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## IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. SCHIMMINGER -- read once and referred to the  
Committee on Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to the repayment of  
awards under the New York state math and science teaching incentive  
program

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

1 Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subdivision 5 of section 669-d of the  
2 education law, as amended by section 5 of part G of chapter 54 of the  
3 laws of 2016, is amended to read as follows:

4 (b) a recipient has not taught in the field of math or science in a  
5 school located within New York state providing secondary education  
6 recognized by the board of regents or the university of the state of New  
7 York for five of the seven years after the completion of the degree  
8 program and receipt of initial certification, except that if a recipient  
9 teaches in the field of math or science in a school located within New  
10 York state providing secondary education recognized by the board of  
11 regents or the university of the state of New York for at least three of  
12 the seven years after the completion of the degree program and receipt  
13 of initial certification and thereafter loses their employment due to no  
14 fault of their own, and is unable to find other eligible employment  
15 within the seven year period, the amount of the award to be repaid, and  
16 interest thereon, shall be reduced to a prorated amount equal to five  
17 years less the number of years taught divided by five multiplied by the  
18 principal amount of the award, and interest shall be charged from the  
19 date of the loss of employment; or

20 § 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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