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## IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. J. M. GIGLIO -- read once and referred to the Committee on Correction

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to the membership of the state board of parole

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

Section 1. Subdivision 1 of section 259-b of the executive law, as amended by section 38-a of subpart A of part C of chapter 62 of the laws of 2011, is amended to read as follows:

1. There shall be in the department a state board of parole which 4 shall possess the powers and duties hereinafter specified. The board 5 б shall function independently of the department regarding all of its 7 decision-making functions, as well as any other powers and duties specified in this article, provided, however, that administrative matters of 8 general applicability within the department shall be applicable to the 9 board. Such board shall consist of not more than nineteen members 10 11 appointed by the governor with the advice and consent of the senate. The 12 board shall include at least one member who is employed or has been 13 employed as a member of law enforcement and at least one member who is a 14 crime victim or a crime victim's representative as defined in subparagraph (A) of paragraph (c) of subdivision two of section two hundred 15 16 **fifty-nine-i of this article.** The term of office of each member of such 17 board shall be for six years; provided, however, that any member chosen to fill a vacancy occurring otherwise than by expiration of term shall 18 19 be appointed for the remainder of the unexpired term of the member whom 20 he is to succeed. In the event of the inability to act of any member, the governor may appoint some competent informed person to act in his 21 stead during the continuance of such disability. 22

23 § 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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