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Introduced by M. of A. MORELLE -- read once and referred to the Committee on Children and Families -- recommitted to the Committee on Children and Families in accordance with Assembly Rule 3, sec. 2 -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to public-private partnerships to support at-risk children; and providing for the repeal of such provisions upon expiration thereof

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

Section 1. The social services law is amended by adding a new section 153-l to read as follows:

S 153-L. PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS TO SUPPORT AT-RISK CHILDREN; FUNDING. 1. (A) EXPENDITURES MADE BY THE COUNTY OF MONROE OR THE ROCHESTER CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR PREVENTIVE SERVICES DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH (B) OF THIS SUBDIVISION SHALL BE SUBJECT TO SIXTY-FIVE PERCENT STATE REIMBURSEMENT; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT ONE HUNDRED PERCENT OF MONROE COUNTY'S LOCAL PORTION OF CLAIMS FOR SUCH SERVICES ARE COMPRISED OF PRIVATELY DONATED FUNDS.

(B) ELIGIBLE PROGRAMS INCLUDE THOSE PROVIDING: (I) HOME VISITATION, TREATMENT INTERVENTION AND PARENTING EDUCATION TO FAMILIES ELIGIBLE FOR SERVICE UNDER THE TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY FAMILIES PROGRAM; (II) EDUCATIONAL INTERVENTION AND IMPROVEMENT SERVICES FOR STUDENTS AT RISK OF ACADEMIC FAILURE AND SCHOOL DROP OUT; (III) INTERVENTION AND INDIVIDUALIZED PLANNING SERVICES PROVIDING SUPPORT FOR FAMILIES THAT HAVE SOUGHT FAMILY COURT INTERVENTION FOR A PERSON IN NEED OF SUPERVISION PETITION OR CHILD WITH SERIOUS EMOTIONAL CHALLENGES; (IV) SERVICES INTENDED TO INCREASE GRADUATION RATES AND PREPARE STUDENTS FOR COLLEGE OR THE WORKPLACE THROUGH ONE-ON-ONE MENTORING, ACADEMIC SUPPORT, LIFE AND SOCIAL SKILLS, AND JOB READINESS; AND (V) AT-RISK FIRST-TIME PARENTS

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

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WITH MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH NURSES TO IMPROVE PREGNANCY OUTCOMES, CHILD HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENT, AND FAMILY ECONOMIC SELF-SUFFICIENCY.

2. THE COUNTY OF MONROE OR THE ROCHESTER CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT SHALL PROVIDE AN ANNUAL REPORT ON OR BEFORE THE FIRST DAY OF DECEMBER TO THE GOVERNOR, THE TEMPORARY PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE, THE SPEAKER OF THE ASSEMBLY, THE MINORITY LEADER OF THE SENATE, AND THE MINORITY LEADER OF THE ASSEMBLY REGARDING THE PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP TO SUPPORT AT-RISK CHILDREN. SUCH REPORT SHALL IDENTIFY THE SOURCES AND AMOUNTS OF PRIVATE FUNDING OBTAINED, THE PROGRAMS SUPPORTED THROUGH SUCH FUNDING, AND THE COSTS AND BENEFITS OF SUCH PROGRAM FOR THE COUNTY OF MONROE OR THE ROCHESTER CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT.

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall expire and be deemed repealed on and after December 31, 2017.