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## IN ASSEMBLY

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

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to requiring shelter allowances be set at up to one hundred percent of the fair market rent for the local social services district

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

1 Section 1. The social services law is amended by adding a new section  
2 131-cc to read as follows:

3 § 131-cc. Shelter allowances. Notwithstanding any other provision of  
4 law to the contrary, local social services districts shall pay shelter  
5 allowance equal to the actual rent obligation of recipients up to one  
6 hundred percent of the current United States department of housing and  
7 urban development's fair market rent level corresponding to the social  
8 services district in which the recipient resides.

9 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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