## IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. O'DONNELL -- read once and referred to the Committee on Education

AN ACT to amend the family court act, in relation to contracts for the transportation of children

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

Section 1. Subdivision 3 of section 236 of the family court act, as amended by chapter 705 of the laws of 1992, is amended to read as follows:

- 3. (a) Every such order for services to be provided after September first, nineteen hundred eighty-six which provides for the transportation of a child shall further require that such transportation shall be provided by the county or the city of New York, as the case may be, and, that the city of New York may delegate the authority to provide such transportation to the board of education OR THE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT of such city.
- (b) Such order shall further require that such transportation shall be provided within thirty days of the issuance of such order, and, shall be provided as part of a municipal cooperation agreement [or], as part of a contract awarded to the lowest responsible bidder in accordance with the provisions of section one hundred three of the general municipal law, OR AS PART OF A CONTRACT AWARDED PURSUANT TO AN EVALUATION OF PROPOSALS TO THE EXTENT AUTHORIZED BY PARAGRAPHS E AND F OF SUBDIVISION FOURTEEN OF SECTION THREE HUNDRED FIVE OF THE EDUCATION LAW AND OTHERWISE CONSISTENT WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBDIVISION, and that buses and vehicles utilized in the performance of such contract shall meet the minimum requirements for school age children as established by the commissioner of transportation.
  - 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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