

# STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN SENATE

February 9, 2018

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Introduced by Sens. LANZA, SERINO -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Aging

AN ACT authorizing the study of fees and charges assessed to residents of assisted living facilities; and providing for the repeal of such provisions upon expiration thereof

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

1 Section 1. The department of health, in conjunction with the office  
2 for the aging, is authorized and directed to study the fees and charges  
3 being assessed to residents of assisted living facilities. Specifically,  
4 such study shall review the rate of increase of the fees and charges  
5 being assessed to residents of assisted living facilities.

6 § 2. On or before April 1, 2020, the commissioner of health and the  
7 director of the office for the aging shall deliver a copy of the find-  
8 ings of the study conducted pursuant to section one of this act and any  
9 legislative recommendations they deem to be necessary to the governor,  
10 the temporary president of the senate and the speaker of the assembly.

11 § 3. The commissioner of health and the director of the office for the  
12 aging may request, and are authorized to receive, any information from  
13 any state agencies or assisted living facilities that is relevant and  
14 material to the completion of this study and report. Such information  
15 received by the department of health and the office for the aging shall  
16 be subject to the same requirements for confidentiality and limitations  
17 on use, if any, as are applicable to each such state agency's use of  
18 such information.

19 § 4. This act shall take effect immediately and shall be deemed  
20 repealed thirty days after the delivery of the report to the governor  
21 and the legislature as provided for in section two of this act; provided  
22 that the department of health or the office for the aging shall notify  
23 the legislative bill drafting commission upon the occurrence of the  
24 delivery of the report provided for in section two of this act in order  
25 that the commission may maintain an accurate and timely effective data  
26 base of the official text of the laws of the state of New York in furth-  
27 erance of effectuating the provisions of section 44 of the legislative  
28 law and section 70-b of the public officers law.

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

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