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IN SENATE

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Introduced by Sen. KRUEGER -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Consumer Protection

AN ACT to amend the general business law, in relation to requiring third-party food delivery services to verify that any limited-use motorcycle operated by workers in the course of such delivery service is legally registered

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

Section 1. This act shall be known and may be cited as the "moped registration verification act".

§ 2. Subdivision 1 of section 391-v of the general business law is amended by adding a new paragraph (e) to read as follows:

(e) "Worker" means a natural person who is hired or retained as an independent contractor by a delivery business to make deliveries in exchange for compensation, when such deliveries involve the operation by such person of a limited-use motorcycle or bicycle with or without electric assist.

§ 3. Section 391-v of the general business law is amended by adding a new subdivision 3 to read as follows:

3. (a) A third-party food delivery service shall verify that any worker who elects to operate a limited-use motorcycle, as defined by section one hundred twenty-one-b of the vehicle and traffic law, in the course of making deliveries for such third-party food delivery service has registered such limited-use motorcycle pursuant to section twenty-two hundred sixty-one of the vehicle and traffic law.

(b) A third-party food delivery service shall record each such verification required by paragraph (a) of this subdivision and retain such record for at least one year following the termination of such worker's employment by or engagement with such third-party food delivery service.

§ 4. 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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