

The New York City Council

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Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, June 19, 2002

3:30 PM

Council Chambers - City Hall

Committee on State and Federal Legislation

Maria Baez, Chair

*Members: Joel Rivera, Joseph P. Addabbo, Jr., Erik Martin Dilan,
Lewis A. Fidler, Michael E. McMahon, Hiram Monseratte,
Helen Sears, Martin J. Golden*

Roll Call

Present:

Baez, Rivera, Addabbo Jr., Dilan, Fidler, McMahon, Monserrate, Sears and Golden

Other Council Members Attending: Brewer, Felder, Gerson, Martinez, Lopez, Reed, Liu, Boyland, Koppell, Quinn, Weprin, Gennaro, Jackson, Provenzano, Ododo, Lanza, Katz and Gallagher.

SLR 0038-2002 State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Hassell-Thompson, S.6492, and Assembly Member Davis, A.10411, "AN ACT authorizing the city of New York to reconvey its interest in certain real property acquired by in rem tax foreclosure in the borough of the Bronx to former owner, Estate of Elia Figueroa, without public auction and notwithstanding expiration of the two year period within which application may be made to the city of release its interest in property thus acquired; Block No. 3062, Lot No. 3 on tax map for the borough of the Bronx ".

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SLR 0042-2002 State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Smith, S.6282, and Assembly Member Cook, A.9855, "AN ACT authorizing the city of New York to reconvey its interest in certain real property acquired by in rem tax foreclosure in the borough of Queens to former owner Florence Timmons, notwithstanding expiration of the two year period within which application may be made to the city to release its interest in property thus acquired; Block No. 11975, Lot No. 29 on tax map for the borough of Queens".

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SLR 0053-2002 **State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senators Padavan, Maltese and Marchi, S.6314-A, and Assembly Members Abbate, M. Cohen, Colton, Cymbrowitz, Ortiz, Pheffer and Seddio, et al A.9914-A, "AN ACT to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the establishment of a twenty year retirement program for members of the New York city employees' retirement system employed as investigators by district attorneys' offices; and to amend the retirement and social security law, in relation to the establishment of twenty year retirement programs for such members who are subject to articles 11 and 15 of such law".**

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SLR 0070-2002 **State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Montgomery, S.6410, and Assembly Member Boyland, A.10255, "AN ACT authorizing the city of New York to reconvey its interest in certain real property acquired April 18, 1979 by in rem tax foreclosure in the borough of Brooklyn, to the distributees or devisees of prior owner Frances Drakes as of April 29, 1972, notwithstanding expiration of the two year period within which application may be made to the city to release its interest in property thus acquired; Block No. 1658, Lot No. 76, section 6 on the tax map for the borough of Brooklyn ".**

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SLR 0079-2002 **State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Maltese, S.1544-A, and Assembly Member Seminerio, A.2470-A, "AN ACT to amend the retirement and social security law, in relation to employee contributions to the twenty year improved benefit retirement programs for New York city correction members".**

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SLR 0091-2002 **State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Maltese, S.7344, and by Committee on Rules, A.11392, "AN ACT to amend the administrative code of the city of New York and the retirement and social security law, in relation to the establishment of a twenty-five year retirement program for members of the New York city employees' retirement system or New York city board of education retirement system".**

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SLR 0093-2002 **State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Gentile, S.5418-A, and Assembly Member Mirones, A.10696, "AN ACT authorizing the city of New York to reconvey its interest in certain real property acquired by in rem tax foreclosure in the borough of Staten Island to the former owner Eleanor E. Sniffen, without public auction and notwithstanding expiration of the two year period within which application may be made to the city to release its interest in property thus acquired; Block No. 2857, Lot No. 3 on the tax map for the borough of Staten Island".**

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SLR 0096-2002 **State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Veleva, S.7377, and Assembly Members Abbate, Lavelle, Cymbrowitz and Seddio, et al, A.10291, "AN ACT to amend the civil service law, in relation to provisional appointments".**

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SLR 0099-2002 State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Committee on Rules, S.7598-A, and Committee on Rules, A.11540-B, "AN ACT to amend the retirement and social security law and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the establishment of a twenty-five year/age fifty retirement program for members of the New York city employees' retirement system employed in automotive positions; and in relation to providing for employer pick up, pursuant to provisions of the internal revenue code, of certain additional member contributions required to be made by certain participants in the twenty-five year/age fifty retirement programs and repealing certain provisions of the retirement and social security law relating thereto".

