STATE OF NEW YORK

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2025-2026 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

January 21, 2025

Introduced by M. of A. OTIS -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the public officers law, in relation to expanding the definition of agency

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

Section 1. Subdivision 3 of section 86 of the public officers law, as added by chapter 933 of the laws of 1977, is amended to read as follows:

3. "Agency" means any state or municipal department, board, bureau, division, commission, committee, public authority, public corporation, council, office or other governmental entity performing a governmental or proprietary function for the state or any one or more municipalities thereof, **as well as entities created by an agency and that are governed by a board of directors or similar body a majority of which is designated by one or more state or local government officials,** except the judiciary or the state legislature.

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after 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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