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## IN SENATE

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Introduced by Sen. COMRIE -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Internet and Technology

AN ACT to establish the quantum computing task force

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

- Section 1. a. A task force, to be known as the task force on quantum 2 computing, is hereby established to study the creation of a quantum computing project in this state. Such task force shall be comprised of appropriate state agency personnel and experts in the field of quantum 5 computing.
  - b. The task force shall be comprised of:
- 7 (i) two members appointed by the governor;
- (ii) two members appointed by the temporary president of the senate; 8
- 9 (iii) two members appointed by the speaker of the assembly;
- 10 (iv) one member appointed by the minority leader of the senate; and
  - (v) one member appointed by the minority leader of the assembly.
- 12 c. The task force shall:

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- (i) examine and evaluate the development of quantum computing by 13 14 federal, state, and international governments and military agencies; and
  - (ii) make recommendations on how to utilize quantum computing for the
- 15 16 purposes of developing computers for civilian, business, trade, environ-
- 17 mental and security purposes, such as cryptanalysis, in this state.
- 18 d. Such task force shall submit a report, on or before January 1,
- 2024, to the governor and the legislature of its findings, conclusions 19
- and recommendations, and legislative and regulatory proposals deemed
- 21 necessary to implement such recommendations.
- 22 § 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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