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Introduced by M. of A. DESTITO, REILLY, LANCMAN, COLTON, CHRISTENSEN -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. HAWLEY, PHEFFER, SEMINERIO -- read once and referred to the Committee on Health

AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to postponing the calculation of the operating cost component of rates paid by governmental agencies for inpatient services provided by residential health care facilities based on the number of patients eligible for medical assistance

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

Section 1. Paragraph (g) of subdivision 2-b of section 2808 of the public health law, as added by section 36 of part C of chapter 58 of the laws of 2007, is amended to read as follows:

(g) Notwithstanding any contrary provision of this subdivision or any other contrary provision of law, rule or regulation, rates of payment for inpatient services provided on and after April first, two thousand [nine] *ELEVEN* by residential health care facilities shall, except for the establishment of any statewide or any peer group base, mean or ceiling prices per day, be calculated utilizing only the number of patients properly assessed and reported in each patient classification group and eligible for medical assistance pursuant to title eleven of article five of the social services law.

S 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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