STATE OF NEW YORK

5537

2019-2020 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

February 13, 2019

Introduced by M. of A. BRABENEC -- read once and referred to the Committee on Real Property Taxation

AN ACT to amend the general municipal law, in relation to the limit upon real property tax levies by local governments

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

Section 1. Subparagraph (i) of paragraph (g) of subdivision 2 of section 3-c of the general municipal law, as added by section 1 of part A of chapter 97 of the laws of 2011, is amended to read as follows:

(i) a tax levy necessary for expenditures resulting from **(A)** court orders or judgments against the local government arising out of tort actions for any amount that exceeds five percent of the total tax levied in the prior fiscal year **or (B) any of the following:**

(1) infrastructure improvements and repairs;

(2) road maintenance, repair and renovation;

(3) snow removal;

(4) capital projects and infrastructure improvements in utilities, transportation and communication;

(5) expenses derived from consent orders and smart growth initiatives; and

(6) any extraordinary expenses required to respond to public health emergencies and pandemics;

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately; provided, however, that the amendments to section 3-c of the general municipal law made by section one of this act shall not affect the repeal of such section and shall be deemed to be repealed therewith.

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

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