

# STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. CUNNINGHAM -- read once and referred to the Committee on Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to granting priority to charter school applicants with a board of trustees and school administrators that are at least fifty-one percent minority group members

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 9-a of section 2852 of the education law is  
2 amended by adding a new paragraph (c-1) to read as follows:

3 (c-1) For any charter issued or reissued on and after July first, two  
4 thousand twenty-five, the board of regents and the board of trustees of  
5 the state university of New York shall grant priority to any applicant  
6 that demonstrates that its charter school will be managed by a board of  
7 trustees and school administrators in which at least fifty-one percent  
8 of such board of trustees and school administrators are minority group  
9 members as such term is defined in article fifteen-A of the executive  
10 law.

11 § 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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