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AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to consistency among local disaster preparedness plans

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

1     Section 1. The executive law is amended by adding a new section 23-c  
2     to read as follows:  
3     S 23-C.     CONSISTENCY AMONG LOCAL DISASTER PREPAREDNESS PLANS. 1. THE  
4     LOCAL DISASTER PREPAREDNESS PLANS FOR EACH COUNTY, CITY, TOWN, OR  
5     VILLAGE SHALL BE SO DEVELOPED THAT NO PART OF THE LOCAL DISASTER  
6     PREPAREDNESS PLAN OF ANY COUNTY OR ANY CITY, TOWN, OR VILLAGE WITHIN  
7     SUCH COUNTY CONFLICTS WITH ANY PART OF THE LOCAL DISASTER PREPAREDNESS  
8     PLAN OF ANY OF THE OTHER SAID ENTITIES WITHIN SUCH COUNTY OR SUCH COUNTY  
9     ITSELF. IN THE EVENT OF ANY SUCH CONFLICT, SUCH CONFLICT SHALL BE  
10    RESOLVED BY SUCH COUNTY. THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBDIVISION SHALL NOT  
11    APPLY TO A CITY WHOLLY CONTAINING MORE THAN ONE COUNTY OR TO ANY COUNTY  
12    WHOLLY CONTAINED WITHIN ANY SUCH CITY.  
13    2.     IN THE EVENT THAT ANY PART OF THE LOCAL DISASTER PREPAREDNESS PLAN  
14    OF ANY COUNTY OR ANY CITY, TOWN, OR VILLAGE WITHIN SUCH COUNTY CONFLICTS  
15    WITH ANY PART OF THE LOCAL DISASTER PREPAREDNESS PLAN OF ANY OTHER COUN-  
16    TY OR ANY CITY, TOWN, OR VILLAGE WITHIN ANY SUCH OTHER COUNTY, SUCH  
17    CONFLICT SHALL BE RESOLVED BY THE STATE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT OFFICE, AS  
18    DEFINED IN PARAGRAPH (E) OF SUBDIVISION ONE OF SECTION TWENTY-NINE-E OF  
19    THIS ARTICLE. THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBDIVISION SHALL NOT APPLY TO ANY  
20    COUNTY WHOLLY CONTAINED WITHIN A CITY WHOLLY CONTAINING MORE THAN ONE  
21    COUNTY. ANY CITY WHOLLY CONTAINING MORE THAN ONE COUNTY SHALL BE SUBJECT  
22    TO THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBDIVISION AS IF IT WERE A COUNTY.

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

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1     3. SAID STATE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT OFFICE IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED AND  
2 DIRECTED TO PROMULGATE ANY RULES OR REGULATIONS OR TAKE ANY OTHER MEAS-  
3 URES NECESSARY TO EFFECTUATE THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION.

4     S 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred eightieth day after  
5 it shall have become a law. Effective immediately the state emergency  
6 management office, as defined in paragraph (e) of subdivision 1 of  
7 section 29-e of the executive law, is authorized to promulgate any and  
8 all rules and regulations and take any other measures necessary for the  
9 timely implementation of this act on its effective date on or before  
10 such date.