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AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to managed long term care plans not being controlled or owned by for-profit health maintenance organizations or insurers

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

Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subdivision 1 of section 4403-f of the public health law, as added by chapter 659 of the laws of 1997, is amended to read as follows:

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(b) "Eligible applicant" means an entity controlled or wholly owned by one or more of the following: a hospital as defined in subdivision one of section twenty-eight hundred one of this chapter; a home care agency licensed or certified pursuant to article thirty-six of this chapter; [an] A NOT-FOR-PROFIT entity that has received a certificate of authority pursuant to sections forty-four hundred three, forty-four hundred three-a or AN INTEGRATED DELIVERY SYSTEM THAT HAS RECEIVED A CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY PURSUANT TO SECTION forty-four hundred eight-a of this article (as added by chapter six hundred thirty-nine of the laws of nineteen hundred ninety-six), or a NOT-FOR-PROFIT health maintenance

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

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organization authorized under article forty-three of the insurance law; or a not-for-profit organization which has a history of providing or coordinating health care services and long term care services to the elderly and disabled. HOWEVER, AN ENTITY OWNED OR CONTROLLED BY AN ENTITY THAT HAS RECEIVED A CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY PURSUANT TO SECTION FORTY-FOUR HUNDRED THREE OR FORTY-FOUR HUNDRED THREE-A OF THIS ARTICLE AND HAS RECEIVED A CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY UNDER THIS SECTION PRIOR TO THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE CHAPTER OF LAW WHICH ENACTED THIS SENTENCE SHALL BE DEEMED TO BE AN ELIGIBLE APPLICANT.

10 S 2. This act shall take effect immediately; provided, however, that 11 the amendments to section 4403-f of the public health law made by 12 section one of this act shall not affect the repeal of such section and 13 shall be deemed repealed therewith.