STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

April 26, 2022

Introduced by Sen. WEIK -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Energy and Telecommunications

AN ACT to amend the public authorities law, in relation to establishing a home heating oil rebate program; 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. The public authorities law is amended by adding a new 2 section 1885 to read as follows:

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- § 1885. Home heating oil rebate program. 1. The authority is hereby 4 <u>authorized to establish and administer a home heating oil rebate</u> 5 program. The authority shall be responsible for gathering all necessary residential customer purchase data from all registered home heating oil dealers in the state.
- 8 2. The authority shall have the responsibility of distributing rebate 9 checks to residential home heating oil customers. Such rebate shall be 10 in the amount of one dollar per gallon, up to a limit of five hundred 11 gallons, of number two heating oil purchased between the dates of July first, two thousand twenty-one and June thirtieth, two thousand twenty-12 13 **two.**
- 14 3. The authority shall promulgate rules and regulations for the admin-15 istration of a home heating oil rebate program established pursuant to 16 this section, including but not limited to eligibility criteria, appli-17 cation procedures, and documentation and compliance requirements for the 18 program.
- 19 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall expire December 20 31, 2023 when upon such date the provisions of this act shall be deemed 21 repealed.

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

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