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Introduced by Sens. GOLDEN, AVELLA, FELDER -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Aging -recommitted to the Committee on Aging in accordance with Senate Rule 6, sec. 8 -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the real property tax law, in relation to increasing maximum income eligibility levels for real property tax exemptions for seniors

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

Section 1. Subparagraph 1 of paragraph (b) of subdivision 1 of section 467 of the real property tax law, as amended by chapter 261 of the laws of 1994, is amended to read as follows:

[Any] PRIOR TO JULY FIRST, TWO THOUSAND EIGHTEEN, ANY local law, ordinance or resolution adopted pursuant to paragraph (a) of this subdivision may be amended, or a local law, ordinance or resolution may be adopted, to provide an exemption so as to increase the maximum income eligibility level of such municipal corporation as provided in subdivision three of this section (represented in the hereinbelow schedule as M), to the extent provided in the following schedule:

11	ANNUAL INCOME	PERCENTAGE ASSESSED VALUATION
12		EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

13 More than (M) but

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less than (M+ \$1,000)14 45 per centum

(M+ \$1,000 or more) but 15

less than (M+ \$2,000)16 40 per centum

(M+ \$2,000 or more) but

less than (M+ \$3,000)

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19 (M+ \$3,000 or more) but

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

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35 per centum

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less than (M+ $3,900)
                                                        30 per centum
   (M+ $3,900 or more) but
   less than (M+ $4,800)
                                                        25 per centum
   (M+ $4,800 \text{ or more}) but
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      less than (M+ $5,700)
                                                        20 per centum
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- S 2. Paragraphs (c) and (d) of subdivision 1 of section 467 of the real property tax law are relettered paragraphs (g) and (h) and four new paragraphs (c), (d), (e) and (f) are added to read as follows:
- (C) ON AND AFTER JULY FIRST, TWO THOUSAND EIGHTEEN AND BEFORE JULY 10 FIRST, TWO THOUSAND NINETEEN, (1) ANY LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION ADOPTED PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH (A) OF THIS SUBDIVISION MAY BE AMENDED, OR 11 A LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION MAY BE ADOPTED, TO PROVIDE AN 12 13 EXEMPTION SO AS TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM INCOME ELIGIBILITY LEVEL OF SUCH MUNICIPAL CORPORATION AS PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISION THREE OF THIS SECTION 15 (REPRESENTED IN THE HEREINBELOW SCHEDULE AS M), TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED 16 IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE:

PERCENTAGE ASSESSED VALUATION 17 ANNUAL INCOME 18 EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

MORE THAN (M) BUT 19

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LESS THAN (M+ \$6,000) 25 PER CENTUM (M+ \$6,000 OR MORE) BUT LESS THAN (M+ \$7,125) 28

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30 20 PER CENTUM

31 (2) ANY LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SUBPAR-32 AGRAPH ONE OF THIS PARAGRAPH MAY BE AMENDED, OR A LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION MAY BE ADOPTED, TO PROVIDE AN EXEMPTION SO AS TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM INCOME ELIGIBILITY LEVEL OF SUCH MUNICIPAL CORPORATION AS 33 34 35 PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISION THREE OF THIS SECTION (REPRESENTED IN THE HERE-INBELOW SCHEDULE AS M), AND AS INCREASED AS PROVIDED FOR IN SUCH SUBPAR-

AGRAPH ONE TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE: 37

38 ANNUAL INCOME PERCENTAGE ASSESSED VALUATION EXEMPT FROM TAXATION 39

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\_\_\_\_ IMAN (M+ \$8,250) 15 PER CENTUM (M+ \$8,250 OR MORE) BUT LESS THAN (M+ \$9,375)

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44 (3) ANY LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SUBPAR-45 AGRAPHS ONE AND TWO OF THIS PARAGRAPH MAY BE AMENDED, OR A LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION MAY BE ADOPTED, TO PROVIDE AN EXEMPTION SO AS TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM INCOME ELIGIBILITY LEVEL OF SUCH MUNICIPAL CORPO-47 RATION AS PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISION THREE OF THIS SECTION (REPRESENTED IN 48 THE HEREINBELOW SCHEDULE AS M), AND AS INCREASED AS PROVIDED FOR IN SUCH 49 50 SUBPARAGRAPH ONE TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE:

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1 EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

