STATE OF NEW YORK

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Introduced by M. of A. SOLAGES -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to guidance to facilities and programs overseen by state agencies on interactions with Federal immigration authorities

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

1 Section 1. Paragraphs (m) and (n) of subdivision 5 of section 94-b of 2 the executive law, as added by chapter 206 of the laws of 2014, are 3 amended to read as follows:

4 (m) Encourage and assist local governments in the development of 5 activities to enhance civic engagement among immigrants and in immigrant 6 communities; [and]

(n) Assist state agencies in the preparation of guidance to be disseminated to facilities and programs overseen by such agencies concerning
inquiries from Federal immigration authorities seeking access to individuals residing or participating in such facilities or programs, or to
records or other information regarding such persons; and

12 (o) Beginning in two thousand fifteen, by June fifteenth of each year, 13 produce a report to the governor, the speaker of the assembly, and the 14 temporary president of the senate describing the activities of the 15 office, including but not limited to, summarizing calls received through 16 the hotline and website, information on ESOL training services provided 17 by the office, the number of immigrants assisted through the opportunity 18 centers, or an estimation thereof, the status of any workforce develop-19 ment programs, and any other relevant information.

20 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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