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A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the provision of menstrual cups in schools

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Subdivision a of section 21-968 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding a new definition of “menstrual cup” in appropriate alphabetical order to read as follows:

Menstrual cup. The term “menstrual cup” means a funnel-shaped device made of a reusable material such as silicone or rubber for use in connection with the menstrual cycle.

§ 2. Section 21-968 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding a new subdivision c to read as follows:

c. The department of health and mental hygiene shall provide each school building with menstrual cups, and the department shall distribute such menstrual cups to students upon request. Such provision of menstrual cups shall not exceed one per student per school year.

§ 3. This local law takes effect 120 days after it becomes law.

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