STATE OF NEW YORK

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2021-2022 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

February 3, 2021

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

AN ACT relating to establishing Angelina Liu as the genetic child and distributee of Wenjian Liu for purposes of the estates, powers and trusts law

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

1 Section 1. Notwithstanding any provisions of section 4-1.3 of the 2 estates, powers and trusts law to the contrary, Angelina Liu shall be 3 considered the genetic child, as such term is described in paragraph 3 4 of subdivision (a) of section 4-1.3 of the estates, powers and trusts 5 law, of Wenjian Liu, for the purposes of article 4 of such law. Angeli-6 na Liu shall be considered a distributee of Wenjian Liu and included in 7 any disposition of property to persons described in any instrument as 8 the issue, children, descendants, heirs, heirs at law, next of kin, 9 distributees (or by any like import) of Wenjian Liu.

10 § 2. Notwithstanding any provisions of section 4-1.3 of the estates, 11 powers and trusts law to the contrary, Angelina Liu shall be considered 12 the genetic child of Wenjian Liu, for the purposes of article four of 13 such law. Angelina Liu shall be considered a distributee of Wenjian Liu 14 and included in any disposition of property to persons described in any 15 instrument as the issue, children, descendants, heirs, heirs at law, 16 next of kin, distributees (or by any like import) of Wenjian Liu.

§ 3. This act shall take effect immediately and shall apply to estates of decedents dying on or after November 21, 2014; provided however, that section two of this act shall take effect on the same date and in the same manner as part L of chapter 56 of the laws of 2020, takes effect.

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

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