



NEW YORK STATE SENATOR  
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## SERINO: 'TAMPON TAX' TO BE A THING OF THE PAST

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| ISSUE: **TAMPON TAX, WOMEN, SALES TAX**



ALBANY, NY—State Senator Sue Serino (R, C, I—Hyde Park), a freshman Senator from Hyde Park, today announced that the Senate has passed her bill that would finally repeal the infamous ‘tampon tax’:

*“It’s about time. Repealing this out-of-touch tax has been decades in the making. Last week, I announced that an agreement had been reached to repeal this egregious law and today, I am incredibly proud to announce that the infamous ‘tampon tax’ will finally be a thing of the past.*

*There are many issues that simply transcend politics and a unanimous vote in both houses tells you that this is certainly one of them. Moving this legislation forward is a win for consumers and it’s a win for women who have largely shouldered the burden of the tax for generations.*

*With the Governor publicly signaling support for this move, it is my hope that it will be signed into law as soon as possible—New York’s women have waited long enough.”*

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### 2015-S7838

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- Introduced
  - - In Committee Assembly
    - In Committee Senate
  - - On Floor Calendar Assembly
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  - - Passed Assembly
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May 13, 2016

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Do you support this bill?

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