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I N A S S E M B L Y

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

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to tracking and reporting costs associated with the implementation of annual professional performance reviews

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

Section 1. Short title. This act shall be known and may be cited as the "APPR implementation cost association act of 2012".

S 2. Subdivision 8 of section 3012-c of the education law is renumbered subdivision 9 and a new subdivision 8 is added to read as follows:

8. A. EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT, EXCLUDING THE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICTS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BUFFALO, ROCHESTER, SYRACUSE, AND YONKERS, SHALL ANNUALLY TRACK ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE IMPLEMENTATION AND COMPLIANCE OF THIS SECTION AND ANY REGULATIONS ESTABLISHED BY THE COMMISSIONER IN RELATION TO THIS SECTION.

B. EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT, EXCLUDING THE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICTS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BUFFALO, ROCHESTER, SYRACUSE, AND YONKERS, SHALL SUBMIT TO THE COMPTROLLER AN ANNUAL PROFESSIONAL PERFORMANCE REVIEW EXPENDITURE REPORT OF ALL COSTS INCURRED BY THE DISTRICT IN ORDER TO IMPLEMENT AND COMPLY WITH THIS SECTION AND ANY REGULATIONS ESTABLISHED BY THE COMMISSIONER IN RELATION TO THIS SECTION. SUCH REPORT SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE COMPTROLLER ANNUALLY ON THE FIRST DAY OF AUGUST FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE THIRTIETH PRECEDING.

C. THE COMPTROLLER SHALL MAKE EACH REPORT SUBMITTED TO HIM OR HER PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH B OF THIS SUBDIVISION AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC WITHIN SIXTY DAYS OF HIS OR HER RECEIPT OF SUCH REPORT.

D. THE REPORT COMPILED IN ACCORDANCE WITH PARAGRAPH B OF THIS SUBDIVISION SHALL INCLUDE, BUT NOT BE LIMITED TO:

(I) EVALUATION PROCEDURES, INCLUDING:

(A) RUBRIC CHOICE;

(B) ADMINISTRATIVE TRAINING TO CERTIFY EVALUATORS OF TEACHERS;

(C) ADMINISTRATIVE TRAINING TO CERTIFY EVALUATORS OF PRINCIPALS;

(D) TEACHER TRAINING ON RUBRIC; AND

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

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(E) ATTORNEY FEES ASSOCIATED WITH NEGOTIATIONS AND POTENTIAL ARBITRATIONS.

(II) STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT DATA, INCLUDING:

(A) STATE ASSESSMENT ADMINISTRATION (PER STUDENT COST);

(B) SCORING STATE ASSESSMENTS (REGIONAL/CLUSTER); AND

(C) LOCAL ASSESSMENT CHOICE (PER STUDENT COST).

(III) OTHER MEASURES OF EFFECTIVENESS, INCLUDING:

(A) TEACHER TRAINING IN THE DISTRICT'S SCORING OF THE OTHER MEASURES FOR TEACHER EVALUATION, INCLUDING SUBSTITUTE COVERAGE, ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION AND TIME OFF;

(B) PRINCIPAL TRAINING IN THE DISTRICT'S SCORING OF THE OTHER MEASURES FOR PRINCIPAL EVALUATION; AND

(C) ATTORNEY FEES ASSOCIATED WITH NEGOTIATING OTHER MEASURES.

(IV) DATA, INCLUDING DATA COLLECTION AND SUBMISSION TO THE STATE.

(V) PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT, INCLUDING:

(A) TEACHER/PRINCIPAL IMPROVEMENT AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT/FACILITATION; AND

(B) CONTINUOUS ADMINISTRATIVE TRAINING TO ENSURE INTER-RATER RELIABILITY.

(VI) ANY OTHER COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE ANNUAL PROFESSIONAL PERFORMANCE REVIEW.

S 3. This act shall take effect immediately.