

2001-02 Executive Budget
30-DAY AMENDMENTS
January 30, 2001

**Amendments to Senate 1145, Assembly 1997
(Education, Labor and Family Assistance Article VII Bill)**

Part A, relating to the Elementary, Middle, Secondary and Continuing Education program, is amended to:

- C Make technical changes to clarify that the building aid prioritization system applies to reconstruction projects as well as new construction.
- C Make technical corrections to clarify that conforming changes reflecting Flex aid do not impact reorganization operating aid calculations for the 2000-01 school year.
- C Make technical corrections to correct a payment reference for aid payable in the 2000-01 school year.
- C Make technical corrections to clarify that only districts which are required to have a Limited English Proficiency (LEP) set-aside would need to develop a plan.
- C Increase the amount available for the Consortium for Worker Education (CWE) for the 2001-02 school year and make conforming changes to reflect this increase.

Part C, relating to the STAR program, is amended to:

- C Make technical clarifications to provisions related to the Co-STAR program for senior citizens and farmers.

Part E, relating to the review of criminal history records for applicants for employment in school districts, boards of cooperative educational services and charter schools, is amended to:

- C Provide the correct designation of a paragraph in a legal reference cited three times in the bill.

Part H, relating to limiting the number of degrees used to calculate Bundy Aid to degrees granted to graduates who are residents of New York State is intentionally omitted to:

- C Retain funding for Bundy Aid at the 2000-01 Executive Budget level.

Part K is added to permit the State University of New York Trustees to:

- C lease land on the SUNY Geneva campus for the development of the Geneva Agricultural and Food Technology Park.