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IN ASSEMBLY

April 20, 2012

- Introduced by M. of A. LAVINE -- read once and referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs
- AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to requiring that three percent of all state contracts be procured to veteran-owned and service-disabled veteran-owned businesses

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 369 2 to read as follows:

3 S 369. STATE CONTRACT OPPORTUNITIES FOR VETERAN-OWNED AND SERVICE-DIS-4 ABLED VETERAN-OWNED BUSINESSES. 1. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, A 5 "VETERAN-OWNED AND SERVICE-DISABLED VETERAN-OWNED BUSINESS" SHALL MEAN A 6 BUSINESS THAT IS: (A) FIFTY-ONE PERCENT OWNED BY A VETERAN AND (B) HAS 7 AN ANNUAL GROSS SALES OF LESS THAN SEVENTY-FIVE MILLION DOLLARS.

8 2. THE DIRECTOR SHALL PROMULGATE RULES AND REGULATIONS THAT PROVIDE 9 MEASURES AND PROCEDURES TO ENSURE THAT THREE PERCENT OF TOTAL ANNUAL 10 STATEWIDE PROCUREMENT OF STATE CONTRACTS BE AWARDED TO ELIGIBLE VETER-11 AN-OWNED AND SERVICE-DISABLED VETERAN-OWNED BUSINESSES.

12 3. THE DIRECTOR SHALL ENSURE THAT EACH CONTRACTING AGENCY ADMINISTERS 13 THE RULES AND REGULATIONS PROMULGATED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBDIVISION TWO 14 OF THIS SECTION.

15 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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