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IN SENATE

February 21, 2025

Introduced by Sens. HARCKHAM, HINCHEY, MAYER, SKOUFIS -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Transportation

AN ACT to amend the vehicle and traffic law, in relation to reexamination of licensees

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

Section 1. Section 506 of the vehicle and traffic law is amended by adding a new subdivision 6 to read as follows:

6. The commissioner may require any licensed driver to submit to an examination or reexamination prior to such licensed driver's normal renewal date upon receipt of a recommendation from a court having jurisdiction of traffic offenses, or the governor or chief magistrate of a state or territory stating that the driver's ability to operate a motor vehicle safely is questionable. In reviewing such licensed driver's qualifications to operate a motor vehicle, the commissioner shall only consider the previous ten years of the licensed driver's driving record.

§ 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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