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Introduced by M. of A. SCARBOROUGH -- read once and referred to the  
Committee on Children and Families

AN ACT to amend the executive law and the state finance law, in relation  
to establishing a juvenile justice smart investment program for the  
purpose of reducing juvenile justice placements through program  
modifications and services

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEM-  
BLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1     Section 1. The executive law is amended by adding a new section 531-a  
2     to read as follows:  
3     S 531-A. THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SMART INVESTMENT PROGRAM. 1. THERE IS  
4     HEREBY CREATED A JUVENILE JUSTICE SMART INVESTMENT PROGRAM. FUNDS FOR  
5     THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SMART INVESTMENT PROGRAM SHALL BE APPROPRIATED  
6     PURSUANT TO SECTION NINETY-NINE-T OF THE STATE FINANCE LAW. AMOUNTS  
7     APPROPRIATED TO THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SMART INVESTMENT PROGRAM PURSUANT  
8     TO THIS SECTION OR SECTION NINETY-NINE-T OF THE STATE FINANCE LAW SHALL  
9     BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE OFFICE OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES WHICH  
10    SHALL ONLY USE SUCH APPROPRIATIONS TO FUND PROGRAMS OR SERVICES THAT  
11    SEEK TO REDUCE THE NUMBER OF JUVENILE JUSTICE PLACEMENTS PURSUANT TO  
12    SUBDIVISION THREE OR FOUR OF SECTION 353.3 OF THE FAMILY COURT ACT, OR  
13    JUVENILE DETENTION AS DEFINED IN SUBDIVISION THREE OF SECTION FIVE  
14    HUNDRED TWO OF THIS ARTICLE. SUCH PROGRAMS AND SERVICES SHALL INCLUDE,  
15    BUT NOT BE LIMITED TO, DEMONSTRATED EFFECTIVE PROGRAMS SUCH AS  
16    EVIDENCE-BASED PROGRAMS OR SERVICES THAT PROVIDE ALTERNATIVES, OR SEEK  
17    TO DIVERT YOUTH FROM DETENTION AS DEFINED IN SUBDIVISION THREE OF  
18    SECTION FIVE HUNDRED TWO OF THIS ARTICLE OR RESIDENTIAL PLACEMENT WITH  
19    THE OFFICE OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES PURSUANT TO SUBDIVISION THREE  
20    OR FOUR OF SECTION 353.3 OF THE FAMILY COURT ACT.  
21    S 2. The state finance law is amended by adding a new section 99-t to  
22    read as follows:  
23    S 99-T. THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SMART INVESTMENT PROGRAM ACCOUNT. 1.  
24    THERE IS HEREBY CREATED A MISCELLANEOUS SPECIAL REVENUE FUND TO BE KNOWN  
25    AS THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SMART INVESTMENT PROGRAM ACCOUNT. THE JUVENILE  
26    JUSTICE SMART INVESTMENT PROGRAM ACCOUNT IS ESTABLISHED IN THE JOINT

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

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1 CUSTODY OF THE STATE COMPTROLLER AND THE COMMISSIONER OF TAXATION AND  
2 FINANCE.

3 2. THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SMART INVESTMENT PROGRAM ACCOUNT SHALL CONSIST  
4 OF FIFTY PERCENT OF THE SAVINGS THE STATE ACHIEVES ANNUALLY, AS CALCU-  
5 LATED IN THE FINANCIAL PLAN AS DEFINED IN SUBDIVISION SEVEN-A OF SECTION  
6 TWO OF THIS CHAPTER, AS A RESULT OF ANY ACTIONS TAKEN IN THE CURRENT  
7 STATE FISCAL YEAR OR ANY PREVIOUS STATE FISCAL YEARS.

8 3. AMOUNTS APPROPRIATED TO THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SMART INVESTMENT  
9 PROGRAM PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION OR PURSUANT TO SECTION FIVE HUNDRED  
10 THIRTY-ONE-A OF THE EXECUTIVE LAW SHALL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE OFFICE  
11 OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES WHICH SHALL ONLY USE SUCH APPROPRIATIONS  
12 TO FUND PROGRAMS OR SERVICES THAT SEEK TO REDUCE THE NUMBER OF JUVENILE  
13 JUSTICE PLACEMENTS PURSUANT TO SUBDIVISION THREE OR FOUR OF SECTION  
14 353.3 OF THE FAMILY COURT ACT, OR JUVENILE DETENTION AS DEFINED IN  
15 SUBDIVISION THREE OF SECTION FIVE HUNDRED TWO OF THE EXECUTIVE LAW. SUCH  
16 PROGRAMS AND SERVICES SHALL INCLUDE, BUT NOT BE LIMITED TO, DEMONSTRATED  
17 EFFECTIVE PROGRAMS SUCH AS EVIDENCE-BASED PROGRAMS OR SERVICES THAT  
18 PROVIDE ALTERNATIVES, OR SEEK TO DIVERT YOUTH FROM DETENTION AS DEFINED  
19 IN SUBDIVISION THREE OF SECTION FIVE HUNDRED TWO OF THE EXECUTIVE LAW OR  
20 RESIDENTIAL PLACEMENT WITH THE OFFICE OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES  
21 PURSUANT TO SUBDIVISION THREE OR FOUR OF SECTION 353.3 OF THE FAMILY  
22 COURT ACT.

23 S 3. This act shall take effect April 1, 2010.