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Introduced by Sens. SKOUFIS, RAMOS -- read twice and ordered printed,
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and Government 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 Assem-
bly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. Subdivision 3 of section 86 of the public officers law, as
2 added by chapter 933 of the laws of 1977, is amended to read as follows:
3 3. "Agency" means any state or municipal department, board, bureau,
4 division, commission, committee, public authority, public corporation,
5 council, office or other governmental entity performing a governmental
6 or proprietary function for the state or any one or more municipalities
7 thereof, as well as entities created by an agency and that are governed
8 by a board of directors or similar body a majority of which is desig-
9 nated by one or more state or local government officials, except the
10 judiciary or the state legislature.
11 § 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall
12 have become a law.

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

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