

STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

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Introduced by Sen. FUNKE -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Corporations, Authorities and Commissions -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT directing the empire state development corporation to study a proposed rule of the department of labor prior to its adoption

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

1 Section 1. Legislative intent. The legislature recognizes the impor-
2 tance of the administrative rulemaking of agencies of state governments.
3 The state administrative procedure act (SAPA) was enacted to ensure
4 uniform and equitable practices to meet the public interest. SAPA
5 provides for a job impact analysis by an agency to evaluate the poten-
6 tial impact of a proposed rule on jobs and employment opportunities.
7 SAPA also requires a regulatory impact statement and a regulatory flexi-
8 bility analysis for small business, which includes a study of costs and
9 economic impact.

10 § 2. Notwithstanding any law, rule or regulation to the contrary, the
11 proposed rule contained in the November 22, 2017 State Register
12 (LAB-47-17-00011-P) by the New York state department of labor, which
13 would revise the call-in pay requirements of the minimum wage order for
14 miscellaneous industries and occupations (12 NYCRR Part 142 at §§
15 142-2.3 and 142-3.3) shall not be filed by the department of labor with
16 the secretary of state and published in the state register until not
17 less than 90 days after completion of a study providing additional eval-
18 uation of the potential impact of the rule by the empire state develop-
19 ment corporation as provided for in this act.

20 § 3. The empire state development corporation shall, in conjunction
21 with a third party, undertake a study to provide additional evaluation
22 on the additional impacts on jobs and employment opportunities, cost and
23 the economic impact, particularly on small businesses, of the proposed
24 rule referenced herein. Stakeholders impacted by this rule shall be
25 contacted to obtain information. Upon completion, such study shall be
26 provided to the department of labor. Such study, including the addi-

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

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1 tional evaluation of the potential impacts, shall be considered a public
2 comment for the purposes of article two of the state administrative
3 procedure act and shall be analyzed and summarized in any assessment of
4 public comments. The department of labor shall make every effort to
5 minimize any impacts determined by the empire state development corpo-
6 ration.

7 § 4. This act shall take effect immediately.