STATE OF NEW YORK

2894

2019-2020 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

January 28, 2019

Introduced by M. of A. PICHARDO -- read once and referred to the Committee on Higher Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to the funding of certain CUNY programs by the state

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

Section 1. The education law is amended by adding a new section 6217 to read as follows:

§ 6217. ASAP and ACE program funding. Notwithstanding any law, rule or regulation to the contrary, beginning in the two thousand twenty--two thousand twenty-one fiscal year, the state shall appropriate and pay an amount equal to twenty-five per centum of the annual one hundred forty-one million dollars in funding for the city university of New York's accelerated study in associate programs (ASAP) and accelerate, complete, engage (ACE) program for the two thousand twenty--two thousand twenty-one academic year. Each fiscal year thereafter, the state shall increase such funding amount by twenty-five per centum until one hundred per centum of both programs is funded by the state. The maximum amount of total funding by two thousand twenty-four shall not exceed one hundred fifty million dollars.

§ 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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