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## IN SENATE

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Introduced by Sen. MAY -- 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 funding of state university of New York programs by state agencies

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

1 Section 1. All New York state sponsored programs conducted by the  
2 state university of New York and funded by a New York state agency shall  
3 be reimbursed at no less than twenty-six percent of the direct costs  
4 necessary to fulfill the obligations of such program's terms related to  
5 costs not otherwise allowable as a direct charge.

6 § 2. Section 179-ee of the state finance law is amended by adding a  
7 new subdivision 4 to read as follows:

8 4. Notwithstanding any other provision of this article to the contra-  
9 ry, for the purposes of a contract for a New York state sponsored  
10 program conducted by the state university of New York and funded by a  
11 state agency, a state agency may award a sole source contract to the  
12 research foundation of the state university of New York, on behalf of  
13 the state of New York, when the state agency determines that operation  
14 of such sponsored program by the state university of New York would  
15 produce administrative efficiencies or cost savings or program results  
16 which would exceed those likely to be achieved through the use of a  
17 request for proposals.

18 § 3. This act shall take effect immediately and shall apply to  
19 contracts awarded on or after such effective date.

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

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