Each institution of higher*
6   *education authorized by the legislature or by the regents of the univer-*
7   *sity of the state of New York to confer academic degrees in this state*
8   *which issues student identification cards to its students shall include*
9   *on such cards:*
10   *a. the national suicide prevention lifeline number, 9-8-8; and*
11   *b. the crisis text line, with instructions "Text GOT5 to 741741".*
12   *2. Each year, prior to the start of a new school year, each institu-*
13   *tion of higher education authorized by the legislature or by the regents*
14   *of the university of the state of New York to confer academic degrees in*
15   *this state which issues student identification cards to its students*
16   *shall certify to the regents that such identification cards have the*
17   *information required under subdivision one of this section.*
18   § 3. This act shall take effect July 16, 2024 and shall apply to
19   student identification cards that are issued, modified, altered or
20   amended on or after such date.