STATE OF NEW YORK

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Introduced by M. of A. K. BROWN -- read once and referred to the Committee on Libraries and Education Technology

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to requiring libraries have charging stations for plug-in electric vehicles

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

Section 1. The education law is amended by adding a new section 286 to read as follows:

§ 286. Electric vehicle charging stations. 1. For the purposes of this section, the term "parking facility" shall mean a parking garage, parking structure, or open parking lot that is paved and striped to designate individual parking spaces for vehicles.

2. Any parking facility owned and operated by a public library shall include electric vehicle charging stations in at least five percent of the total number of parking spaces offered by such library.

3. Each electric vehicle charging station required pursuant to this section shall support electric vehicle charging with a minimum of forty amperes and two hundred eight volts of electrical capacity. Such electric vehicle charging stations and all other components and work appurtenant thereto shall be in accordance with all applicable state, county, city, town, or village electrical codes.

§ 2. This act shall take effect three years after it shall have become a law. Effective immediately, the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation of this act on its effective date are authorized to be made and completed on or before such effective date.

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

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