

# STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN ASSEMBLY

April 8, 2026

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Introduced by M. of A. CRUZ -- read once and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

AN ACT to amend the surrogate's court procedure act, in relation to the eligibility of a person who is not a lawful permanent resident to be a fiduciary

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

1 Section 1. Section 707 of the surrogate's court procedure act is  
2 amended by adding a new subdivision 3 to read as follows:

3 3. A person who is not a lawful permanent resident shall not be auto-  
4 atically disqualified to be a fiduciary.

5 § 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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