

STATE OF NEW YORK

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2025-2026 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

January 30, 2025

Introduced by M. of A. SANTABARBARA -- read once and referred to the
Committee on Transportation

AN ACT to amend the vehicle and traffic law, in relation to providing a
transfer on death option for vehicle registrations

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

1 Section 1. The vehicle and traffic law is amended by adding a new
2 section 401-c to read as follows:
3 § 401-c. Transfer on death registration. 1. At the request of the
4 owner, the certificate of title may contain, by attachment, a transfer
5 on death provision where the owner may designate a beneficiary of the
6 vehicle.
7 2. The commissioner shall create a form to accomplish the purposes of
8 subdivision one of this section.
9 § 2. This act shall take effect on the sixtieth day after it shall
10 have become a law.

EXPLANATION--Matter in italics (underscored) is new; matter in brackets
[-] is old law to be omitted.

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