STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN ASSEMBLY

June 12, 2018

Introduced by COMMITTEE ON RULES -- (at request of M. of A. Bichotte) -read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the executive law and the labor law, in relation to assisting contractors to identify minority group members and women for hiring opportunities

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

Section 1. Paragraphs (h) and (i) of subdivision 3 of section 311 of 2 the executive law, paragraph (h) as amended and paragraph (i) as added 3 by section 1 of part BB of chapter 59 of the laws of 2006, are amended to read as follows:

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- (h) notwithstanding the provisions of section two hundred ninety-six 6 of this chapter, to file a complaint pursuant to the provisions of section two hundred ninety-seven of this chapter where the director has knowledge that a contractor may have violated the provisions of paragraph (a), (b) or (c) of subdivision one of section two hundred ninetysix of this chapter where such violation is unrelated, separate or distinct from the state contract as expressed by its terms; [and]
- 12 (i) to streamline the state certification process to accept federal 13 and municipal corporation certifications: and
- 14 (j) to work in conjunction with the industrial commissioner pursuant 15 to paragraph (j) of subdivision one of section eight hundred eleven of 16 the labor law to assist contractors in identifying minority group 17 members and women who are participating in apprenticeship agreements under article twenty-three of the labor law. 18
- 2. Paragraphs (j) and (k) of subdivision 1 of section 811 of the 19 20 labor law, as relettered by chapter 884 of the laws of 1965, are relet-21 tered paragraphs (k) and (l) and a new paragraph (j) is added to read as 22 follows:
- 23 (j) to cooperate with the director of the division of minority and 24 women's business development pursuant to paragraph (j) of subdivision three of section three hundred eleven of the executive law to assist 26 contractors in locating minority group members and women who are participating in apprenticeships agreements; 27

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

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1 § 3. This act shall take effect on the sixtieth day after it shall 2 have become a law; provided, however that the amendments to article 15-A 3 of the executive law made by section one of this act shall not affect 4 the expiration of such article and shall be deemed to expire therewith. 5 Effective immediately, the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation of this act on its effective date are authorized to be made and completed on or before such 8 effective date.