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SLR 0100-2002 State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Smith, S.7447-A, and Committee on Rules, A.11439-A, "AN ACT authorizing the city of New York to reconvey its interest in certain real property acquired by in rem tax foreclosure in the borough of Brooklyn to former owner Richard Bothwell, notwithstanding expiration to the two year period within which application may be made to the city to release its interest in property thus acquired; Block No. 3868, Lots No. 20 and 22 on tax map for the borough of Brooklyn also known as 891-895 Mother Gaston Boulevard in the borough of Brooklyn".

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SLR 0101-2002 State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senators Maltese, Alesi, Leibell, Libous, McGee, Morahan, Spano and Vellella, S.7367-A, and Committee on Rules, A.11320-A, "AN ACT to amend the general municipal law, in relation to benefits for employees of governmental entities performing emergency medical services in the city of New York who suffer any condition or impairment of health caused by diseases of the heart resulting in disability or death".

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SLR 0102-2002 **State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senator Maltese, S.6101-B, and Assembly Member Abbate, A.9633-B, "AN ACT to amend the retirement and social security law, in relation to deputy sheriffs of the city of New York who are injured in the performance of their duties".**

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SLR 0103-2002 **State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Senators Maltese, Padavan, Vellella, Marchi, Spano, Leibell, Skelos, Balboni, Fuschillo, Hannon, Johnson, Lack, Lavallo, Marcellino, Trunzo and Morahan, S.5852-C, and Assembly Member Abbate, A.10373-B, "AN ACT to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to increasing benefits payable by the police and fire variable supplements funds to pension fund beneficiaries".**

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SLR 0108-2002 **State Legislation Resolution requesting the New York State Legislature to pass bills introduced by Committee on Rules, S.7772, and Committee on Rules, A.11799, "AN ACT to amend the general municipal law, the administrative code of the city of New York, the retirement and social security law and the education law, in relation to providing special accidental death benefits and accidental death benefits to registered domestic partners of deceased members of the New York city police pension fund, subchapter two, the New York city fire department pension fund, subchapter two, the New York city employees' retirement system, the New York city teachers' retirement system and the board of education retirement system of the city of New York".**

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M 0212-2002 **Communication from the Mayor - "An act to amend chapter 130 of the laws of 1998, amending the general municipal law relating to temporary investments by local governments, in relation to the effective date of such chapter". S.7530/A.11552**

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M 0213-2002 **Communication from the Mayor - "An act to amend the real property tax law and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the mailing requirements for documents required to be filed and payments required to be made in connection with certain taxes in the city of New York; to amend the tax law, in relation to the power of the commissioner of taxation and finance to compromise taxes or warrants or judgments for taxes; to amend the New York city charter, in relation to the power of the department of finance of the city of New York to compromise excise or nonproperty taxes or annual vault charges; to amend the tax law and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to authorizing the commissioner of taxation and finance and the commissioner of finance of the city of New York to vacate tax warrants; to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the definition of partnership for purposes of title 11 of the administrative code of the city of New York and in relation to the banking corporation tax of taxpayers who elect to be taxed under subchapter s of chapter one of the internal revenue code and in relation to the treatment of qualified subchapter s subsidiaries under the banking corporation tax and the general corporation tax; to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to conforming the general corporation tax and unincorporated business tax allocation provisions for receipts of broadcasters and publishers and in relation to revising the allocation provisions for subscription receipts and to repeal subdivision 1-a of section 11-645 of the administrative code of the city of New York relating to the computation of the estimated tax". S.6553-A/A.3823-A**

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M 0214-2002 **Communication from the Mayor - "AN ACT to amend the New York city charter, in relation to imposing civil penalties for violations of the rules of the battery park city authority and the Hudson river park trust relating to the government and protection of park and recreational property held by such authority and trust, providing for the adjudication of such violations by the environmental control board and clarifying the authority of the New York city department of parks and recreation with respect to such property".**

S.7350-A/A.11776

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M 0215-2002 **Communication from the Mayor - "AN ACT to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the funding of certain cost-of-living adjustments payable to retired members of the New York city employees' retirement system, the New York city teachers' retirement system, the New York city police pension fund, the New York city fire department pension fund and the New York city board of education retirement system". S.7740/ A.11800**

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M 0216-2002 **Communication from the Mayor - "AN ACT to amend chapter 69 of the laws of 2002 relating to providing a temporary retirement incentive for certain public employees; and to provide an age 55/25 temporary incentive for certain public employees, in relation to providing additional service credit for certain employees of New York city who retire pursuant to a retirement incentive". A.11773**

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