

**Amendments to Senate S2607-A; Assembly A3007-A
(ELFA Article VII Bill)**

Part A, relating to the implementation of the 2013-14 Executive Budget School Aid proposal is amended to:

- New York City Annual Professional Performance Review Plan: Directs the Commissioner of Education to arbitrate a final and binding annual professional performance review plan for the New York City School District if the District and the collective bargaining units representing its teachers and principals fail to negotiate an approved plan on or before the Wednesday preceding the last Friday in May. Arbitration will result in the Commissioner of Education rendering a final and binding determination on or before June 1st.
- Allow counties to retain 100 percent of audit recoveries when they audit preschool special education providers. The Executive Budget proposal would allow them to retain 75 percent.

Part R, relating to the placement of casino gambling facilities, is amended to:

- Require potential bidders for a casino gaming license to pledge they will enter into a labor peace agreement before the Gaming Commission may issue a license for operation. Such requirement protects the State's proprietary interest in any license awarded for gaming operation.