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IN SENATE

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AN ACT to amend the public authorities law, in relation to including geothermal energy systems within the meaning of the term "qualified energy efficiency services" for purposes of on-bill financing under the power NY act of 2011

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

- Section 1. Paragraphs (m) and (n) of subdivision 12 of section 1891 of the public authorities law, paragraph (m) as amended and paragraph (n) as added by chapter 386 of the laws of 2013, are amended and a new paragraph (o) is added to read as follows:
- (m) fuel switching to convert an electrically-heated building to a more efficient heating source provided that significant energy cost-savings can be demonstrated pursuant to standards established by the authority; [and]
- 9 (n) installation of energy technologies eligible for net energy meter-10 ing pursuant to section sixty-six-j or sixty-six-l of the public service 11 law[.]; AND
 - (O) PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF GEOTHERMAL ENERGY SYSTEMS.
- 13 S 2. This act shall take effect January 1, 2016.

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

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