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IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. ZEBROWSKI, WOERNER, GALEF, BRABENEC -- read once and referred to the Committee on Real Property Taxation -- 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 requiring assessors using the comparable sales method for assessments to consider certain comparable properties in formulating the assessment

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

Section 1. The real property tax law is amended by adding a new section 305-a to read as follows:

§ 305-a. Assessment using the comparable sales, income capitalization or cost method. When determining the value of a property using the comparable sales, income capitalization or cost method, the following shall be considered when selecting appropriate sales or rentals comparable to the subject property:

1. sales or rentals of properties exhibiting similar current use or the use at the time of sale in the same real estate market segment. Comparable properties should include properties located in proximate location to the subject property unless there is an inadequate number of appropriate sales or rentals within the same market segment; and

2. sales or rentals of properties that are similar in age, condition, current use or the use at the time of sale, type of construction, location, design, physical features and economic characteristics including similarities in occupancy and income generating potential.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall apply to assessment rolls prepared on or after January 1, 2022.

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

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