

STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

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Introduced by Sen. BRISPORT -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Rules

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to requiring the department of state to participate in the United Nations for certain purposes where the federal government has disengaged

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

1 Section 1. The executive law is amended by adding a new section 111 to
2 read as follows:

3 § 111. Participation in the United Nations. The state, through the
4 department of state, shall participate in the United Nations human
5 rights council's universal periodic review when the federal government
6 has disengaged from such review. The state shall continue to participate
7 to the fullest extent possible until such time as the federal government
8 reengages with such review.

9 § 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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