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## IN SENATE

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Introduced by Sen. FAHY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Elections -- recommitted to the Committee on Elections in accordance with Senate Rule 6, sec. 8 -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the election law, in relation to designating certain state university campuses as early voting sites and polling sites

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

1 Section 1. Section 4-104 of the election law is amended by adding a  
2 new subdivision 5-b to read as follows:

3 5-b. Whenever a campus which is operated by the state university of  
4 New York and has an enrollment of at least sixteen thousand students and  
5 an on campus dormitory, a polling place designated for registrants on  
6 such campus shall be at a location approved by such college or universi-  
7 ty; provided, however, that the requirements of this subdivision shall  
8 not apply where a polling place is already designated within one mile of  
9 the geographic boundaries of such campus.

10 § 2. The election law is amended by adding a new section 8-606 to read  
11 as follows:

12 § 8-606. Early voting on state university campuses. Each campus which  
13 is operated by the state university of New York and which has an enroll-  
14 ment of at least sixteen thousand students and an on campus dormitory  
15 shall have an early voting site on such campus; provided, however, that  
16 the requirements of this section shall not apply where an early voting  
17 site is already designated within one mile of the geographic boundaries  
18 of such campus.

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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