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IN ASSEMBLY

May 8, 2019

Introduced by M. of A. BUCHWALD, DINOWITZ -- (at request of the Office of Court Administration) -- read once and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

AN ACT to amend the civil practice law and rules, in relation to substitution of parties; and repealing certain provisions of such law relating thereto

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

Section 1. Section 1019 of the civil practice law and rules is REPEALED.

§ 2. Section 1023 of the civil practice law and rules is amended to read as follows:

§ 1023. Public body or officer described by official title. When a public officer, body, board, commission or other public agency may sue or be sued in its official capacity, [~~it may~~] **that person or entity shall** be designated by [~~its~~] **the** official title, subject to the power of the court to require names to be added.

§ 3. This act shall take effect immediately and shall apply to all pending actions and proceedings.

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

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