STATE OF NEW YORK

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2019-2020 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

April 11, 2019

Introduced by Sen. KAVANAGH -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Judiciary

AN ACT to amend the civil practice law and rules, in relation to the venue for certain special proceedings

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

Section 1. Paragraph 2 of subdivision (b) of section 506 of the civil 2 practice law and rules, as amended by chapter 47 of the laws of 1992, is amended to read as follows:

2. a proceeding against the regents of the university of the state of 5 New York, the commissioner of education, the commissioner of taxation and finance, the tax appeals tribunal, except as provided in section two thousand sixteen of the tax law, the public service commission, the commissioner or the department of transportation relating to [articles] article three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, or ten of the trans-10 portation law or to the railroad law, the water resources board, the 11 comptroller, or the department of agriculture and markets[- shall] may 12 be commenced in the supreme court, Albany county or in the judicial 13 district in which the petitioner resides or has its principal place of 14 business; provided, however, that a proceeding against the public 15 service commission shall only be commenced in the supreme court, Albany 16 county.

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17 § 2. This act shall take effect one year after it shall have become a 18 law.

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

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