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2017-2018 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

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Introduced by Sens. AVELLA, ALCANTARA, CARLUCCI, HAMILTON, KLEIN, PERALTA, SAVINO, VALESKY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Health

AN ACT to direct the department of health to maintain funding, at levels equal to those available as of April 1, 2017, for services provided by family planning providers in the event of the reduction or elimination of federal funding therefor

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

Section 1. In the event that the federal budget or continuing resolutions in force for federal fiscal year 2017 or 2018, or for both such federal fiscal years, or federal statutory or regulatory changes, reduce or eliminate federal funding for services, funded under Title X of the federal Public Health Services Act as of December 31, 2016, the department of health shall continue to maintain funding at levels equal to those available as of April 1, 2017, to ensure access to and the continuity of services provided by family planning providers that receive funding under Title X of the federal Public Health Services Act.

§ 2. The commissioner of health is hereby authorized to promulgate any rules and regulations necessary to implement the provisions of this act.

§ 3. 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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