## STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN SENATE

February 19, 2021

Introduced by Sen. STAVISKY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Higher Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to excluding certain graduate students from mandatory fees

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

- Section 1. Paragraph h of subdivision 2 of section 355 of the educa-2 tion law is amended by adding a new subparagraph 11 to read as follows:
- (11) All current and future mandatory fees, with the exclusion of the 4 graduate student association student activities fee, shall not be 5 charged to a graduate student serving a full-time or half-time appoint-6 ment as a graduate teaching assistant, graduate assistant, graduate research assistant, graduate research associate, or a graduate teaching associate.
- § 2. Subdivision 7 of section 6206 of the education law is amended by 10 adding a new subparagraph (f) to read as follows:
- 11 (f) All current and future mandatory fees, with the exclusion of the 12 graduate student association student activities fee, shall not be 13 charged to a graduate student serving as a graduate assistant, adjunct 14 instructor, adjunct lecturer, adjunct college laboratory technician or a
- 15 <u>non-teaching adjunct staff member.</u>

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§ 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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