STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN ASSEMBLY

February 23, 2022

Introduced by M. of A. LUPARDO -- read once and referred to the Committee on Energy

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to requiring funds received pursuant to mitigation payment requirements in furtherance of the major renewable energy development program to be used for farmland protection programs

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

Section 1. Section 94-c of the executive law is amended by adding a new subdivision 9 to read as follows:

9. Disbursement of mitigation payments. The office shall direct any funds received pursuant to mitigation payment requirements established in furtherance of the purposes of this section to be used for farmland protection programs pursuant to article twenty-five-AAA of the agriculture and markets law.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately; provided that the amendments to section 94-c of the executive law made by section one of this act shall not affect the repeal of such section and shall be deemed repealed therewith.

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

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