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Introduced by Sens. AUBERTINE, VALESKY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Higher Education

AN ACT directing the president of the State University of New York Upstate Medical University to conduct a study to explore the viability and compelling need for branch campuses of the State University of New York Upstate Medical University in the Fort Drum/Watertown and Mohawk Valley Regions of New York State

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

1 Section 1. The president of the State University of New York Upstate
2 Medical University shall conduct a study to examine, evaluate and make
3 recommendations concerning the viability and compelling need for estab-
4 lishment of branch campuses of the Upstate Medical University in the
5 Fort Drum/Watertown region and the Mohawk Valley region of the state,
6 including the greater Utica and Rome areas. The purposes of such branch
7 campuses would be to institute cooperation between Upstate Medical
8 University and the health care, higher education, and business leader-
9 ship of those regions to complement their services and establish new
10 programs designed to meet the health care education and training, and
11 the health care needs of such surrounding communities.

12 S 2. The president of the State University of the New York Upstate
13 Medical University shall report the findings of such study to the gover-
14 nor, the legislature, and the board of trustees of the State University
15 of New York, on or before January 1, 2010.

16 S 3. 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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