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Introduced by Sen. MARTINS -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Local Government

AN ACT to authorize Mahasi Satipatthana Meditation Center to file an application for exemption from real property taxes for certain assessment rolls

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

Section 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the assessor of the village of New Hyde Park is hereby authorized to accept from Mahasi Satipatthana Meditation Center, a not-for-profit corporation, an application for exemption from real property taxes pursuant to section 420-a of the real property tax law with respect to the 2014-2015 assessment rolls, for the parcel owned by such not-for-profit corporation which is located at 34 Ashland Avenue, village of New Hyde Park, county of Nassau, otherwise known as Nassau county tax map section 8, block 172, lot 1110. If accepted, the application shall be reviewed as if it had been received on or before the taxable status date established for such assessment rolls.

If satisfied that such corporation would otherwise be entitled to such exemption if such corporation had filed an application for exemption by the appropriate taxable status date, the assessor upon approval of the New Hyde Park Board of Trustees, may grant exemption from all taxation with respect to the subject tax rolls due and owing by such not-for-profit corporation on the effective date of this act and cancel taxes, fines, penalties, liens or interest remaining unpaid, and make appropriate correction of the subject assessment rolls.

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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