

STATE OF NEW YORK EXECUTIVE CHAMBER ALBANY 12224

TO THE LEGISLATURE:

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 14 of Article III of the Constitution and by virtue of the authority conferred upon me, I do hereby certify to the necessity of the immediate vote on Senate Bill Number 5491 / Assembly Bill Number 7067, entitled:

"AN ACT to amend the public health law, in relation to high cost drugs; to amend the tax law, in relation to surcharges on high priced drugs; to amend the tax law, in relation to secrecy provisions; to amend the state finance law, in relation to the high priced drug reimbursement fund; to amend the social services law, in relation to the drug utilization review board; to amend the social services law, in relation to Medicaid reimbursement of covered outpatient drugs; to authorize the suspension of a provider's Medicaid enrollment for inappropriate prescribing of opioids; to amend the social services law, in relation to refills of controlled substances; to amend the public health law and the social services law, in relation to eliminating prescriber prevails with the exception of mental health medications; to amend the public health law, in relation to authorizing for comprehensive medication management by pharmacists; to amend the social services law, in relation to reducing Medicaid coverage and increasing copayments for non-prescription drugs, to aligning pharmacy copayment requirements with federal regulations, and to adjusting consumer price index penalties for generic drugs; and to repeal subdivision 25-a of section 364-j of the social services law, relating to the coverage of certain medically necessary prescription drugs by managed care providers (Subpart A); to amend the social services law, in relation to fiscal intermediary certification under the consumer directed personal assist nce program; and to amend the public law, in relation to reserved bed days and establishing a prospective per diem adjustment for certain nursing homes (Subpart B); to amend part H of chapter 59 of the laws of 2011, amending the public health law and other laws relating to known and projected department of health state fund Medicaid expenditures, in relation to extending the Medicaid global cap (Subpart

C); to amend the New York Health Care Reform Act of 1996, in relation to extending certain provisions relating thereto; to amend the New York Health Care Reform Act of 2000, in relation to extending the effectiveness of provisions thereof; to amend the public health law, in relation to the distribution of pool allocations and graduate medical education; to amend the public health law, in relation to health care initiative pool distributions; to amend the social services law, in relation to extending payment provisions for general hospitals; to amend the public health law, in relation to the assessments on covered lives; to amend chapter 600 of the laws of 1986 amending the public health law relating to the development of pilot reimbursement programs for ambulatory care services, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 520 of the laws of 1978 relating to providing for a comprehensive survey of health care financing, education and illness prevention and creating councils for the conduct thereof, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend the public health law and the social services law, in relation to rates of payment for personal care services workers; to amend the public health law, in relation to the comprehensive diagnostic and treatment centers indigent care program; to amend chapter 62 of the laws of 2003 amending the general business law and other laws relating to enacting major components necessary to implement the state fiscal plan for the 2003-04 state fiscal year, in relation to the deposit of certain funds; to amend chapter 266 of the laws of 1986, amending the civil practice law and rules and other laws relating to malpractice and professional medical conduct, in relation to apportioning premium for certain policies; to amend part J of chapter 63 of the laws of 2001 amending chapter 266 of the laws of 1986, amending the civil practice law and rules and other laws relating to malpractice and professional medical conduct, in relation to extending certain provisions concerning the hospital excess liability pool; and to amend the public health law, in relation to tobacco control and insurance initiatives pool distributions (Subpart D); to amend chapter 884 of the laws of 1990, amending the public health law relating to authorizing bad debt and charity care allowances for certified home health agencies, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 60 of the laws of 2014 amending the social services law relating to eliminating prescriber prevails for brand name drugs with generic equivalents, in relation to

the effectiveness thereof; to amend the public health law, in relation to extending the nursing home cash assessment; to amend chapter 474 of the laws of 1996, amending the education law and other laws relating to rates for residential health care facilities, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 58 of the laws of 2007, amending the social services law and other laws relating to enacting the major components of legislation necessary to implement the health and mental hygiene budget for the 2007-2008 state fiscal year, in relation to delay of certain administrative cost; to amend chapter 81 of the laws of 1995, amending the public health law and other laws relating to medical reimbursement and welfare reform, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 109 of the laws of 2010, amending the social services law relating to transportation costs, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 56 of the laws of 2013 amending chapter 59 of the laws of 2011, amending the public health law and other laws relating to general hospital reimbursement for annual rates relating to the cap on local Medicaid expenditures, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 2 of the laws of 1998, amending the public health law and other laws relating to expanding the child health insurance plan, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 19 of the laws of 1998, amending the social services law relating to limiting the method of payment for prescription drugs under the medical assistance program, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend the public health law, in relation to continuing nursing home upper payment limit payments; to amend chapter 904 of the laws of 1984, amending the public health law and the social services law relating to encouraging comprehensive health services, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 62 of the laws of 2003, amending the public health law relating to allowing for the use of funds of the office of professional medical conduct for activities of the patient health information and quality improvement act of 2000, in relation to extending the provisions thereof; to amend chapter 59 of the laws of 2011, amending the public health law relating to the statewide health information network of New York and the statewide planning and research cooperative system and general powers and duties, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 58 of the laws of 2008, amending the elder law and other laws relating to reimbursement to participating

