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2023-2024 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

February 24, 2023

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

AN ACT to amend the state finance law, in relation to exempting the review of certain contracts from suspension of certain laws during a state disaster emergency

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

1 Section 1. Section 163 of the state finance law is amended by adding a 2 new subdivision 16 to read as follows:

3 <u>16. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the</u> 4 provisions of this section are not subject to the governor's authority 5 <u>under section twenty-nine-a of the executive law to extend the suspen-</u> 6 <u>sion of laws beyond thirty days.</u>

7 § 2. Section 112 of the state finance law is amended by adding a new 8 subdivision 5 to read as follows:

9 5. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the 10 provisions of this section are not subject to the governor's authority 11 under section twenty-nine-a of the executive law to extend the suspen-12 sion of laws beyond thirty days.

13 § 3. This act shall take effect immediately; provided, however, that 14 the amendments to section 163 of the state finance law made by section 15 one of this act shall not affect the repeal of such section and shall be 16 deemed repealed therewith.

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

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