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Introduced by Sens. THOMAS, AMEDORE, BRESLIN, PERSAUD, TEDISCO -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Cultural Affairs, Tourism, Parks and Recreation -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee -- reported favorably from said committee, ordered to first report, amended on first report, ordered to a second report and ordered reprinted, retaining its place in the order of second report

AN ACT to create the empire state cricket task force; and providing for the repeal of such provisions upon expiration thereof

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

Section 1. There is hereby created the empire state cricket task force to conduct a comprehensive study and create strategies to promote the game of cricket in New York State. The scope of such study shall include:

(a) an examination of the various formats of the game of cricket and the location of leagues, clubs, teams, tournaments, academies, colleges, school programs and cricket fields across the state;

(b) an examination of the financial impact the sport of cricket could have on local and state economies;

(c) the creation of strategies to promote and expand the game of cricket in the state; and

(d) a review of any other related information that may assist in carrying out such study of the game of cricket.

§ 2. The empire state cricket task force shall consist of eight members having experience and expertise in the game of cricket. Such task force shall consist of: two members appointed by the governor; two members appointed by the temporary president of the senate; one member appointed by the minority leader of the senate; two members appointed by

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

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the speaker of the assembly; and one member appointed by the minority leader of the assembly.

§ 3. Members of the task force shall receive no compensation but shall be reimbursed for their actual and necessary expenses in the performance of their duties pursuant to this act.

§ 4. A report of the findings and recommendations of the task force shall be submitted to the governor, the temporary president of the senate, and the speaker of the assembly no more than two years after the effective date of this act.

§ 5. This act shall take effect immediately and shall expire and be deemed repealed June 30, 2022.