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

AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to the fee for issuance of birth and death records in the city of Jamestown

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 3 of section 4173 of the public health law, as 2 amended by chapter 524 of the laws of 2007, is amended to read as 3 follows:

4 3. [The] (A) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (B) OF THIS SUBDIVISION, THE registrar shall be entitled to a fee of ten dollars[, 5 б except in the county of Chemung and the county of Monroe and the county 7 Onondaga and the county of Tompkins whereby such fee shall be set by of the county health commissioner and in the city of Oswego whereby such 8 9 shall be set by the Oswego common council, up to the amount charged fee by the commissioner as prescribed in subdivision two of section forty-10 11 one hundred seventy-four of this title] for each certification of birth or death or for each certified copy or certified transcript of 12 anv record of a birth or of a death or for a certification that a search 13 14 discloses no record of a birth or of a death, furnished by him OR HER to 15 an applicant, except that no fee shall be charged for a search, certif-16 ication of birth or death or certified copy or certified transcript of a birth or a death record to be used for school entrance, employment 17 certificate or for purposes of public relief or government compensation 18 when required by the veterans administration to be used in determin-19 or 20 ing the eligibility of any person to participate in the benefits made 21 available by the veterans administration, provided, however, that if 22 such registrar is a city clerk, town clerk or village clerk, he OR SHE

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

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1 shall collect such fees for and on behalf of the city, town or village 2 in which he OR SHE serves, provided, however, that an amount equivalent 3 to the sum of such fees shall be paid at least monthly by such city, 4 town or village to such city clerk, town clerk or village clerk entitled 5 to receive fees as a registrar of vital statistics.

(B) NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF PARAGRAPH (A) OF THIS SUBDIVIб 7 SION, IN THE COUNTIES OF CHEMUNG, MONROE, ONONDAGA AND TOMPKINS THE FEE 8 SHALL BE SET BY THE COUNTY HEALTH COMMISSIONER, AND IN THE CITIES OF OSWEGO AND JAMESTOWN THE FEE SHALL BE SET BY THE CITY LEGISLATIVE BODY. 9 10 INSUCH COUNTIES AND CITIES THE FEE MAY BE SET UP TO THE AMOUNT CHARGED ΒY THE COMMISSIONER AS PRESCRIBED IN SUBDIVISION TWO OF SECTION 11 12 FORTY-ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FOUR OF THIS TITLE.

13 S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.