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IN SENATE

March 10, 2014

Introduced by Sen. CARLUCCI -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Veterans, Homeland Security and Military Affairs

AN ACT to amend the real property tax law, in relation to authorizing certain exemptions for school district real property taxes for veterans

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

Section 1. Subparagraph (i) of paragraph d of subdivision 2 of section 458-a of the real property tax law, as amended by chapter 518 of the laws of 2013, is amended to read as follows:

- (i) The exemption from taxation provided by this subdivision shall be applicable to county, city, town, village and school district taxation if the governing body of the school district in which the property is located, after public hearings, adopts a resolution providing such exemption, the procedure for such hearing and resolution shall be conducted separately from the procedure for any hearing and local law or resolution conducted pursuant to subparagraph (ii) of this paragraph, PARAGRAPH (B) OF subdivision four, paragraph (d) of subdivision six and paragraph (b) of subdivision seven of this section.
- 13 2. Subdivision 4 of section 458-a of the real property tax law is 14 amended by adding a new paragraph (b) to read as follows:
 - (B) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW TO THE CONTRARY, LATER THAN NINETY DAYS BEFORE THE TAXABLE STATUS DATE NEXT OCCURRING ON OR AFTER THE THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF DECEMBER, TWO THOUSAND THIRTEEN, GOVERNING BODY OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT MAY REPEAL A RESOLUTION ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SUBPARAGRAPH (I) OF PARAGRAPH (D) OF SUBDIVISION TWO OF THIS SECTION PROVIDING THE EXEMPTION FROM TAXATION PURSUANT TO THIS FOR THE PURPOSES OF TAXES LEVIED BY SUCH SCHOOL DISTRICT. NOTHING CONTAINED IN THIS PARAGRAPH SHALL BE CONSTRUED TO PRECLUDE THE GOVERNING BODY OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT FROM SUBSEQUENTLY ADOPTING A RESOLUTION GRANT-
- 23 24 ING SUCH EXEMPTION PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION.

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S 3. 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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