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Introduced by M. of A. KAVANAGH, PERALTA, GREENE, PERRY, ESPAILLAT -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. CAMARA, CLARK, WEISENBERG -- read once and referred to the Committee on Social Services

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to certain time periods in the safety net program

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

Section 1. Subparagraph (iii) of paragraph (a) of subdivision 2 of section 350 of the social services law, as amended by chapter 214 of the laws of 1998, is amended to read as follows:

(iii) [provided that] periods in which an adult receives cash assistance in the safety net assistance program THAT WAS NOT FUNDED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY THE TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE TO NEEDY FAMILIES BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM shall NOT be included in the cumulative period referred to in this paragraph [regardless of whether such assistance]. PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT PERIODS IN WHICH AN ADULT RECEIVES CASH ASSISTANCE IN THE SAFETY NET ASSISTANCE PROGRAM THAT was funded in whole or in part by the temporary assistance to needy families block grant program SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE CUMULATIVE PERIOD REFERRED TO IN THIS PARAGRAPH;

S 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred eightieth day after it shall have become law and shall apply to grants and assistance provided on and after such date; provided however, that effective immediately, the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation of this act on its effective date is authorized and directed to be made and completed on or before such effective date.

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

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