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IN SENATE

October 23, 2020

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

AN ACT to amend the tax law, in relation to terminal rental adjustment clauses in motor vehicle leases

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

Section 1. Paragraph (B) of subdivision (i) of section 1111 of the tax law, as amended by chapter 20 of the laws of 1992, is amended to read as follows:

(B) (1) Notwithstanding any inconsistent provisions of this subdivi-4 5 sion, with respect to a lease of a motor vehicle described in paragraph (A) of this subdivision for a term of one year or more $[\frac{(1)}{2}]$ which 7 includes an indeterminate number of options to renew or other similar contractual provisions or which includes thirty-six or more monthly options to renew beyond the initial term, and $[\frac{(2)}{2}]$ under which lease 9 10 the lessee of such motor vehicle has certified in the writing described 11 in clause (i) of subparagraph (C) of paragraph two of subsection (h) of 12 section 7701 of the internal revenue code of 1986, under penalty of 13 perjury, that the lessee intends that more than fifty percent of the use 14 of such vehicle is to be in a trade or business of the lessee, the 15 lessor shall: (i) pay tax on the receipts from the sale of or consider-16 ation given or contracted to be given for the purchase, as measured by 17 <u>subdivision (b) of section eleven hundred ten of this part, of such</u> 18 vehicle for lease; or (ii) collect and pay tax as measured by all 19 receipts due or consideration given or contracted to be given under such lease for the first thirty-two months, or the period of the initial term 20 if greater, of such lease shall be deemed to have been paid or given 21 [and shall be subject to tax in accordance with the provisions of this 22 23 subdivision].

[For] (2) If a lessor collects and pays tax as measured under clause (ii) of subparagraph one of this paragraph, for each such option to renew, or similar provision, or combination of them, exercised after the first thirty-two months, or the period of such initial term, if longer, 28 of any such lease, tax due under this article shall be collected and 29 paid or paid over without regard to this subdivision.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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