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AN ACT to amend the public authorities law, in relation to authorizing the Nassau health care corporation to enter into agreements for the creation and operation of a health care delivery system network

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

1 Section 1. Section 3405 of the public authorities law is amended by
2 adding a new subdivision 10 to read as follows:
3 10. IN THE EXERCISE OF THE FOREGOING SPECIAL POWERS ESTABLISHED IN
4 THIS SECTION AND THE GENERAL POWERS SET FORTH IN SECTION THIRTY-FOUR
5 HUNDRED FOUR OF THIS TITLE, THE CORPORATION IS AUTHORIZED, IN CARRYING
6 OUT ITS HEALTHCARE PURPOSES, TO ENGAGE IN ARRANGEMENTS, CONTRACTS,
7 INFORMATION SHARING AND ACTIVITIES WITH PUBLIC OR PRIVATE ENTITIES AND
8 INDIVIDUALS, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION: JOINT VENTURES; JOINT NEGOTI-
9 ATIONS WITH PHYSICIANS, HOSPITALS AND PAYORS, WHETHER SUCH NEGOTIATIONS
10 RESULT IN SEPARATE OR COMBINED AGREEMENTS; LEASES; AND/OR AGREEMENTS
11 WHICH INVOLVE DELIVERY SYSTEM NETWORK CREATION AND OPERATION, IRRESPEC-
12 TIVE OF THE COMPETITIVE CONSEQUENCES OF THE FOREGOING COLLABORATIVE
13 ACTIVITIES, AND NOTWITHSTANDING THAT THEY MAY HAVE THE EFFECT OF
14 DISPLACING COMPETITION IN THE PROVISION OF HOSPITAL, PHYSICIAN OR OTHER
15 HEALTHCARE-RELATED SERVICES, SUCH THAT THE CORPORATION AND THE PRIVATE
16 ENTITIES AND INDIVIDUALS WITH WHICH IT COLLABORATES SHALL BE IMMUNIZED
17 FROM LIABILITY UNDER THE FEDERAL AND STATE ANTITRUST LAWS.
18 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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