## STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN SENATE

January 31, 2021

Introduced by Sen. ADDABBO -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Education

AN ACT relating to requiring the state to reimburse non-public and private schools where COVID testing is mandated

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

Section 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, where COVID-19 testing of students, teachers and staff is mandated by the state pursuant to executive order or other directive relating to in-person instruction and settings, the state shall reimburse all non-public and private schools that are subject to such mandate for the costs associated with such testing requirements. The commissioner of education shall adopt necessary rules and/or regulations and provide a process and procedure to ensure the reimbursement of eligible costs pursuant to this act.

10 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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