



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 6406-C / Assembly Bill Number 9006-C, entitled:

"AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to contracts for excellence and the apportionment of public moneys; to amend the education law, in relation to the gap elimination adjustment; to amend the education law, in relation to the apportionment of public moneys in school districts employing eight or more teachers including foundation aid; to amend the education law, in relation to community school aid; to amend the education law, in relation to English language learner pupils; relates to pre-kindergarten programs; to amend the education law, in relation to charter school facilities aid; to amend the education law, in relation to the statewide universal full-day pre-kindergarten program; to amend the education law, in relation to building aid; to amend chapter 552 of the laws of 1995, amending the education law relating to contracts for the transportation of school children, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 756 of the laws of 1992, relating to funding a program for work force education conducted by the consortium for worker education in New York city, in relation to reimbursements for the 2015-2016 school year; to amend chapter 756 of the laws of 1992, relating to funding a program for work force education conducted by the consortium for worker education in New York city, in relation to withholding a portion of employment preparation education aid and in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend the state finance law, in relation to the New York state teen health education fund; to amend chapter 169 of the laws of 1994, relating to certain provisions related to the 1994-95 state operations, aid to localities, capital projects and debt service budgets, in

relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 82 of the laws of 1995, amending the education law and other laws relating to state aid to school districts and the appropriation of funds for the support of government, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 147 of the laws of 2001, amending the education law relating to conditional appointment of school district, charter school or BOCES employees, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 425 of the laws of 2002, amending the education law relating to the provision of supplemental educational services, attendance at a safe public school and the suspension of pupils who bring a firearm to or possess a firearm at a school, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 101 of the laws of 2003, amending the education law relating to implementation of the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; relates to school bus driver training; relates to special apportionment for salary expenses and public pension accruals; relates to suballocations of appropriations; relates to the development, maintenance or expansion of magnet schools; relates to the support of public libraries; to amend chapter 121 of the laws of 1996 relating to authorizing the Roosevelt union free school district to finance deficits by the issuance of serial bonds, in relation to certain apportionments; to amend the education law, in relation to aid for employment preparation education programs; to direct the commissioner of education to examine the reduced price lunch program; to amend the education law, in relation to extending the apportionment of public moneys to school districts employing eight or more teachers; and to direct the commissioner of education on how to recover certain penalties (Part A); to amend the education law, in relation to school emergency response plans (Part B); intentionally omitted (Part C); to amend the education law, in relation to the NY-SUNY 2020 challenge grant program act; and to amend chapter 260 of the laws of 2011, amending the education law and the New York state urban development corporation act relating to establishing components of the NY 2020 challenge grant program, in relation to the effectiveness thereof (Part D); to amend the state finance law, in relation to the creation of the SUNY Stony Brook Affiliation escrow fund (Part E); intentionally omitted (Part F); to amend chapter 161 of the laws of 2005 amending the education law relating to the New York state licensed social worker loan forgiveness program, in relation to the

effectiveness thereof; to amend part V of chapter 57 of the laws of 2005 amending the education law relating to the New York state nursing faculty loan forgiveness incentive program and the New York state nursing faculty scholarship program, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to amend chapter 31 of the laws of 1985 amending the education law relating to regents scholarships in certain professions, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; and to amend the education law, in relation to forgiving loans upon the death of the recipient (Part G); intentionally omitted (Part H); intentionally omitted (Part I); intentionally omitted (Part J); to amend the labor law, in relation to the rate of minimum wage; and to repeal certain provisions of such law relating thereto (Part K); intentionally omitted (Part L); to amend the family court act, in relation to findings that must be made at permanency hearings, and to amend the social services law, in relation to guardianship expenses, the reasonable and prudent parent standard and the criminal history of prospective foster and adoptive parents (Part M); intentionally omitted (Part N); to amend the social services law, in relation to increasing the standards of monthly need for aged, blind and disabled persons living in the community (Part O); to utilize reserves in the mortgage insurance fund for various housing purposes (Part P); to amend part D of chapter 58 of the laws of 2011 amending the education law relating to capital facilities in support of the state university and community colleges, procurement and the state university health care facilities, in relation to the effectiveness thereof (Part Q); to amend the education law, in relation to income for the purposes of student financial aid (Part R); to amend part K of chapter 58 of the laws of 2010 amending the social services law relating to establishing the savings plan demonstration project, in relation to extending the period of effectiveness thereof (Part S); to amend the education law, in relation to associate of occupational studies degree options (Part T); to amend the education law, in relation to the foster youth college success initiative (Part U); to amend the education law, in relation to tuition, aid and placement report for all non-public institutions of higher education (Part V); to amend the social services law, in relation to the powers and duties of the commissioner of social services relating to the appointment of a temporary operator; and providing for the repeal of such provisions upon expiration thereof (Part

