STATE OF NEW YORK

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2023-2024 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

January 20, 2023

Introduced by Sens. MYRIE, LIU -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Elections -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the election law, in relation to providing that a voter may register to vote at any residence to which the voter maintains a continuous connection with an intent to remain

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

- Section 1. Section 5-104 of the election law is amended by adding a 2 new subdivision 3 to read as follows:
 - 3. Nothing in this section shall prevent a voter from registering to vote from any residence to which the voter maintains a continuous connection with an intent to remain, including a second or vacation home or home where a student lives while attending a college or university.
- § 2. The opening paragraph of subdivision 1 of section 8-400 of the election law, as amended by chapter 63 of the laws of 2010, is amended 8 to read as follows:
- A qualified voter may vote as an absentee voter under this chapter 10 11 from a residence at which the voter is registered to vote, including any
- 12 residence to which the voter maintains a continuous connection with an
- 13 intent to remain such as a second or vacation home or home where a
- 14 student lives while attending a college or university, if, on the occur-
- rence of any village election conducted by the board of elections, 15 primary election, special election, general election or New York city
- 17 community school board district or city of Buffalo school district
- 18 election, he or she expects to be:

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19 § 3. 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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