

STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

May 3, 2024

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

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to creating an advisory board to the New York state office of the chief disability officer

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 3 of section 4-b of the executive law is
2 amended by adding a new paragraph (d) to read as follows:

3 (d)(i) An office of the chief disability officer advisory board
4 consisting of state employees, whose number shall be designated by the
5 governor, is created to review the office of the chief disability offi-
6 cer's operations and make recommendations relating to the office of the
7 chief disability officer's policies and procedures.

8 (ii) The governor shall appoint members of the advisory board. The
9 members of the advisory board shall be state employees from the office
10 for people with developmental disabilities, the New York state office of
11 employee relations, the department of civil service, the office of
12 mental health, ACCESS VR, the New York state commission for the blind
13 and any representative from other executive agencies or departments as
14 determined by the governor and shall represent a diversity of experience
15 relevant to activities of the office of the chief disability officer.
16 All advisory board members shall be current state employees and their
17 duties on the advisory board shall not come with additional compensation
18 or other state benefits. Advisory board members shall serve at the plea-
19 sure of the governor.

20 (iii) The board shall choose a chair from among its membership.

21 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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