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Introduced by M. of A. LAVINE -- read once and referred to the Committee on Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to the calculation of the tax levy limit in certain counties

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

Section 1. Section 2023-a of the education law is amended by adding a new subdivision 10 to read as follows:

10. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY PROVISION OF LAW TO THE CONTRARY, IN A COUNTY OF A MILLION OR MORE RESIDENTS WITH A SPECIAL ASSESSING UNIT AND HAVING FIFTY OR MORE SCHOOL DISTRICTS, WHERE THE ANNUAL BUDGET SHALL HAVE BEEN ADOPTED AND THE AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXES FOR THE NEXT SCHOOL YEAR HAS BEEN FIXED BY A SCHOOL DISTRICT BY CERTIFYING AND FILING TO SUCH COUNTY ON OR BEFORE THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF AUGUST OF EACH SCHOOL YEAR, THE AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXES CERTIFIED BY, OR ON BEHALF OF SUCH SCHOOL DISTRICT OR SCHOOL DISTRICTS, TO THE COUNTY SHALL BE "THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF TAXES LEVIED FOR THE PRIOR SCHOOL YEAR" AS DEFINED IN SUBPARAGRAPH ONE OF PARAGRAPH A OF SUBDIVISION THREE OF THIS SECTION. ANY CORRECTION, DETERMINATION, CALCULATION OR LEGISLATIVE ACTION TAKEN, APPROVED, ADOPTED OR IMPLEMENTED BY THE COUNTY ASSESSOR OR THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF SUCH COUNTY, SHALL NOT IN ANY WAY MODIFY THE AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXES AS FIXED BY THE SCHOOL DISTRICT PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION.

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately; provided, however, that the amendments to section 2023-a of the education law made by section one of this act shall not affect the repeal of such section and shall be deemed repealed therewith.

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

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