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A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to extending J-51 benefits to owners of multiple dwellings for green roofs.

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Subdivision a of section 11-243 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding new paragraphs 9, 10 and 11 to read as follows:

- 9. "Green roof" means a roofing system covered with vegetation and soil, or a growing medium, planted over a waterproofing membrane.
 - 10. "Solar panel roof" means a roofing system that utilizes solar panels or a photovoltaic device.
 - 11. "White roof" means a roofing system that utilizes white paint to reflect radiation back into space.
- § 2. Subdivision b of section 11-243 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding a new paragraph 11 to read as follows:
 - ; or (11) the installation or alteration of a green roof, solar panel roof, or a white roof.
 - §3. This local law takes effect immediately.

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