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IN SENATE

May 19, 2017

Introduced by Sen. JACOBS -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to incentivizing reductions in pupil transportation costs

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. Section 3602 of the education law is amended by adding a
2 new subdivision 7-a to read as follows:

3 7-a. Apportionment for incentivizing reduction in pupil transportation
4 costs. In addition to the foregoing apportionment, there shall be appor-
5 tioned to any school district for pupil transportation, an amount based
6 on the difference between the current total annual allowable mileage, as
7 defined in section thirty-six hundred twenty-one of this article, and
8 the highest total annual allowable mileage the school district has had
9 over the previous five years. The amount of such apportionment shall be
10 calculated as the reduction in the school district's apportionment for
11 pupil transportation due to the reduction in total annual allowable
12 mileage compared to the apportionment the year the school district had
13 its highest total annual allowable mileage over the previous five years
14 for the first year of the reduction, half of the reduction in appor-
15 tionment in the second year of the reduction, and a quarter of the reduction
16 in apportionment in the third year of the reduction. Such apportionment
17 shall be used on costs associated with conversion of that school
18 district to a walkable school model.

19 § 2. This act shall take effect on the first of July next succeeding
20 the date on which it shall have become a law.

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

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