**CURRENT INTRODUCTION NUMBER:**

Int. No. 49-A

**PRIME SPONSORS:**

By Council Members Constantinides, Espinal, Brannan, Kallos, Ayala and Rivera

**TITLE:**

A local law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to installation of utility-scale battery storage systems on city buildings and conducting a feasibility study on installation of such systems throughout the city

**BILL SUMMARY:**

This introduction will require the department of citywide administrative services, no later than April 30, 2021, to conduct a study regarding the feasibility of installation and use of each available type of utility scale energy storage systems in each city building and submit to the Mayor and the Speaker a copy of each study. Thereafter the department or any other authorized agency shall install utility style energy storage systems on all city buildings where the installation is cost effective as determined by the study.Then, no later than December 15, 2021, the department shall report to the Mayor and the Speaker on the type of utility scale energy storage systems studied, the buildings where installation may be appropriate, the number of buildings where installation has been commenced and the number of buildings where installation has been completed

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**CODE SECTIONS AFFECTED:**

Adds Administrative Code § 4-207.3

**EFFECTIVE DATE:**

Effective immediately

**NOTE:** In the full bill text online at legistar.council.nyc.gov, language in proposed consolidated laws that is enclosed by [brackets] would be deleted, and language that is underlined would be new. Language in proposed unconsolidated laws, in contrast, will not have brackets or underlining because it would be entirely new. Consolidation means that the law is placed in the New York City Charter or Administrative Code.

**LEGISLATIVE IMPACT:**

*Please select any of the following which apply to this legislation.*

**☐** **Agency Rulemaking Required**: Is City agency rulemaking required?

**☒ Report Required**: Is a report due to Council required?

**☒ Oversight**: Are there seemingly clear points for City agency oversight and/or evaluation?

**☐Sunset Date Included**: Does the legislation have a sunset date?

**☐ Grace Period Applies**: In the case of fines or other penalties, is a grace period established?

**☐** **Council Appointment Required**: Is an appointment by the Council required?

**☐** **Other Appointment Required**: Are other appointments not by the Council required?

**☐ Council Operations**: Might this law affect the Council’s own operations?