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# STATE OF NEW YORK

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## IN ASSEMBLY

February 6, 2007

Introduced by M. of A. DESTITO -- read once and referred to  
the Committee on Aging

AN ACT to amend the social services law, in relation to annual  
financial statements filed by adult homes and residences for adults

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate  
and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. The closing paragraph of paragraph (a) of  
subdivision 4 of  
2 section 461-e of the social services law, as amended by chapter  
733 of  
3 the laws of 1994, is amended to read as follows:

4 Such statement shall be certified by the operator through  
a natural

5 person authorized to sign on behalf of the operator. The  
commissioner of

6 health shall be authorized to prescribe forms for the  
certification to

7 be used by the operator, which forms shall state that each  
person making

8 the certification believes that to the extent of his or her  
knowledge

9 and information, all information in the statement is true.  
At the

10 request of the department of health, the financial statement  
shall be

11 accompanied by an opinion signed by an independent licensed  
accountant

12 that such financial statement represents the financial  
operations and

13 position of the facility, except such opinion shall not be  
required for

14 facilities with a capacity of nine or less.

15 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in **italics** (underscored) is new; matter in  
brackets

[-] is old law to be omitted.

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