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Honorable Andrew Joyce
Chair, Albany County Legislature
112 State St., Room 710
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Chairman Joyce,

Legislative authorization is requested to provide the Division of Finance to offer modified installment plans for the payback of delinquent September 2020 School tax bills that we sent out during the COVID-19 State of Emergency. During the period of the temporary Installment Plan, the County will relieve that portion of the unpaid tax bill that equates to the 5% penalty added per Section 936 of NYS Real Property Law at the end of the City School warrants. The unpaid School Taxes in non-City School Districts will be reviewed for inclusion in a plan like this when the warrants in the Towns end in March 2021. This plan will relieve the 5% penalty as stated above, the statutory interest required by law will not be removed or reduced and no taxpayer will be advantaged by late payment of their 2020-2021 School tax bill.

I look forward to discussing this at the next round of Legislative Committee meetings, if you have any questions before then, please contact myself or Chandra Williams.

Sincerely yours,

M. David Reilly

Cc:
Hon. Dennis Feeney, Majority Leader
Hon. Frank Mauriello, Minority Leader
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