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Introduced by Sens. SCARCELLA-SPANTON, FERNANDEZ, C. RYAN -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Labor -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the labor law, in relation to requiring contractors and subcontractors performing construction work for covered renewable energy systems to use apprenticeship agreements

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

Section 1. Subdivision 8 of section 224-d of the labor law, as added by chapter 375 of the laws of 2022, is amended to read as follows:

8. [~~Any~~] **A covered renewable energy system shall require all contractors and subcontractors performing construction work to use apprenticeship agreements, as defined by article twenty-three of this chapter, and any** thermal energy network covered by this section shall **additionally** require [~~all~~] **such** contractors and subcontractors [~~performing construction work~~] to use [~~apprenticeship agreements, as defined by article twenty-three of this chapter, with~~] pre-apprenticeship direct entry providers registered with the department.

§ 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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