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Introduced by M. of A. CROUCH -- read once and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

AN ACT making an appropriation for the Catskill Park and Catskill Forest Preserve

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

Section 1. The sum of twelve million dollars ($12,000,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to the department of environmental conservation out of any moneys in the state treasury in the general fund to the credit of the environmental protection fund, not otherwise appropriated, and made available as follows: (a) $4,000,000 shall be made available immediately; (b) $4,000,000 shall be made available on January 1, 2016; and (c) $4,000,000 shall be made available on January 1, 2017. The funds appropriated pursuant to this section are to be used solely on the Catskill Park or the Catskill Forest Preserve. Such funds may be used to maintain such park or preserve, construct outdoor recreational facilities at such park or preserve, or increase tourism at such park or preserve. Such moneys shall be payable on the audit and warrant of the comptroller on vouchers certified or approved by the commissioner of the department of environmental conservation in the manner prescribed by law.

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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