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Introduced by Sens. FARLEY, OPPENHEIMER, DeFRANCISCO, GRIFFO, JOHNSON, KRUGER, LARKIN, MARCELLINO, MAZIARZ, MONTGOMERY, NOZZOLIO, SAMPSON, SEWARD, VALESKY, ZELDIN -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Finance

AN ACT to amend the state finance law, in relation to the inclusion of library systems within the definition of entities that are eligible to apply for local government efficiency grants

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Clause 1 of subparagraph (i) of paragraph o of subdivision 10 of section 54 of the state finance law, as amended by section 7 of part GG of chapter 56 of the laws of 2009, is amended to read as follows:

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For the purposes of this paragraph, "municipality" shall mean (1)counties, cities, towns, villages, special improvement districts, fire districts, public libraries, association libraries, PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEMS AS DEFINED BY SECTION TWO HUNDRED SEVENTY-TWO OF THE EDUCATION LAW, water authorities, sewer authorities, regional planning and development boards, school districts, and boards of cooperative educational services; provided, however, that for the purposes of this definition, a board of cooperative educational services shall be considered a municipality only in instances where such board of cooperative educational services advances a joint application on behalf of school districts and other municipalities within the board of cooperative educational services region; provided, however, that any agreements with a board of cooperative educational services: shall not generate additional aid; shall be deemed not to be a part of the program, capital and administrative budgets of the board of cooperative educational services for the purposes of computing charges upon component school districts pursuant to subparagraph seven of paragraph b of subdivision four of section nineteen hundred fifty and subdivision one of section nineteen hundred

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [] is old law to be omitted.

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fifty and subdivision one of section nineteen hundred fifty-one of the education law; and shall be deemed to be a cooperative municipal service for purposes of subparagraph two of paragraph d of subdivision four of section nineteen hundred fifty of the education law.

5 S 2. This act shall take effect on the thirtieth day after it shall 6 have become a law.