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Introduced by M. of A. BICHOTTE -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the state finance law, in relation to a minority and women-owned business enterprise participation goal requirement in order to receive grant or appropriation money

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

Section 1. Section 4 of the state finance law is amended by adding a new subdivision 12 to read as follows:

12. ANY GRANT OR APPROPRIATION OF MONEY TO A MUNICIPALITY OR LOCALITY BY THE STATE FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF GOODS AND SERVICES SHALL REQUIRE SUCH MUNICIPALITY BE IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE GOALS FOR MINORITY AND WOMEN-OWNED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PARTICIPATION PURSUANT TO SECTIONS THREE HUNDRED TWELVE AND THREE HUNDRED THIRTEEN OF THE EXECUTIVE LAW. MUNICIPALITY, FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBDIVISION, SHALL MEAN ANY VILLAGE, TOWN, CITY, COUNTY, OR SCHOOL DISTRICT WITHIN THE STATE. SUCH REQUIREMENT SHALL ALSO APPLY TO ANY ENTITY WHO SUBCONTRACTS WITH A MUNICIPALITY OR LOCALITY. NOTHING IN THIS SECTION SHALL SUPERSEDE AN APPLICANT'S OR RECIPIENT'S ABILITY TO USE A WAIVER AS PRESCRIBED BY SUCH SECTIONS.

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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