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Introduced by Sens. KAPLAN, GAUGHRAN, JORDAN, MANNION, MARTUCCI -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Corporations, Authorities and Commissions -- reported favorably from said committee, ordered to first and second report, ordered to a third reading, passed by Senate and delivered to the Assembly, recalled, vote reconsidered, restored to third reading, amended and ordered reprinted, retaining its place in the order of third reading

AN ACT to amend the business corporation law and the limited liability company law, in relation to directing the department of state to provide information to certain new businesses

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

- Section 1. Section 303 of the business corporation law is amended by 2 adding a new paragraph (g) to read as follows:
- (g) Upon the receipt of an application to reserve a corporate name by 4 the department of state pursuant to this section, the department shall confirm such receipt by mail or email to the applicant at the address or email address set forth in such application. In addition, the department shall include, but not be limited to including, the following information in such mailing or email:
- (1) contact information, including, but not limited to website, 9 address and telephone number, of the New York state small business 10 development center serving their region;
- 12 (2) contact information, including, but not limited to website, 13 address and telephone number, of the New York state entrepreneurship 14 <u>assistance center serving their region;</u>
- 15 (3) contact information, including, but not limited to the website, 16 address and telephone number of business mentor NY; and

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

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(4) contact information, including, but not limited to website, address and telephone number, of empire state development. Information regarding empire state development shall include direction to resources available on such website to support and assist new businesses.

- § 2. Section 205 of the limited liability company law is amended by adding a new subdivision (e) to read as follows:
- (e) Upon the receipt of an application to reserve a limited liability company name by the department of state pursuant to this section, the department shall confirm such receipt by mail or email to the applicant at the address or email address set forth in such application. In addition, the department shall include, but not be limited to including, the following information in such mailing or email:
- 13 <u>(1) contact information, including, but not limited to website,</u>
 14 <u>address and telephone number, of the New York state small business</u>
 15 <u>development center serving their region;</u>
- 16 (2) contact information, including, but not limited to website, 17 address and telephone number, of the New York state entrepreneurship 18 assistance center serving their region;
- 19 <u>(3) contact information, including, but not limited to the website,</u>
 20 <u>address and telephone number of business mentor NY; and</u>
- 21 (4) contact information, including, but not limited to website, 22 address and telephone number, of empire state development. Information 23 regarding empire state development shall include direction to resources 24 available on such website to support and assist new businesses.
- 25 § 3. This act shall take effect on the sixtieth day after it shall 26 have become a law.