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2015-2016 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. FRIEND, PALMESANO -- read once and referred to the Committee on Libraries and Education Technology -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend chapter 380 of the laws of 2005 relating to establishing the Chemung county library district, in relation to the audit and payment of claims by such library district; and providing for the repeal of such provisions upon expiration thereof

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

Section 1. Subdivision 6 of section 4 of chapter 380 of the laws of 2005 relating to establishing the Chemung county library district is amended to read as follows:

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6. The treasurer of the Chemung county library district shall be custodian of all funds of the library district including gifts and trust funds paid over to the trustees. The board of trustees may authorize the investment of funds in the custody of the treasurer in the same manner in which school district funds may be invested. Proceeds of obligations received from the county may be invested in accordance with section 165.00 of the local finance law. The county shall promptly pay over to the Chemung county library district all moneys which belong to or are raised for the library district. No moneys shall be disbursed by treasurer of the library district except after audit by the board of trustees OR BY THE BOARD'S DESIGNEE IF THE BOARD HAS BY PRIOR RESOLUTION MADE SUCH DESIGNATION. The board of trustees of the library district OR ITS DESIGNEE shall audit all claims and shall order the payment thereof, except as otherwise provided by this section. No such claims shall be audited or ordered paid by the trustees OR ITS DESIGNEE unless an itemized voucher therefor shall be presented to the board of trustees OR ITS DESIGNEE for audit and allowance. The foregoing requirement that no moneys shall be disbursed by the treasurer of the library district

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

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except after audit by the board of trustees OR ITS DESIGNEE shall not be applicable to payment of claims of fixed salaries and amounts which the library district may be required to pay on account of retirement contributions for past or current services to officers and employees of the library district. The treasurer shall keep such records in such manner as the board of trustees may require.

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall expire and be deemed repealed 3 years after such effective date.