

STATE OF NEW YORK

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2019-2020 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

January 28, 2019

Introduced by Sens. BAILEY, COMRIE, MONTGOMERY, PARKER, PERSAUD -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Finance

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to caseload relief

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

1 Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subdivision 4 of section 832 of the executive law, as added by section 12 of part VVV of chapter 59 of the laws of 2017, is amended to read as follows:

2 (b) Caseload relief. Develop and implement a written plan that establishes numerical caseload/workload standards for each provider of 3 constitutionally mandated publicly funded representation in criminal 4 cases for people who are unable to afford counsel, provided that annual 5 individual numerical caseload/workload standards may not exceed three 6 hundred sixty-seven misdemeanors or one hundred thirty-eight felonies, 7 with each felony counting as two and sixty-six hundredths misdemeanors 8 in mixed caseloads. 9

10 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately. 11 12

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

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