

STATE OF NEW YORK

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2021-2022 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

October 18, 2021

Introduced by Sen. COMRIE -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Rules -- recommitted to the Committee on Local Government 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 general municipal law, in relation to prohibiting individuals in certain positions from taking any position with a business or entity doing business with an industrial development authority

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

1 Section 1. Section 883 of the general municipal law, as amended by
2 section 7 of part J of chapter 59 of the laws of 2013, is amended to
3 read as follows:

4 § 883. Conflicts of interest. 1. All members, officers, and employees
5 of an agency or industrial development authority established by this
6 chapter or created by the public authorities law shall be subject to the
7 provisions of article eighteen of this chapter.

8 2. No member, officer, employee or independent contractor of any agen-
9 cy or industrial development authority established by this chapter or
10 the public authorities law shall take any position, whether paid or
11 unpaid, including but not limited to an independent contractor, with any
12 business or entity applying for or receiving financial assistance from
13 such agency or industrial development authority while employed by or
14 rendering services to such agency or industrial development authority or
15 within two years after termination of such employment or rendering of
16 services.

17 3. Any person who violates the provisions of subdivision two of this
18 section and is compensated or receives any benefit due to such violation
19 shall pay a civil penalty to the agency or industrial development
20 authority in an amount equal to five times the compensation or benefit
21 received by such person. These penalties shall be in addition to any
22 criminal liability.

23 § 2. 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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