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Introduced by M. of A. V. LOPEZ -- read once and referred to the Committee on Social Services

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to eliminating the fifty per centum match requirement in the single room occupancy support services program for certain projects

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

Section 1. Section 45-e of the social services law, as added by chapter 765 of the laws of 1987, is amended to read as follows:

S 45-e. Reimbursement. Expenditures made by a social services district for grants made pursuant to this title shall be reimbursed by the state at the rate of fifty per centum, after first deducting therefrom any federal funds properly received or to be received on account thereof; provided, however, that in lieu of local financial participation required by this section, the commissioner OF THE OFFICE OF TEMPORARY AND DISABILITY ASSISTANCE may permit a social services district to substitute actual or in-kind expenditures incurred by eligible applicants in the operation of eligible projects if [the] SUCH commissioner determines that:

(a) local social services district financial participation is unavailable in all or a portion of such expenditures although such district financial participation in the single room occupancy support services program equals or exceeds such financial participation in the previous program year; and

(b) such eligible projects require financial assistance under this title to ensure the financial viability of supportive services programs.

Actual or in-kind expenditures made by an eligible applicant receiving assistance pursuant to section forty-five-c of this title shall be reimbursed by the state at the rate of [fifty per centum after first deducting therefrom any federal funds properly received or to be received on account thereof] ONE HUNDRED PER CENTUM IF THE ELIGIBLE PROJECT IS

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

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LOCATED IN A MUNICIPALITY HAVING A POPULATION OF LESS THAN ONE MILLION; OTHERWISE THE REIMBURSEMENT BY THE STATE SHALL BE AT THE RATE OF FIFTY PER CENTUM.

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.