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Introduced by M. of A. REILLY, BING, GALEF, ROBERTS, ZEBROWSKI, SCHIM-MINGER, COOK, AUBRY, ENGLEBRIGHT, P. RIVERA, PERRY, SPANO, CAHILL, MILLMAN, MARKEY, J. RIVERA, ROBINSON, LIFTON, TITUS, GUNTHER, N. RIVERA, SCHROEDER, GABRYSZAK, JAFFEE, SCHIMEL, DenDEKKER, LINARES, M. MILLER, STEVENSON, WEPRIN, RUSSELL, CLARK -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. ABINANTI, BRENNAN, MAGEE, MCENENY, MURRAY, THIELE, WEISENBERG -- read once and referred to the Committee on Libraries and Education Technology -- reported and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee -- again reported from said committee with amendments, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the state finance law, in relation to the inclusion of library systems within the definition of entities that are eligible to apply for local government efficiency grants

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

1 Section 1. Clause 1 of subparagraph (i) of paragraph r of subdivision
2 10 of section 54 of the state finance law, as added by section 3 of part
3 K of chapter 57 of the laws of 2011, is amended to read as follows:
4 (1) For the purposes of this paragraph, "municipality" shall mean a
5 county, city, town, village, special improvement district, fire
6 district, public library, association library, OR PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM
7 AS DEFINED BY SECTION TWO HUNDRED SEVENTY-TWO OF THE EDUCATION LAW,
8 PROVIDED HOWEVER, THAT FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS DEFINITION, A PUBLIC
9 LIBRARY SYSTEM SHALL BE CONSIDERED A MUNICIPALITY ONLY IN INSTANCES
10 WHERE SUCH PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM ADVANCES A JOINT APPLICATION ON BEHALF
11 OF ITS MEMBER LIBRARIES, water authority, sewer authority, regional
12 planning and development board, school district, or board of cooperative
13 educational services; provided, however, that for the purposes of this
14 definition, a board of cooperative educational services shall be consid-

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

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1 ered a municipality only in instances where such board of cooperative
2 educational services advances a joint application on behalf of school
3 districts and other municipalities within the board of cooperative
4 educational services region; provided, however, that any agreements with
5 a board of cooperative educational services: shall not generate addi-
6 tional state aid; shall be deemed not to be a part of the program, capi-
7 tal and administrative budgets of the board of cooperative educational
8 services for the purposes of computing charges upon component school
9 districts pursuant to subdivision one and subparagraph seven of para-
10 graph b of subdivision four of section nineteen hundred fifty and subdi-
11 vision one of section nineteen hundred fifty-one of the education law;
12 and shall be deemed to be a cooperative municipal service for purposes
13 of subparagraph two of paragraph d of subdivision four of section nine-
14 teen hundred fifty of the education law.

15 S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.