STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. GUNTHER -- read once and referred to the Committee on People with Disabilities

AN ACT to require the office for people with developmental disabilities to establish the care demonstration program; and providing for the repeal of such provisions upon the expiration thereof

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

1 Section 1. (a) The commissioner of the office for people with develop-2 mental disabilities shall establish the care demonstration program, to 3 utilize the state workforce to provide community based care to individ-4 uals with developmental disabilities.

5 (b) The services provided by such care demonstration program may 6 include, but shall not be limited to:

7 (i) community habilitation;

8 (ii) in-home respite;

9 (iii) pathways to employment;

10 (iv) supported employment (SEMP); and

11 (v) community prevocational services.

12 § 2. The commissioner of the office for people with developmental 13 disabilities shall promulgate all rules and regulations necessary to 14 implement the provisions of this act.

15 § 3. This act shall take effect immediately and shall expire and be 16 deemed repealed March 31, 2024.

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

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