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AN ACT to amend the tax law and the state finance law, in relation to the love your library fund

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

Section 1. The tax law is amended by adding a new section 209-G to read as follows:

S 209-G. GIFT TO THE LOVE YOUR LIBRARY FUND. EFFECTIVE FOR ANY TAX YEAR COMMENCING ON OR AFTER JANUARY FIRST, TWO THOUSAND TEN, A TAXPAYER IN ANY TAXABLE YEAR MAY ELECT TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE LOVE YOUR LIBRARY FUND. SUCH CONTRIBUTION SHALL BE IN ANY WHOLE DOLLAR AMOUNT AND SHALL NOT REDUCE THE AMOUNT OF THE STATE TAX OWED BY SUCH TAXPAYER. THE COMMISSIONER SHALL INCLUDE SPACE ON THE CORPORATE INCOME TAX RETURN TO ENABLE A TAXPAYER TO MAKE SUCH CONTRIBUTION. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, ALL REVENUES COLLECTED PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION SHALL BE CREDITED TO THE LOVE YOUR LIBRARY FUND AND SHALL BE USED ONLY FOR THOSE PURPOSES ENUMERATED IN SECTION NINETY-NINE-L OF THE STATE FINANCE LAW, AS ADDED BY CHAPTER THREE HUNDRED THREE OF THE LAWS OF TWO THOUSAND FOUR.

S 2. The tax law is amended by adding a new section 630-b to read as follows:

S 630-B. GIFT TO THE LOVE YOUR LIBRARY FUND. EFFECTIVE FOR ANY TAX YEAR COMMENCING ON OR AFTER JANUARY FIRST, TWO THOUSAND TEN, AN INDIVIDUAL IN ANY TAXABLE YEAR MAY ELECT TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE LOVE YOUR LIBRARY FUND. SUCH CONTRIBUTION SHALL BE IN ANY WHOLE DOLLAR AMOUNT AND SHALL NOT REDUCE THE AMOUNT OF STATE TAX OWED BY SUCH INDIVIDUAL. THE COMMISSIONER SHALL INCLUDE SPACE ON THE PERSONAL INCOME TAX RETURN TO ENABLE A TAXPAYER TO MAKE SUCH CONTRIBUTION. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW ALL REVENUES COLLECTED PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION SHALL BE CREDITED

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

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TO THE LOVE YOUR LIBRARY FUND AND USED ONLY FOR THOSE PURPOSES ENUMERATED IN SECTION NINETY-NINE-L OF THE STATE FINANCE LAW, AS ADDED BY CHAPTER THREE HUNDRED THREE OF THE LAWS OF TWO THOUSAND FOUR.

S 3. Subdivision 2 of section 99-l of the state finance law, as added by chapter 303 of the laws of 2004, is amended to read as follows:

2. Such fund shall consist of all revenues received by the department of motor vehicles pursuant to section four hundred four-v of the vehicle and traffic law, AS ADDED BY CHAPTER THREE HUNDRED THREE OF THE LAWS OF TWO THOUSAND FOUR, ALL THE REVENUES RECEIVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION AND FINANCE PURSUANT TO SECTIONS TWO HUNDRED NINE-G AND SIX HUNDRED THIRTY-B OF THE TAX LAW and all other moneys appropriated, credited, or transferred thereto from any other fund or source pursuant to law.

S 4. This act shall take effect immediately.