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Introduced by Sen. DeFRANCISCO -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Health -- reported favorably from said committee and committed to the Committee on Finance -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to the reimbursement of tuition, fees and hospital charges to state university health care facilities

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

Section 1. The public health law is amended by adding a new section 2807-aa to read as follows:

S 2807-AA. STATE UNIVERSITY HEALTH CARE FACILITIES; REIMBURSEMENT OF TUITION, FEES AND HOSPITAL CHARGES. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, ANY FUNDS COLLECTED AND RECEIVED BY THE STATE COMPTROLLER OR THE ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR PAST DUE AND UNCOLLECTED TUITION, FEES OR HOSPITAL CHARGES DUE AND OWED TO A STATE UNIVERSITY HEALTH CARE FACILITY SHALL BE REIMBURSED AND PAID TO THE STATE UNIVERSITY HEALTH CARE FACILITY FOR WHICH SUCH UNCOLLECTED TUITION, FEES OR HOSPITAL CHARGES WERE PAST DUE AND UNCOLLECTED. SUCH FUNDS, WHEN RECEIVED BY THE STATE COMPTROLLER OR THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, SHALL BE PAID TO SUCH UNIVERSITY HEALTH CARE FACILITY WITHIN THIRTY DAYS OF RECEIPT. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION THE TERM "STATE UNIVERSITY HEALTH CARE FACILITY" SHALL MEAN A HOSPITAL, AS DEFINED IN SECTION TWENTY-EIGHT HUNDRED ONE OF THIS ARTICLE, OPERATED BY THE STATE UNIVERSITY.

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall apply to past due and uncollected tuition, fees and hospital charges collected on or after such date.

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

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