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IN SENATE

March 13, 2014

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AN ACT to provide for the repayment by the Johnson City central school district of certain excess state payments

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

Section 1. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, state building aid payments in the amount of not more than one million nine 3 hundred eighty-nine thousand eight hundred sixty-seven dollars (\$1,989,867) made to the Johnson City central school district in various 5 school years, which included excess payments of which such school district has been notified, and for which a recovery must be made by the 7 state through deduction of future aid payments, shall be reduced through 8 aid deductions totaling such excess payments, by deducting one-sixth of 9 such excess payments from the payments due to such school district and payable in the month of June in the years 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 10 and 2019; provided, however, there shall be no interest penalty assessed 11 12 against such district or collected by the state; and provided, further, 13 that notwithstanding any other provision of this act, any pending payment of moneys due to such district as a prior year adjustment paya-14 ble pursuant to paragraph c of subdivision 5 of section 3604 of the 15 education law for aid claims that had been previously paid in excess as 16 17 current year aid payments for which recovery of excess payments is to be 18 made pursuant to this section, shall be reduced at the time of actual 19 payment by any remaining unrecovered balance of such excess payments, 20 and the remaining scheduled deductions of such excess payments pursuant this section shall be reduced by the commissioner of education to 21 reflect the amount so recovered. 22

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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