STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

April 7, 2026

Introduced by Sen. SKOUFIS -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Ethics and Internal Governance

AN ACT to amend the public officers law, in relation to prohibiting the use of prediction markets and/or mobile sports wagering platforms by certain public officers when using information acquired by such person in the course of their official duties

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

Section 1. Paragraph c of subdivision 3 of section 74 of the public officers law, as amended by section 7 of part K of chapter 286 of the laws of 2016, is amended to read as follows:

c. No officer or employee of a state agency, member of the legislature or legislative employee should disclose confidential information acquired by [~~him or her~~] **such person** in the course of [~~his or her~~] **their** official duties nor use such information **acquired by such person in the course of their official duties** to further [~~his or her~~] **their** personal interests**, including using that information to participate in prediction markets and/or mobile sports wagering platforms that include, but are not limited to:**

(i) Polymarket;

(ii) Kalshi;

(iii) PredictIt;

(iv) Iowa Electronic Market;

(v) Auger;

(vi) Robinhood;

(vii) FanDuel;

(viii) DraftKings.

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall have become a law.

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

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