- (M+ \$9,375 OR MORE)
- BUT LESS THAN (M+ \$10,500) 5 PER CENTUM
- (D) ON AND AFTER JULY FIRST, TWO THOUSAND NINETEEN AND BEFORE JULY
- FIRST, TWO THOUSAND TWENTY, (1) ANY LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION ADOPTED PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH (A) OF THIS SUBDIVISION MAY BE AMENDED, OR
- A LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION MAY BE ADOPTED, TO PROVIDE AN
- EXEMPTION SO AS TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM INCOME ELIGIBILITY LEVEL OF SUCH
- MUNICIPAL CORPORATION AS PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISION THREE OF THIS SECTION
- (REPRESENTED IN THE HEREINBELOW SCHEDULE AS M), TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED
- IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE:
- PERCENTAGE ASSESSED VALUATION 12 ANNUAL INCOME
- EXEMPT FROM TAXATION 13
- 14 MORE THAN (M) BUT
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- MORE THAN (M) BUT 45 PER CENTUM
  LESS THAN (M+ \$1,500)
  (M+ \$1,500 OR MORE) BUT 40 PER CENTUM 16

- 16 (M+ \$1,500 cm 17 LESS THAN (M+ \$3,000) 18 (M+ \$3,000 OR MORE) BUT 19 LESS THAN (M+ \$4,500) 20 (M+ \$4,500 OR MORE) BUT 21 LESS THAN (M+ \$5,850) 'M+ \$5,850 OR MORE) BUT 25 PER CENTUM LESS THAN (M+ \$7,200) 25 PER CENTUM (M+ \$7,200 OR MORE) BUT LESS THAN (M+ \$8,550) 20 PER CENTUM
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- (2) ANY LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SUBPAR-26 AGRAPH ONE OF THIS PARAGRAPH MAY BE AMENDED, OR A LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE 27
- OR RESOLUTION MAY BE ADOPTED, TO PROVIDE AN EXEMPTION SO AS TO INCREASE 28
- THE MAXIMUM INCOME ELIGIBILITY LEVEL OF SUCH MUNICIPAL CORPORATION AS
- 30 PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISION THREE OF THIS SECTION (REPRESENTED IN THE HERE-
- INBELOW SCHEDULE AS M), AND AS INCREASED AS PROVIDED FOR IN SUCH SUBPAR-
- 32 AGRAPH ONE TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE:
- ANNUAL INCOME

  (M+ \$8,550 OR MORE) BUT
  LESS THAN (M+ \$9,900)
  (M+ \$9,900 OR MORE) BUT
  LESS THAN (M+ \$11,250)

  PERCENTAGE ASSESSED VALUATION

  EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

  15 PER CENTUM 33 34
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- (3) ANY LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SUBPAR-
- AGRAPHS ONE AND TWO OF THIS PARAGRAPH MAY BE AMENDED, OR A LOCAL LAW, 40
- ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION MAY BE ADOPTED TO PROVIDE AN EXEMPTION SO AS TO 41
- INCREASE THE MAXIMUM INCOME ELIGIBILITY LEVEL OF SUCH MUNICIPAL CORPO-
- RATION AS PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISION THREE OF THIS SECTION (REPRESENTED IN 43
- THE HEREINBELOW SCHEDULE AS M), AND AS INCREASED AS PROVIDED FOR IN SUCH

5 PER CENTUM

- SUBPARAGRAPH ONE TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE: 45
- ANNUAL INCOME PERCENTAGE ASSESSED VALUATION 46
- EXEMPT FROM TAXATION 47
- 48 (M+ \$11,250 OR MORE) 49 BUT LESS THAN (M+ \$12,600)

EXTENT PROVIDED IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE:

(E) ON AND AFTER JULY FIRST, TWO THOUSAND TWENTY AND BEFORE JULY FIRST, TWO THOUSAND TWENTY-ONE, (1) ANY LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLJUTION ADOPTED PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH (A) OF THIS SUBDIVISION MAY BE AMENDED, OR A LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION MAY BE ADOPTED, TO PROVIDE AN EXEMPTION SO AS TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM INCOME ELIGIBILITY LEVEL OF SUCH MUNICIPAL CORPORATION AS PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISION THREE OF THIS SECTION (REPRESENTED IN THE HEREINBELOW SCHEDULE AS M), TO THE

