STATE OF NEW YORK

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2019-2020 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

March 22, 2019

Introduced by M. of A. PHEFFER AMATO -- read once and referred to the Committee on Social Services

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to increasing the enhanced residential care benefit for aged, blind and disabled persons

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

Section 1. Paragraph (e) of subdivision 2 of section 209 of the social services law, as amended by section 2 of part YY of chapter 59 of the laws of 2018, is amended to read as follows:

(e) (i) [~~On and after~~] **(1) From** January first, two thousand eighteen **to June thirtieth, two thousand nineteen**, for an eligible individual receiving enhanced residential care, [~~$1,444.00~~] **$1,465.00**; and [~~(ii)~~] **(2)** for an eligible couple receiving enhanced residential care, two times the amount set forth in **clause one of this** subparagraph [~~(i) of this paragraph~~].

(ii) (1) From July first, two thousand nineteen to March thirty-first, two thousand twenty, for an eligible individual receiving enhanced residential care, $1,585.00; and (2) for an eligible couple receiving enhanced residential care, two times the amount set forth in clause one of this subparagraph.

(iii) (1) From April first, two thousand twenty to March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-one, for an eligible individual receiving enhanced residential care, $1,705.00; and (2) for an eligible couple receiving enhanced residential care, two times the amount set forth in clause one of this subparagraph.

(iv) (1) From April first, two thousand twenty-one to March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-two, for an eligible individual receiving enhanced residential care, $1,825.00; and (2) for an eligible couple receiving enhanced residential care, two times the amount set forth in clause one of this subparagraph.

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

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(v) (1) From April first, two thousand twenty-two to March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three, for an eligible individual receiving enhanced residential care, $1,945.00; and (2) for an eligible couple receiving enhanced residential care, two times the amount set forth in clause one of this subparagraph.

(vi) (1) From April first, two thousand twenty-three to March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-four, for an eligible individual receiving enhanced residential care, $2,065.00; and (2) for an eligible couple receiving enhanced residential care, two times the amount set forth in clause one of this subparagraph.

§ 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2019.