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Introduced by M. of A. MANKTELOW, BRABENEC, DeSTEFANO, GALLAHAN, SMULLEN
-- read once and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

AN ACT to amend the general obligations law, in relation to noncommercial aviation

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

- 1 Section 1. Paragraph a of subdivision 1 of section 9-103 of the gener-
2 al obligations law, as separately amended by chapters 141 and 286 of the
3 laws of 1984, is amended to read as follows:
4 a. an owner, lessee or occupant of premises, whether or not posted as
5 provided in section 11-2111 of the environmental conservation law, owes
6 no duty to keep the premises safe for entry or use by others for hunt-
7 ing, fishing, organized gleaning as defined in section seventy-one-y of
8 the agriculture and markets law, canoeing, boating, trapping, hiking,
9 cross-country skiing, tobogganing, sledding, speleological activities,
10 horseback riding, bicycle riding, hang gliding, motorized vehicle opera-
11 tion for recreational purposes, snowmobile operation, cutting or gather-
12 ing of wood for non-commercial purposes or training of dogs, noncommer-
13 cial aviation, or to give warning of any hazardous condition or use of
14 or structure or activity on such premises to persons entering for such
15 purposes;
16 § 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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