STATE OF NEW YORK

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2023-2024 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

January 31, 2023

Introduced by Sen. WEIK -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Energy and Telecommunications

AN ACT to amend the public authorities law, in relation to establishing a home heating oil rebate program; and providing for the repeal of such provisions upon expiration thereof

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

Section 1. The public authorities law is amended by adding a new section 1885 to read as follows:

§ 1885. Home heating oil rebate program. 1. The authority is hereby authorized to establish and administer a home heating oil rebate program. The authority shall be responsible for gathering all necessary residential customer purchase data from all registered home heating oil dealers in the state.

2. The authority shall have the responsibility of distributing rebate checks to residential home heating oil customers. Such rebate shall be in the amount of one dollar per gallon, up to a limit of five hundred gallons, of number two heating oil purchased between the dates of July first, two thousand twenty-three and June thirtieth, two thousand twenty-four.

3. The authority shall promulgate rules and regulations for the administration of a home heating oil rebate program established pursuant to this section, including but not limited to eligibility criteria, application procedures, and documentation and compliance requirements for the program.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall expire December 31, 2024 when upon such date the provisions of this act shall be deemed repealed.

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

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