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Introduced by M. of A. ENGLEBRIGHT, GRAF, JENNE, BUCHWALD, GUNTHER, TITONE, KIM, SKARTADOS, COOK, JAFFEE, COLTON, GALEF, SIMOTAS, HOOPER, MONTESANO, RAIA, GOODELL -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. BARCLAY, GARBARINO, McDONOUGH, McLAUGHLIN, MOSLEY, SIMANOWITZ -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to creating a database of technical and financial assistance programs

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. The executive law is amended by adding a new section 209-u 2 to read as follows:

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- § 209-u. Database of technical and financial assistance. 1. The office shall create and maintain a registry of state, federal, private and non-profit technical and financial programs available to the political subdivisions of the state.
- 2. The office shall maintain the format and content of such registry on a computerized database which shall be updated at least monthly and shall provide a method for which registry information may be delivered to the office electronically. The office shall provide public access to such computerized database in a manner that allows individuals to search the registry by name, date or type of assistance.
- 3. The programs listed shall be divided into financial and technical
  assistance and further divided into programs available to rural areas,
  those available to urban areas and those of general application.
- 4. Each program listed shall contain identifying information including a program description, the type of assistance offered, instructions for application to such program, the deadline for such application, the name, address and phone number of a contact person at such state or federal agency or private foundation, and in the case of financial assistance the amount of such assistance available and the source of funds.

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

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5. The database created by this section shall also maintain a directory of state and federal agencies, as well as the name, address and phone number of a contact person at such agency.

- 6. The database created by this section shall also maintain census data from the most recent United States census.
- 7. The chief information officer shall adopt rules and regulations to implement this section.
- 8 8. The database created by this section shall be publicly accessible within one year after this section shall have become a law.
  - § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.