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Introduced by Sens. SQUADRON, ADDABBO, AVELLA -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Finance

AN ACT to amend the state finance law, in relation to the procurement of banking services

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

1 Section 1. The state finance law is amended by adding a new section 2 163-c to read as follows:

§ 163-c. Procurement of banking services. In making an award of 4 contracts for banking services, as part of the scoring of offers, in addition to consideration of quality, cost and efficiency, a state agency shall consider whether the financial institution has chosen to comply with the cap on the rate of interest authorized in section 5-501 of the general obligations law and established by subdivision one of section 9 fourteen-a of the banking law in making loans to the residents of the 10 state. The scoring shall be accomplished in accord with regulations adopted by the superintendent of financial services in consultation with 12 <u>the state comptroller.</u>

13 § 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred twentieth day after 14 it shall have become a law provided, however, that effective immediately 15 the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation of this act on its effective date are authorized and directed to be made and completed by the department of 17 18 financial services on or before such effective date.

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

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