## STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. RA -- read once and referred to the Committee on Higher Education

AN ACT to require the commissioner of education to create a state-wide competition among SUNY and CUNY schools with prizes going to the schools that produce the most cost-efficient method of reducing CO2 emissions

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

Section 1. The commissioner of education shall create and sponsor a 1 2 state-wide competition among teams of students who attend the state 3 university of New York or the city university of New York designed to challenge and inspire the states' brightest and most inventive college 4 5 students to produce the most cost-efficient method of reducing CO2 emisб sions. The awards for the teams competing in the competition: 7 First Place: \$100,000 to the winning university with an agreement that 8 the award be used to improve environmental programs at the university. Second Place: \$50,000 for the university with an agreement that the 9 10 award be used to improve environmental programs at the university. Third Place: \$10,000 for the university with an agreement that the 11 12 award be used to improve environmental programs at the university. 13 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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