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Int. No. 330

By Council Members Gennaro, Restler, Abreu, Won, Sanchez, Schulman, Nurse, Cabán, Gutiérrez, Hudson, Bottcher, Riley and Avilés (by request of the Queens Borough President)

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the creation of a database of subsurface conditions to support better engineering of geothermal heat pumps.

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Section 24-804 of chapter 8 of title 24 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding a new subdivision to c to read as follows:

c. Database of subsurface conditions. 1. The department, in conjunction with the department of design

and construction and the department of city planning, shall develop and maintain a database of subsurface conditions by December 31, 2023 to offer resources to support the engineering and design of geothermal heat pump systems.

2. Such database shall be updated annually and shall include:

(a) A repository for geological logs of the city's geothermal bores;

(b) The locations of existing geothermal energy systems; and

(c) The locations of all water wells, including any unused privately owned water wells.

§ 2. This local law takes effect immediately.

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