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IN SENATE

April 23, 2018

Introduced by Sen. JACOBS -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Local Government

AN ACT to amend the general municipal law, in relation to permitting the Tonawanda city school district to establish an insurance reserve fund

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

1 Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subdivision 2 of section 6-n of the gener-2 al municipal law, as separately amended by chapters 414 and 416 of the 3 laws of 2016, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The governing board of any municipal corporation may establish a 4 5 reserve fund to be known as the insurance reserve fund. Upon the 6 creation of the fund, the municipality may make expenditures from the 7 fund for any loss, claim, action or judgment for which the municipal corporation is authorized or required to purchase or maintain insurance, 8 9 except those kinds of risks for which insurance is authorized pursuant to paragraph one, two, three, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, 10 11 twenty-two or twenty-three of subsection (a) of section one thousand one 12 hundred thirteen of the insurance law, or for payments in lieu of 13 contributions under article eighteen of the labor law; provided however, 14 that no municipality shall make an expenditure from such fund for any 15 loss, claim, action or judgment for which the municipal corporation has 16 established a reserve fund under any other provision of law; provided, 17 further that the Scarsdale union free school district [and], the Vernon 18 Verona Sherrill central school district [may establish insurance reserve funds in compliance with this section and article seventy-four of the 19 education law and], the Minisink Valley central school district and the 20 Tonawanda city school district may establish insurance reserve funds in 21 22 compliance with this section and article seventy-four of the education 23 law and such school districts may make expenditures in compliance with 24 this section and article seventy-four of the education law from such reserve fund for any loss, claim, action or judgment for which the 25 26 school districts are authorized or required to purchase or maintain 27 insurance for the kinds of risks for which insurance is authorized 28 pursuant to paragraph three of subsection (a) of section one thousand 29 one hundred thirteen of the insurance law.

30 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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