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Introduced by M. of A. COLTON, ABBATE, CAHILL, JAFFEE, PERRY, SCHIMEL, ROBINSON, WRIGHT, MOYA, HOOPER -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. CAMARA, CRESPO, GIGLIO, GOTTFRIED, HIKIND, LIFTON, MARKEY -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the economic development law, in relation to requiring the department of economic development to prepare a report relating to international trade agreements

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

1     Section 1. Legislative intent. The legislature hereby finds and  
2 declares that it is necessary to adopt such measures as may best be  
3 calculated to promote understanding of the impact international trade  
4 agreements will have on the welfare of New York state business, industry  
5 and commerce within and outside of the state.  
6     S 2. Subdivision 47 of section 100 of the economic development law, as  
7 renumbered by chapter 427 of the laws of 2008, is renumbered subdivision  
8 48 and a new subdivision 47 is added to read as follows:  
9     47. TO PREPARE A REPORT TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR, THE TEMPORARY  
10 PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE, THE SPEAKER OF THE ASSEMBLY AND THE STATE'S  
11 CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION WITHIN THIRTY DAYS AFTER A REQUEST IS MADE BY  
12 FEDERAL OFFICIALS TO ANY STATE OFFICIAL FOR AUTHORITY TO COMMIT THE  
13 STATE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROCUREMENT RULES OF AN INTERNATIONAL TRADE  
14 AGREEMENT OR FOR SUBMISSION OF STATE ENTITIES OR LAWS THAT SHOULD BE  
15 EXEMPTED FROM AN INTERNATIONAL TRADE AGREEMENT OR IF NO SUCH REQUEST IS  
16 MADE, WITHIN ONE YEAR AFTER NOTICE IS PROVIDED TO CONGRESS WITH RESPECT  
17 TO INITIATING NEGOTIATION FOR A NEW AGREEMENT, CONSISTING OF FINDINGS  
18 AND ANALYSIS DERIVED FROM DATA RECEIVED FROM ANY AGENCY, BUREAU, COMMIS-  
19 SION, AUTHORITY, OFFICE OF THE STATE OR ANY POLITICAL SUBDIVISION THERE-  
20 OF AND, TO THE EXTENT PRACTICABLE, FROM ANY FEDERAL ENTITY. SUCH REPORT  
21 SHALL PROVIDE AN ANALYSIS DESCRIBING THE TERMS OF THE PROPOSED INTERNA-  
22 TIONAL TRADE AGREEMENT AND THE IMPACT, IF ANY, SUCH AGREEMENT WOULD HAVE

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

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1 ON THE STATE'S COMMERCE, INDUSTRY, JOB MARKET, LAWS AND REGULATORY  
2 AUTHORITY AND TO WHAT EXTENT, IF ANY, THE RESOURCES OF THE STATE WOULD  
3 BE UTILIZED IN ENFORCING AND REGULATING THE TERMS OF THE AGREEMENT.  
4 S 3. This act shall take effect immediately.