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IN SENATE

January 14, 2025

Introduced by Sens. RAMOS, CLEARE, COONEY, FERNANDEZ, JACKSON, MAY, SALAZAR -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Social Services

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to prohibiting requiring parents or caretakers to earn a minimum wage to be eligible for child care assistance

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

Section 1. Section 410-w of the social services law is amended by adding a new subdivision 11 to read as follows:

11. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, rule or regulation to the contrary, there shall be no minimum earnings requirement for parents and caretakers who are otherwise eligible for child care assistance pursuant to this section to receive such assistance.

§ 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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