STATE OF NEW YORK

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Introduced by M. of A. CRESPO -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to enact the "youth violence prevention task force act"; and providing for the repeal of such provisions upon expiration thereof

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

Section 1. Short title. This act shall be known and may be cited as the "youth violence prevention task force act".

§ 2. Youth violence prevention task force; members. 1. There is created the "youth violence prevention task force" (hereinafter referred to as the task force) consisting of seven members to be appointed as follows:

a. one member of the senate who shall be appointed by the temporary president of the senate;

b. one member of the senate who shall be appointed by the minority leader of the senate;

c. one member of the assembly who shall be appointed by the speaker of the assembly;

d. one member of the assembly who shall be appointed by the minority leader of the assembly; and

e. three members who shall be appointed by the governor, one of whom shall be designated as the chairperson of the task force by the governor.

2. The members of the task force shall serve without compensation but shall be entitled to reimbursement for their reasonable and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.

3. The task force may utilize skilled experts, and shall receive the cooperation of those state agencies it deems appropriate to assist the task force in carrying out its duties.

4. The task force shall hold hearings across the state.

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

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§ 3. Youth violence prevention task force; duties. The task force shall study and evaluate the effectiveness of current and existing programs related to the prevention of youth violence. The task force shall further issue a report to the governor and the legislature on or before December 1, 2018 concerning its activities and findings.

§ 4. This act shall take effect immediately and shall expire and be deemed repealed on December 1, 2018.