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Introduced by COMMITTEE ON RULES -- (at request of M. of A. Otis, Barclay) -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT authorizing the taking and filing of oaths of office

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

Section 1. Notwithstanding any other law, rule or regulation to the contrary, any village, town, city or county official duly elected on November 3, 2015 or March 15, 2016 who currently occupies the office to which he or she was elected but who failed to take or file his or her respective oath of office within the statutorily prescribed period shall continue to serve in such capacity and for the full term to which he or she was elected upon the taking and filing of oaths of office consistent with section 402 of the county law, section 25 of the town law, or section 10 of the public officers law, provided such oaths are taken and filed within 30 calendar days after the effective date of this act. Such officials that take and file their oaths of office under this act shall be deemed to have been continuously serving in office since the beginning of the term to which they were elected.

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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