ANNUAL INCOME PERCENTAGE ASSESSED VALUATION 10 EXEMPT FROM TAXATION 11 MORE THAN (M) BUT LESS THAN (M+ \$1,750) 45 PER CENTUM 13 (M+ \$1,750 OR MORE) BUT 14 LESS THAN (M+ \$3,500) 40 PER CENTUM (M+ \$3,500 OR MORE) BUT 15 16 LESS THAN (M+ \$5,250) 35 PER CENTUM 17 (M+ \$5,250 OR MORE) BUT LESS THAN (M+ \$6,825) 30 PER CENTUM 19 (M+ \$6,825 OR MORE) BUT 20 LESS THAN (M+ \$8,400) 25 PER CENTUM (M+ \$8,400 OR MORE) BUT 21

LESS THAN (M+ \$9,975)

(2) ANY LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SUBPARAGRAPH ONE OF THIS PARAGRAPH MAY BE AMENDED, OR A LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE
OR RESOLUTION MAY BE ADOPTED, TO PROVIDE AN EXEMPTION SO AS TO INCREASE
THE MAXIMUM INCOME ELIGIBILITY LEVEL OF SUCH MUNICIPAL CORPORATION AS
PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISION THREE OF THIS SECTION (REPRESENTED IN THE HEREINBELOW SCHEDULE AS M), AND AS INCREASED AS PROVIDED FOR IN SUCH SUBPAR-

29 AGRAPH ONE TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE:

36 (3) ANY LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SUBPAR37 AGRAPHS ONE AND TWO OF THIS PARAGRAPH MAY BE AMENDED, OR A LOCAL LAW,
38 ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION MAY BE ADOPTED, TO PROVIDE AN EXEMPTION SO AS TO
39 INCREASE THE MAXIMUM INCOME ELIGIBILITY LEVEL OF SUCH MUNICIPAL CORPO40 RATION AS PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISION THREE OF THIS SECTION (REPRESENTED IN
41 THE HEREINBELOW SCHEDULE AS M), AND AS INCREASED AS PROVIDED FOR IN SUCH
42 SUBPARAGRAPH ONE TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE:

43 ANNUAL INCOME
44 PERCENTAGE ASSESSED VALUATION
EXEMPT FROM TAXATION
45 (M+ \$13,125 OR MORE)
46 BUT LESS THAN (M+ \$14,700)
5 PER CENTUM

(F) ON AND AFTER JULY FIRST, TWO THOUSAND TWENTY-ONE, (1) ANY LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION ADOPTED PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH (A) OF THIS SUBDIVISION MAY BE AMENDED, OR A LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION MAY BE ADOPTED, TO PROVIDE AN EXEMPTION SO AS TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM INCOME ELIGIBILITY LEVEL OF SUCH MUNICIPAL CORPORATION AS PROVIDED IN SUBDIVI-SION THREE OF THIS SECTION (REPRESENTED IN THE HEREINBELOW SCHEDULE AS M), TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE: 7 PERCENTAGE ASSESSED VALUATION ANNUAL INCOME 9 EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

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(2) ANY LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SUBPAR-22 AGRAPH ONE OF THIS PARAGRAPH MAY BE AMENDED, OR A LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE 23 24 OR RESOLUTION MAY BE ADOPTED, TO PROVIDE AN EXEMPTION SO AS TO INCREASE MAXIMUM INCOME ELIGIBILITY LEVEL OF SUCH MUNICIPAL CORPORATION AS PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISION THREE OF THIS SECTION (REPRESENTED IN THE HERE-26 INBELOW SCHEDULE AS M), AND AS INCREASED AS PROVIDED FOR IN SUCH SUBPAR-27 AGRAPH ONE TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE:

29 ANNUAL INCOME PERCENTAGE ASSESSED VALUATION 30 EXEMPT FROM TAXATION 31 32 33

(3) ANY LOCAL LAW, ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SUBPAR-AGRAPHS ONE AND TWO OF THIS PARAGRAPH MAY BE AMENDED, OR A LOCAL LAW, 36 37 ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION MAY BE ADOPTED, TO PROVIDE AN EXEMPTION SO AS TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM INCOME ELIGIBILITY LEVEL OF SUCH MUNICIPAL CORPO-38 RATION AS PROVIDED IN SUBDIVISION THREE OF THIS SECTION (REPRESENTED IN 39 THE HEREINBELOW SCHEDULE AS M), AND AS INCREASED AS PROVIDED FOR IN SUCH SUBPARAGRAPH ONE TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE: 40

PERCENTAGE ASSESSED VALUATION
EXEMPT FROM TAXATION 42 ANNUAL INCOME 43 EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

44 (M+ \$15,000 OR MORE) BUT

5 PER CENTUM 45 LESS THAN (M+ \$16,800)

S 3. This act shall take effect immediately.