W); to amend the social services law, in relation to exempting certain automobiles from calculations of benefits of households under public assistance programs (Part X); to amend the social services law, in relation to requiring an explicit written determination by the health care practitioner when the diagnoses differ from an applicant's treating health care practitioner (Part Y); to amend the retirement and social security law, in relation to authorizing the state as an amortizing employer to make certain prepayments into the retirement system (Part Z); to amend chapter 495 of the laws of 2004 amending the insurance law and the public health law relating to the New York state health insurance continuation assistance demonstration project, in relation to the effectiveness thereof (Part AA); to amend the insurance law, in relation to reduction in rates of property/casualty insurance on residential property for insureds who complete an approved homeowner natural disaster preparedness, home safety and loss prevention course (Part BB); to amend the banking law, in relation to utilization of the standard financial aid award letter for undergraduate financial aid applicants (Part CC); to amend the education law, in relation to chargeback rates for students of the state university of New York and the city university of New York (Part DD); to amend part U of chapter 55 of the laws of 2014, amending the real property tax law relating to the tax abatement and exemption for rent regulated and rent controlled property occupied by senior citizens, in relation to extending the effectiveness thereof and limiting state liability for reimbursement to the city of New York pursuant thereto; and to amend section 4 of chapter 129 of the laws of 2014, amending the real property tax law relating to the tax abatement and exemption for rent regulated and rent controlled property occupied by persons with disabilities, in relation to extending the effectiveness thereof (Part EE); authorizing the town of Riverhead, county of Suffolk to refund bonds previously issued for the acquisition of land for permanent rights on land (Part FF); to amend the volunteer firefighters' benefit law, in relation to increasing the amount of permanent total disability benefits (Part GG); to amend the transportation law, in relation to airport improvement and revitalization grants and loans (Part HH); to amend part C of chapter 58 of the laws of 2005 authorizing reimbursements for expenditures made by or on behalf of social services districts for medical assistance for needy persons and

administration thereof, in relation to authorizing the commissioner of health to establish a statewide Medicaid integrity and efficiency initiative; and providing for the repeal of such provisions upon expiration thereof (Part II); 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 minimum wage increases (Part JJ); to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to police department reporting requirements (Part KK); to amend the state finance law, in relation to establishing the Health Republic Insurance of New York fund (Part LL); to amend the executive law, in relation to transferring certain functions to the division of state police from the division of homeland security and emergency services (Part MM); to amend public authorities law, in relation to committing the state of New York and the city of New York to partially fund part of the costs of the Metropolitan Transportation Authority's capital program (Part NN); to amend the public authorities law, in relation to procurements by the New York City transit authority and the metropolitan transportation authority; and providing for the repeal of such provisions upon expiration thereof (Part OO); to amend the public authorities law and the general municipal law, in relation to the New York transit authority and the metropolitan transportation authority; and providing for the repeal of certain provisions upon expiration thereof (Part PP); to amend chapter 60 of the laws of 2011, amending the New York state urban development corporation act relating to the new markets tax credits, in relation to extending the effectiveness thereof (Part QQ); to amend the public authorities law, in relation to establishing the New York state design and construction corporation act; and providing for the repeal of such provisions upon expiration thereof (Part RR); to amend the workers' compensation law and the insurance law, in relation to providing paid family leave benefits (Part SS); to amend the public authorities law, the canal law, the state finance law, the public officers law, the transportation law, and the parks, recreation and historic preservation law, in relation to eliminating the canal corporation; and to repeal certain provisions of the public authorities law and the public officers law relating thereto (Part TT); and to provide for the administration of certain funds and accounts related to the 2016-17 budget, authorizing certain payments and transfers;

to amend the state finance law, in relation to the rainy day reserve fund, the dedicated infrastructure investment fund infrastructure investment account, and the school tax relief fund; to amend the state finance law, in relation to payments, transfers and deposits; to amend the state finance law, in relation to the period for which appropriations can be made; to amend the state finance law, in relation to certain reports; to amend chapter 453 of the laws of 2015 amending the state finance law relating to tax check-off fund, in relation to source of monies; 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; to amend the public authorities law, in relation to 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 direct the distribution of local sales tax revenue from the city of New York; to amend the public authorities law, in relation to cultural education facilities; to amend chapter 35 of the laws of 1979 relating to appropriating funds to the New York state urban development corporation, in relation to making technical corrections; and providing for the repeal of certain provisions upon expiration thereof (Part UU)"

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

The bill is necessary to enact the 2016-2017 State budget.

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



G I V E N under my hand and the Privy Seal of the State at the Capitol in the City of Albany this first day of April in the year two thousand sixteen.

BY THE GOVERNOR

Counsel to the Governor