STATE OF NEW YORK

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Introduced by M. of A. MAMDANI -- read once and referred to the Committee on Children and Families

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to establishing differential payment rates to child care providers who provide care to children experiencing homelessness or who provide care to children during nontraditional hours

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

Section 1. Section 410-x of the social services law is amended by adding two new subdivisions 9 and 10 to read as follows:

9. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, rule or regulation to the contrary, a social services district shall establish a differential payment rate for child care services provided by licensed or registered child care providers who provide care to a child or children experiencing homelessness. Such differential payment rate shall be fifteen percent higher than the actual cost of care.

10. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, rule or regulation to the contrary, a social services district shall establish a differential payment rate for child care services provided by licensed or registered child care providers who provide care to a child or children during nontraditional hours. Nontraditional hours shall mean care provided in the evening, night, or on the weekend. Such differential payment rate shall be fifteen percent higher than the actual cost of care.

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the first of April next succeeding the date on which it shall have become a law.

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

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