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Introduced by Sen. SAVINO -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Local Government

AN ACT to amend chapter 879 of the laws of 1939, relating to a separate union free school district in the town of Mount Pleasant in the County of Westchester, in relation to clarifying the authority of the school district to utilize certain property located outside of its boundaries

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

- 1     Section 1. Chapter 879 of the laws of 1939, relating to a separate  
2 Union Free School District in the town of Mount Pleasant in the County  
3 of Westchester is amended by adding a new section 2-a to read as  
4 follows:  
5     S 2-A. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER LAW, RULE, OR REGULATION TO THE  
6 CONTRARY, IN ADDITION TO THE POWERS GRANTED BY SECTION ONE OF THIS ACT,  
7 SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE NEW YORK STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, THE  
8 BOARD OF EDUCATION SHALL BE AUTHORIZED TO LEASE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 77  
9 CHICAGO AVENUE, IN THE BOROUGH OF STATEN ISLAND, CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR  
10 THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING INSTRUCTION TO STUDENTS ENROLLED IN THIS SCHOOL  
11 DISTRICT.  
12     S 2. The actions of the board of education of the Hawthorne Cedar  
13 Knolls Union Free School District in entering a lease of properties  
14 located at 77 Chicago Avenue, in the borough of Staten Island, city of  
15 New York, prior to the effective date of this act, are hereby ratified,  
16 validated and confirmed notwithstanding its location outside of the  
17 school district boundaries.  
18     S 3. Nothing in this chapter shall authorize Hawthorne Cedar Knolls  
19 Union Free School District and Jewish Board of Family and Children's  
20 Services, Inc., (JBFCs), formerly known as Jewish Board of Guardians,  
21 from effectuating the transactions authorized under this act without  
22 first obtaining any government approvals, consents, licenses, permits  
23 and accreditation otherwise required under law.  
24     S 4. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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