# STATE OF NEW YORK

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2023-2024 Regular Sessions

# IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. PRETLOW -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Employees

AN ACT to amend the civil service law, in relation to limiting the continuation of the terms and benefits coverage of an expired agreement for up to six months beyond the expiration date

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

Section 1. Section 209-a of the civil service law is amended by adding a new subdivision 1-a to read as follows:

**1-a. A public employee's contractual rights shall be extended for up to six months beyond the expiration date of such employee's agreement for the sole purpose of negotiating a new agreement. During such six month extension period, all payroll and benefits assigned to such employee under such expired agreement shall remain "as is", with no increase or decrease in payments until a new agreement is renegotiated.**

§ 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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