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Introduced by Sen. HASSELL-THOMPSON -- read twice and ordered printed,  
and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Rules

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to the modification  
of competitively bid contracts

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

1     Section 1. Subdivision 9 of section 365-1 of the social services law,  
2     as amended by section 35 of part C of chapter 60 of the laws of 2014, is  
3     amended to read as follows:  
4     9. The contract entered into by the commissioner of health prior to  
5     January first, two thousand thirteen pursuant to subdivision eight of  
6     this section may NOT be amended or modified without the need for a  
7     competitive bid or request for proposal process, [and] OR without regard  
8     to the provisions of sections one hundred twelve and one hundred sixty-  
9     three of the state finance law, section one hundred forty-two of the  
10    economic development law, or any other provision of law[, to allow the  
11    purchase of additional personnel and services, subject to available  
12    funding, for the limited purpose of assisting the department of health  
13    with implementing the Balancing Incentive Program, the Fully Integrated  
14    Duals Advantage Program, the Vital Access Provider Program, the Medicaid  
15    waiver amendment associated with the public hospital transformation, the  
16    addition of behavioral health services as a managed care plan benefit,  
17    the delivery system reform incentive payment plan, activities to facili-  
18    tate the transition of vulnerable populations to managed care and/or any  
19    workgroups required to be established by the chapter of the laws of two  
20    thousand thirteen that added this subdivision].  
21    S 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall be deemed to  
22    have been in full force and effect on and after April 1, 2014.

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

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