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Int. No. 1139

#### By Council Members Borelli, Levine and Rosenthal

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#### Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Paragraph (3) of subdivision a of section 17-804 of the administrative code of the city of New York, as added by local law number 26 for the year 2000, is amended to read as follows:

- (3) in the case of a dog, if such dog, within the time period provided for by law, rule or regulation, is claimed by a person claiming ownership thereof, and such person demonstrates to the satisfaction of the shelter that such dog is a guide dog, hearing dog, service dog or police work dog, or if such person claims, either verbally or in writing, that such dog is an emotional support dog; or
  - § 2. This local law takes effect 120 days after it becomes law, except that the department of health and

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mental hygiene may take such measures as are necessary for the implementation of this local law, including the promulgation of rules, before such date.

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