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2013-2014 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

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Introduced by Sen. STEWART-COUSINS -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Local Government

AN ACT to amend the general municipal law, in relation to allowing the governing body of Westchester county to appoint a member of the Westchester county industrial development agency

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

1 Section 1. Section 923-a of the general municipal law, as amended by 2 chapter 564 of the laws of 1983, is amended to read as follows:

S 923-a. County of Westchester industrial development agency. 3 For the 4 benefit of the county of Westchester and the inhabitants thereof, an 5 industrial development agency, to be known as the COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER 6 INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY, is hereby established for the accomplishment of any or all of the purposes specified in title one of 7 article 8 eighteen-A of this chapter. It shall constitute a body corporate and 9 politic, and be perpetual in duration. It shall have the powers and duties now or hereafter conferred by title one of article eighteen-A of 10 this chapter upon industrial development agencies and provided that the 11 exercise of the powers by such agency with respect to the acquisition of 12 property whether by purchase, condemnation or otherwise, shall be 13 real limited to the corporate limits of the county of Westchester and such 14 agency shall take into consideration the local zoning and planning requ-15 16 lations as well as regional and local land use plans. The agency shall 17 not use its funds to commence any project unless (i) at least thirty days' prior notice of such project shall have been given to each local 18 19 municipality in which a part or parts of the project is, or is to be, located and (ii) no objection, by resolution of the governing body of 20 such municipality, shall have been made and delivered to the agency 21 22 within such thirty days. Notwithstanding the provisions of the next 23 preceding sentence, in the case of a project which is, or is to be, 24 located within a village within the county of Westchester, notice to

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

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such village shall be sufficient as to any part or parts of the project 1 within the village and no other notice shall be required to be given to 2 any other municipality in which such village is located with respect 3 4 thereto. It shall be organized in a manner prescribed by and be subject 5 to the provisions of title one of article eighteen-A of this chapter and shall consist of [seven] EIGHT members. Its members shall be appointed 6 7 the chief executive officer of the county of Westchester, subject to by confirmation by its governing body, EXCEPT THAT ONE 8 MEMBER SHALL BE APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDING OFFICER OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER, SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION BY ITS GOVERNING BODY, WHO MAY 9 10 A MEMBER OF SUCH GOVERNING BODY. THE MEMBER APPOINTED BY THE PRESID-11 ΒE ING OFFICER SHALL BE A NON-VOTING MEMBER. The agency, its members, offi-12 cers and employees, and its operations and activities shall in all 13 14 respects be governed by the provisions of title one of article eighteen-A of this chapter. 15

16 S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.