provider pharmacies and prescription drug coverage, in relation to extending the expiration of certain provisions thereof; and to amend the public health law, in relation to issuance of certificates of authority to accountable care organizations (Subpart E); to amend chapter 56 of the laws of 2013 amending chapter 59 of the laws of 2011 amending the public health law and other laws relating to general hospital reimbursement for annual rates relating to the cap on local Medicaid expenditures, in relation to extending government rates for behavioral services and adding an alternative payment methodology; and to amend chapter 111 of the laws of 2010 relating to increasing Medicaid payments to providers through managed care organizations and providing equivalent fees through an ambulatory patient group methodology, in relation to extending government rates for behavioral services and adding a value based payment requirement (Subpart F); to amend chapter 57 of the laws of 2006, relating to establishing a cost of living adjustment for designated human services programs, in relation to forgoing such adjustment during the 2017-2018 state fiscal year and the effectiveness thereof (Subpart G); to amend the social services law, in relation to health homes; to amend the social services law, in relation to managed care programs; to amend the social services law, in relation to pasteurized donor human milk and ovulation enhancing drugs; to amend public health law, in relation to home care work wage parity; in relation to authorizing the commissioner of health to sell accounts receivables balances owed to the state by Medicaid providers to financial institutions; and providing for the expiration of certain provisions (Subpart H) (Part A); to provide for the administration of certain funds and accounts related to the 2017-18 budget and authorizing certain payments and transfers; to amend the state finance law, in relation to the school tax relief fund and payments, transfers and deposits; to amend the state finance law, in relation to the dedicated infrastructure investment fund; to amend chapter 62 of the laws of 2003 amending the general business law and other laws relating to implementing the state fiscal plan for the 2003-2004 state fiscal year, in relation to the deposit provisions of the tobacco settlement financing corporation act; to amend the state finance law, in relation to establishing the retiree health benefit trust fund; to amend chapter 174 of the laws of 1968 constituting the New York state urban development corporation act, in relation to

funding project costs undertaken by nonpublic schools; to amend the New York state urban development corporation act, in relation to funding project costs for certain capital projects; to amend chapter 389 of the laws of 1997, relating to the financing of the correctional facilities improvement fund and the youth facility improvement fund, in relation to the issuance of bonds; to amend the private housing finance law, in relation to housing program bonds and notes; to amend chapter 329 of the laws of 1991, amending the state finance law and other laws relating to the establishment of the dedicated highway and bridge trust fund, in relation to the issuance of bonds; to amend the public authorities law, in relation to the issuance of bonds by the dormitory authority; to amend chapter 61 of the laws of 2005 relating to providing for the administration of certain funds and accounts related to the 2005-2006 budget, in relation to issuance of bonds by the urban development corporation; to amend the New York state urban development corporation act, in relation to the issuance of bonds; to amend the public authorities law, in relation to the state environmental infrastructure projects; to amend the New York state urban development corporation act, in relation to authorizing the urban development corporation to issue bonds to fund project costs for the implementation of a NY-CUNY challenge grant program; to amend chapter 81 of the laws of 2002, relating to providing for the administration of certain funds and accounts related to the 2002-2003 budget, in relation to increasing the aggregate amount of bonds to be issued by the New York state urban development corporation; to amend the public authorities law, in relation to financing of peace bridge and transportation capital projects; to amend the public authorities law, in relation to dormitories at certain educational institutions other than state operated institutions and statutory or contract colleges under the jurisdiction of the state university of New York; to amend the New York state medical care facilities finance agency act, in relation to bonds and mental health facilities improvement notes; to amend chapter 63 of the laws of 2005, relating to the composition and responsibilities of the New York state higher education capital matching grant board, in relation to increasing the amount of authorized matching capital grants; to amend the public authorities law, in relation to authorization for issuance of bonds for the capital restructuring bond finance program and the health care

facility transformation program to amend the state finance law and the public authorities law, in relation to funding certain capital projects and the issuance of bonds; to repeal sections 58, 59 and 60 of the state finance law relating thereto; and providing for the repeal of certain provisions upon expiration thereof (Subpart A); to amend the vehicle and traffic law and the state finance law, in relation to allocation of three million dollars of assessments from the city of New York to the general fund; and providing for the repeal of such provisions upon expiration thereof (Subpart B) (Part B); to amend chapter 62 of the laws of 2003 amending the vehicle and traffic law and other laws relating to increasing certain motor vehicle transaction fees, in relation to the disposition of revenues (Subpart A); to amend the New York state urban development corporation act, in relation to extending certain provisions relating to the empire state economic development fund (Subpart B); to amend chapter 393 of the laws of 1994, amending the New York state urban development corporation act, relating to the powers of the New York state urban development corporation to make loans, in relation to the effectiveness thereof (Subpart C); to amend the infrastructure investment act, in relation to the definition of an authorized entity that may utilize design-build contracts, and in relation to the effectiveness thereof (Subpart D); to amend chapter 21 of the laws of 2003, amending the executive law relating to permitting the secretary of state to provide special handling for all documents filed or issued by the division of corporations and to permit additional levels of such expedited service, in relation to extending the expiration date thereof (Subpart E); to amend the navigation law, in relation to establishing the New York environmental protection and spill remediation account (Subpart F) (Part C); to amend the tax law and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the school tax reduction credit for residents of a city with a population of one million or more; and to repeal section 54-f of the state financial law relating thereto (Subpart A); to amend chapter 59 of the laws of 2014, amending the tax law relating to serving an income execution with respect to individual tax debtors without filing a warrant, in relation to extending the provisions authorizing service of income executions on individual tax debtors without filing a warrant (Subpart B); to amend the tax law, in relation to clarifying the imposition of sales tax on gas service or electric

service of whatever nature (Subpart C); to amend the tax law and administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to qualified financial instruments of RICS and REITS (Subpart D) (Part D)"

The facts necessitating an immediate vote on the bill are as follows:

Enacting legislation relating to emergency appropriations for the support of government for the period April 1, 2017 through May 31, 2017.

Because this bill has not been on your desk in final form for three calendar legislative days, the Leaders of your Houses have requested this message to permit its immediate consideration.



G I V E N under my hand and the Privy

Seal of the State at the Capitol in the City of Albany this third day of April in the year two thousand seventeen.

BY THE GOVERNOR

Counsel to the Governor