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

AN ACT to amend the public officers law, in relation to prohibiting local elected officials from holding two elected offices at the same time

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

Section 1. Section 3 of the public officers law is amended by adding a new subdivision 1-a to read as follows:

1-A. NO PERSON SHALL BE CAPABLE OF BEING ELECTED TO A LOCAL OFFICE WHEN HE OR SHE ALREADY HAS BEEN ELECTED AND CURRENTLY SERVES IN A LOCAL OFFICE, NOR SHALL A PERSON BE CAPABLE OF BEING ELECTED TO TWO LOCAL OFFICES AT THE SAME TIME.

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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