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AN ACT CONCERNING THE ESSENTIAL WORKERS COVID-19
ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

AMENDMENT

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The amendment requires the Office of the State Comptroller (OSC) to recoup benefits from any individual who is erroneously granted benefits or who purposely misrepresents themselves in order to receive benefits from the program, including an additional penalty of fifty percent of the benefit amount in the case of willful misrepresentation. The amendment results in a potential revenue gain to the extent that an applicant is erroneously granted benefits or willfully misrepresents themselves and the OSC pursues recoupment.

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