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Introduced by M. of A. MILLER, WEPRIN, SCARBOROUGH, NOLAN, MOSLEY, BENEDETTO, JAFFEE, MONTESANO, ROBINSON, PERRY, GOTTFRIED, ARROYO, FARRELL, CYMBROWITZ, ROSENTHAL, MOYA, TITUS -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. CLARK, COOK, DenDEKKER, HEASTIE, HEVESI, LENTOL, MARKEY, O'DONNELL, RA, RIVERA, SOLAGES, TITONE, WRIGHT -- read once and referred to the Committee on Education

AN ACT to amend the administrative code of the city of New York and chapter 53 of the laws of 2012, enacting the aid to localities budget, in relation to substance abuse prevention personnel in New York city schools

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

1     Section 1. The administrative code of the city of New York is amended  
2     by adding a new section 12-140 to read as follows:  
3     S 12-140 SUBSTANCE ABUSE PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION PERSONNEL.     THE  
4     NEW YORK CITY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION SHALL PROVIDE ON A FULL-TIME BASIS  
5     AT LEAST ONE SUBSTANCE ABUSE PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION SPECIALIST AT  
6     EACH PUBLIC SCHOOL IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS  
7     SECTION, A SUBSTANCE ABUSE PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION SPECIALIST IS A  
8     NEW YORK CITY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION EMPLOYEE THAT HAS RECEIVED  
9     SUBSTANCE ABUSE TRAINING THROUGH THE NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OF ALCOHOLISM  
10    AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES.  
11    S 2. Section 1 of chapter 53 of the laws of 2012, enacting the aid to  
12    localities budget, is amended by repealing the items hereinbelow set  
13    forth in brackets and by adding to such section the other items under-  
14    scored in this section.  
15                   DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HYGIENE  
16                   OFFICE OF ALCOHOLISM AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES  
17    PREVENTION AND PROGRAM SUPPORT

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

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1 Special Revenue Funds - Other  
2 Miscellaneous Special Revenue Fund  
3 Mental Hygiene Program Fund Account

4 Notwithstanding any provision of law to the  
5 contrary, the commissioner of the office  
6 of alcoholism and substance abuse services  
7 shall [be authorized to continue contracts  
8 which were executed on or before March 31,  
9 2012 with entities providing services for  
10 problem gambling and chemical dependency  
11 prevention and treatment services, without  
12 any additional requirements that such  
13 contracts be subject to competitive  
14 bidding, a request for proposal process or  
15 other administrative procedures. Of the  
16 amounts appropriated herein, at least  
17 \$14,859,531 shall be made] MAKE FUNDING  
18 available to the New York City Department  
19 of Education for the continuation of such  
20 school-operated prevention programs  
21 provided by school district [employees]  
22 SUBSTANCE ABUSE PREVENTION AND INTER-  
23 VENTION PERSONNEL ..... 42,553,000  
24 S 3. This act shall take effect immediately.