

STATE OF NEW YORK

5979

2019-2020 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

February 22, 2019

Introduced by M. of A. JONES -- read once and referred to the Committee on Election Law

AN ACT to amend the election law, in relation to signatures for designating petitions for political subdivisions outside the city of New York; and providing for the repeal of such provisions upon expiration thereof

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

1 Section 1. Section 6-136 of the election law is amended by adding a
2 new subdivision 5 to read as follows:

3 5. Notwithstanding subdivision two of this section, for designating
4 petitions for political subdivisions outside the city of New York,
5 except for the position of member of ward, town, city or county commit-
6 tee, such petitions must be signed by not less than three and three-
7 quarters per centum, as determined by the preceding enrollment, of the
8 then enrolled voters of the party residing within the political unit in
9 which the office or position is to be voted for (excluding voters in
10 inactive status). The reductions provided by subdivision four of this
11 section as added by chapter seventeen of the laws of two thousand nine-
12 teen shall also apply.

13 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall expire December
14 31, 2019 when upon such date the provisions of this act shall be deemed
15 repealed.

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

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