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Introduced by M. of A. PEOPLES-STOKES -- (at request of the Office of Victim Services) -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to the eligibility for reimbursement of burial expenses

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

1     Section 1. Paragraph (d) of subdivision 1 of section 624 of the execu-  
2     tive law, as amended by chapter 427 of the laws of 1999, is amended to  
3     read as follows:  
4     (d) any person OR BUSINESS REPRESENTED BY A PERSON who has paid for or  
5     incurred the burial expenses of a victim who died as a direct result of  
6     such crime, except such person shall not be eligible to receive an award  
7     for other than burial expenses unless otherwise eligible under paragraph  
8     (a), (b) or (c) of this subdivision;  
9     S 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall apply to all  
10    claims filed on or after it shall have become a law.

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

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