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IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. PAULIN, BUCHWALD, GALEF, SEAWRIGHT, DINOWITZ, ZEBROWSKI, GOTTFRIED, SIMON, MAGNARELLI, FAHY, D'URSO, LIFTON, BLAKE, MOSLEY -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. COOK, LAWRENCE, THIELE -- read once and referred to the Committee on Corporations, Authorities and Commissions

AN ACT to amend the not-for-profit corporation law, in relation to limitations on political activity

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

1 Section 1. Section 204 of the not-for-profit corporation law, as
2 amended by chapter 549 of the laws of 2013, is amended to read as
3 follows:

4 § 204. Limitation on activities.

5 (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter or any other
6 general law, a corporation of any kind to which this chapter applies
7 shall conduct no activities for pecuniary profit or financial gain,
8 whether or not in furtherance of its corporate purposes, except to the
9 extent that such activity supports its other lawful activities then
10 being conducted.

11 (b) A corporation of any kind to which this chapter applies shall not
12 participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distrib-
13 ution of statements), any political campaign on behalf of or in oppo-
14 sition to any candidate for public office.

15 § 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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