A BUDGET BILL submitted by the Governor
in accordance with Article VII of the Constitution

AN ACT to amend the executive law, in relation to the composition
of the developmental disabilities planning council (Part __);

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

PART __

Section 1. Subdivision 3 of section 450 of the executive law, as added by chapter 588 of the laws of 1981, is amended to read as follows:

3. (a) The [membership of the developmental disabilities planning council shall at all times include representatives of the principal state agencies, higher education training facilities,] following people shall serve as ex officio members of the council:

   (i) the head of any state agency that administers funds provided under federal laws related to individuals with disabilities, or such person's designee;

   (ii) the head of any university center for excellence in developmental disabilities, or such person's designee; and

   (iii) the head of the state's protection and advocacy system, or such person's designee.

(b) The membership of the developmental disabilities planning council shall also include local agencies, and non-governmental agencies and groups concerned with services to persons with developmental disabilities in New York state[;].
[(b)]  (c) At least [one-half] sixty percent of the [membership] members appointed by the governor shall consist of:

(i) developmentally disabled persons or their parents or guardians or of immediate relatives or guardians of persons with [mentally impairing] developmental disabilities[.]

(ii) These members may not be employees of a state agency receiving funds or providing services under the federal developmental disabilities assistance act or have a managerial, proprietary or controlling interest in an entity which receives funds or provides services under such act,

(iii) At least one-third of these members shall be developmentally disabled,

(iv) At least one-third of these members shall be immediate relatives or guardians of persons with [mentally impairing] developmental disabilities, and

(v) At least one member shall be an immediate relative or guardian of an institutionalized developmentally disabled person[;]

(c) The membership may include some or all of the members of the advisory council on mental retardation and developmental disabilities].

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.