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Introduced by M. of A. DIPIETRO -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to establishing the task force for the review of rules, regulations and public authorities

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

Section 1. The executive law is amended by adding a new article 3-B to read as follows:

ARTICLE 3-B

REVIEW OF RULES, REGULATIONS AND PUBLIC AUTHORITIES

SECTION 39-G. TASK FORCE FOR THE REVIEW OF RULES, REGULATIONS AND PUBLIC AUTHORITIES.

S 39-G. TASK FORCE FOR THE REVIEW OF RULES, REGULATIONS AND PUBLIC AUTHORITIES. 1. ON OR BEFORE MARCH FIRST IN EACH YEAR THAT ENDS WITH A FOUR, THERE SHALL BE ESTABLISHED A TASK FORCE FOR THE REVIEW OF RULES, REGULATIONS AND PUBLIC AUTHORITIES. SUCH TASK FORCE SHALL EXAMINE, EVALUATE AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING THE UTILITY OF AND THE NECESSITY FOR EACH STATE RULE, REGULATION AND PUBLIC AUTHORITY.

2. THE TASK FORCE FOR THE REVIEW OF RULES, REGULATIONS AND PUBLIC AUTHORITIES SHALL BE COMPOSED OF ELEVEN MEMBERS APPOINTED AS FOLLOWS: THREE MEMBERS APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR; TWO MEMBERS APPOINTED BY THE STATE COMPTROLLER; TWO MEMBERS APPOINTED BY THE TEMPORARY PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE; TWO MEMBERS APPOINTED BY THE SPEAKER OF THE ASSEMBLY; ONE MEMBER APPOINTED BY THE MINORITY LEADER OF THE SENATE; AND ONE MEMBER APPOINTED BY THE MINORITY LEADER OF THE ASSEMBLY. THE GOVERNOR SHALL DESIGNATE THE CHAIR OF THE TASK FORCE FROM AMONG HIS OR HER APPOINTEES.

3. THE TASK FORCE SHALL HOLD PUBLIC HEARINGS AND SHALL HAVE THE POWERS OF A LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE PURSUANT TO THE LEGISLATIVE LAW.

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

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4. THE MEMBERS OF THE TASK FORCE SHALL RECEIVE NO COMPENSATION FOR THEIR SERVICES, BUT SHALL BE ALLOWED THEIR ACTUAL AND NECESSARY EXPENSES INCURRED IN THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR DUTIES PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION.

5. TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT FEASIBLE, THE TASK FORCE SHALL BE ENTITLED TO REQUEST AND RECEIVE AND SHALL UTILIZE AND BE PROVIDED WITH SUCH FACILITIES, RESOURCES AND DATA OF ANY COURT, DEPARTMENT, DIVISION, BOARD, BUREAU, COMMISSION, OR AGENCY OF THE STATE OR ANY POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OR PUBLIC AUTHORITY THEREOF AS IT MAY REASONABLY REQUEST TO CARRY OUT PROPERLY ITS POWERS AND DUTIES PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION.

6. THE TASK FORCE SHALL, ON OR BEFORE JANUARY FIRST IN EACH YEAR THAT ENDS WITH A FIVE, SUBMIT A REPORT OF ITS FINDINGS, CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE GOVERNOR, THE STATE COMPTROLLER AND THE LEGISLATURE, AND SHALL SUBMIT WITH SUCH REPORT SUCH LEGISLATIVE PROPOSALS AS IT DEEMS NECESSARY TO IMPLEMENT ITS RECOMMENDATIONS. THE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE REPEAL OF ANY UNNECESSARY RULE OR REGULATION SHALL BE BINDING UNLESS BY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION THE LEGISLATURE SHALL REJECT THE RECOMMENDATION IN WHOLE OR IN PART.

7. EACH TASK FORCE SHALL BE DISSOLVED UPON SUBMISSION OF ITS REPORT PURSUANT TO SUBDIVISION SIX OF THIS SECTION.

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.