Legislation BOL Meeting Minutes Published Draft



Committee Chair: Colin Smith

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Monday, March 11, 2024

1:00 PM

Committee Room

CALL TO ORDER

Joint with Public Works & Transportation and Parks & Environment committees.

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Legislator Emiljana Ulaj will be participating remotely from 201 Stockade Drive, Kingston, New York 12401.

With a quorum present, Chair Smith called the meeting to order at 1:07 p.m.

Others in Attendance: BOL: Legislators: Erika Pierce, Jewel Williams Johnson, Nancy Barr, and Shanae Williams; Legislator Catherine Parker (Remote); Committee Coordinators: Jill Axelrod, Dayana Gomez, and James Silverberg; Marcello Figueroa; Law Dept.: Stacey Dolgin-Kmetz; DEF: Lou Vetrone and Melissa Rotini

Present: Legislator Smith, Legislator Boykin, Legislator Nolan, Legislator Tubiolo, Legislator

Woodson-Samuels, Legislator Cunzio and Legislator Imamura

Remote: Legislator Ulaj

MINUTES APPROVAL

Monday, March 4, 2024 at 1:00 p.m.

On motion of Legislator Cunzio, seconded by Legislator Woodson-Samuels, the minutes were approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: Legislator Smith, Legislator Boykin, Legislator Nolan, Legislator Tubiolo,

Legislator Ulaj, Legislator Woodson-Samuels, Legislator Cunzio and

Legislator Imamura

I. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

Guests: Law Dept.: Chief Deputy County Attorney Stacey Dolgin-Kmetz; DEF: First Deputy Commissioner Louis Vetrone and Assistant Commissioner Melissa Rotini

1. <u>2024-4</u> <u>PH-Source Separation Law</u>

Mr. Vetrone and Ms. Rotini discussed each of the changes in the legislation with the committee.

For Sec. 825.30(3), Legislator Pierce asked that the definition of "Construction and Demolition or (C&D)" be changed to make specific reference to Section 826-a.200(8) of the Laws of Westchester County.

For Sec. 825.30(5), the legislators requested that the definition of "Electronic Waste" be changed to delete the following language: "as further defined in New York State Environmental Conservation Law, Article 27, Title 26 and Article 27, Title 23*2."

For Sec. 825.30(12), the legislators requested that the definition of "Rechargeable Batteries" be changed to alter the state law reference from "Article 27, Title 18 of the New York State Environmental Conservation Law" to "New York State Environmental Conservation Law § 27-1803."

Legislator Pierce requested that language be added to Sec. 825.90 to provide that the BOL shall receive notice of any emergency rule promulgated by the Commissioner.

Legislator Barr asked that information be added to the committee report related to how complaints for violations can be filed with DEF.

This RESOLUTION - Public Hearing was continued

2. 2024-5 LOCAL LAW-Source Separation Law

See discussion of Item #1 above.

This LOCAL LAW - Amendment to Local Law was continued

II. OTHER BUSINESS

III. RECEIVE & FILE

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Legislator Cunzio, seconded by Legislator Woodson-Samuels, the Committee adjourned at 2:10 p.m.. by the following vote:

Aye: Legislator Smith, Legislator Boykin, Legislator Nolan, Legislator Tubiolo,

Legislator Ulaj, Legislator Woodson-Samuels, Legislator Cunzio and

Legislator Imamura