STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

February 9, 2022

Introduced by Sen. BAILEY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Codes

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to establishing an operation SNUG program which provides grant awards to reduce, prevent or respond to gun violence

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

Section 1. The executive law is amended by adding a new section 837-x 2 to read as follows:

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§ 837-x. Operation SNUG program. 1. There is hereby established within 4 the division an operation SNUG program. The operation SNUG program shall 5 provide grant awards to local governments and/or community-based organizations who provide programs and services including but not limited to, educational, youth justice, gang prevention, social work and street outreach that aim to reduce, prevent or respond to gun violence. There shall be an annual appropriation of at least thirty million dollars made available to the division to support operation SNUG program grants.

2. There shall be no less than five million dollars annually made 12 available to support operation SNUG program awards designated by the senate. Notwithstanding section twenty-four of the state finance law or any provision of law to the contrary, such amount shall be allocated pursuant to a plan prepared and approved by the temporary president of the senate and submitted to the commissioner and the director of the budget which sets forth either an itemized list of grantees with the amount to be received by each, or the methodology for allocating such 18 appropriations.

3. There shall be no less than five million dollars annually made available to support operation SNUG program awards designated by the assembly. Notwithstanding section twenty-four of the state finance law 23 or any provision of law to the contrary, such amount shall be allocated pursuant to a plan prepared and approved by the speaker of the assembly and submitted to the commissioner and the director of the budget which sets forth either an itemized list of grantees with the amount to be received by each, or the methodology for allocating such appropriations.

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

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4. Pursuant to a plan prepared by the commissioner and approved by the director of the budget, no less than twenty million dollars annually shall be made available and awarded to grantees providing services in counties throughout the state; provided, however, that such plan shall provide an annual award in a dollar amount no less than that provided in the following sub-schedule:

7	<u>Sub-schedule</u>
8	<u>Albany County</u>
9	<u>Dutchess County</u> <u>400,000</u>
10	<u>Erie County</u> <u>1,250,000</u>
11	<u>Monroe County</u> <u>800,000</u>
12	<u>Nassau County</u>
13	<u>Niagara County</u> <u>250,000</u>
14	<u>Oneida County</u>
15	<u>Onondaga County</u>
16	<u>Orange County</u>
17	Rensselaer County 500,000
18	<u>Rockland County</u> <u>250,000</u>
19	Schenectady County 250,000
20	<u>Suffolk County</u> <u>500,000</u>
21	<u>Ulster County</u>
22	<u>Westchester County</u> <u>1,500,000</u>
23	New York City (Bronx County) 1,500,000
24	New York City (Kings County) 1,500,000
25	New York City (New York County) 1,300,000
26	New York City (Queens County) 1,500,000
27	New York City (Richmond County) 500,000
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29	Total of sub-schedule 15,000,000

The commissioner may use at least five million dollars annually to increase funding provided to counties listed in the sub-schedule or expand operation SNUG programs and services to additional counties throughout the state.

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall have become a law.