STATE OF NEW YORK

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2021-2022 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

(Prefiled)

January 6, 2021

Introduced by M. of A. PHEFFER AMATO -- read once and referred to the Committee on Social Services

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to increasing the enhanced residential care benefit for aged, blind and disabled persons

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

Section 1. Paragraph (e) of subdivision 2 of section 209 of the social services law, as amended by section 2 of part K of chapter 56 of the laws of 2020, is amended to read as follows:

(e) [~~On and after~~] (i) (1) From January first, two thousand twenty to June thirtieth, two thousand twenty-one, [~~(i)~~] for an eligible individual receiving enhanced residential care, $1,477.00; and [~~(ii)~~] (2) for an eligible couple receiving enhanced residential care, two times the amount set forth in clause one of this subparagraph [~~(i) of this paragraph~~].

(ii) (1) From July first, two thousand twenty-one to March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-two, for an eligible individual receiving enhanced residential care, $1,585.00; and (2) for an eligible couple receiving enhanced residential care, two times the amount set forth in clause one of this subparagraph.

(iii) (1) From April first, two thousand twenty-two to March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-three, for an eligible individual receiving enhanced residential care, $1,705.00; and (2) for an eligible couple receiving enhanced residential care, two times the amount set forth in clause one of this subparagraph.

(iv) (1) From April first, two thousand twenty-three to March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-four, for an eligible individual receiving enhanced residential care, $1,825.00; and (2) for an eligible couple receiving enhanced residential care, two times the amount set forth in clause one of this subparagraph.

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

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(v) (1) From April first, two thousand twenty-four to March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-five, for an eligible individual receiving enhanced residential care, $1,945.00; and (2) for an eligible couple receiving enhanced residential care, two times the amount set forth in clause one of this subparagraph.

(vi) (1) From April first, two thousand twenty-five to March thirty-first, two thousand twenty-six, for an eligible individual receiving enhanced residential care, $2,065.00; and (2) for an eligible couple receiving enhanced residential care, two times the amount set forth in clause one of this subparagraph.

§ 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2021.