STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

May 8, 2020

Introduced by Sen. KENNEDY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Commerce, Economic Development and Small Business

AN ACT to amend the economic development law, in relation to directing the empire state development corporation and the governor's office of motion picture and television development to promulgate rules and regulations for municipalities charging film permit fees

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

Section 1. The economic development law is amended by adding a new article 23 to read as follows:

ARTICLE 23

FILM, TELEVISION AND COMMERCIAL PRODUCTIONS

Section 450. Film permit fees.

§ 450. Film permit fees. The empire state development corporation in conjunction with the governor's office of motion picture and television development shall promulgate rules and regulations regarding permit fees charged by municipalities for film, television and commercial productions. Such rules and regulations shall include, but not be limited to, language that provides for a specific maximum amount that can be charged by a municipality for all such fees in each economic development region established pursuant to article eleven of this chapter.

§ 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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