STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

June 8, 2018

Introduced by Sens. SEWARD, HELMING, O'MARA -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Rules

AN ACT to amend the general municipal law, in relation to municipal cooperative health benefit plans

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

Section 1. Subdivision b of section 119-n of the general municipal law, as amended by chapter 191 of the laws of 2012, is amended to read as follows:

b. The term "district" means a county or town improvement district for which the county or town or towns in which such district is located is or are required to pledge its or their faith and credit for the payment of the principal of and interest on all indebtedness to be contracted for the purposes of such district. The term "district" shall also mean, for the purposes of joining a municipal cooperative health benefit plan authorized under article forty-seven of the insurance law, a soil and water conservation district established under the soil and water conservation districts law**, public libraries and urban renewal agencies, and other quasi-governmental organizations created by, and receiving at least fifty percent of their funding from, a general purpose local government**.

§ 2. 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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