RESOLUTION NO. 155

AUTHORIZING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONSIDER OUT-OF-COUNTY APPLICANTS FOR THE POSITIONS OF REGISTERED NURSE AND PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Introduced: 4/12/17 By Personnel Committee:

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of the Department of Health has diligently sought out qualified applicants for the positions of Registered Nurse and Public Health Nurse, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner has indicated that she has not been able to locate qualified applicants for the positions who reside in Albany County and are willing to accept the position, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner is requesting a waiver of the County's residency requirement regarding the aforementioned position, and

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 245-C for 1995 requires the approval of this Honorable Body for the consideration and hiring of out-of-county applicants in instances where there are not sufficient qualified Albany County residents who have applied for specific positions, and

WHEREAS, The Personnel Committee of the Albany County Legislature is satisfied there is a shortage of sufficiently qualified Albany County residents to fill the Registered Nurse and Public Health Nurse positions and has recommended that approval in accordance with the requirements of Resolution No. 245-C for 1995 be given to fill the positions with an out-of-county applicant if necessary, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the consideration of an out-of-county applicant to fill the Registered Nurse and Public Health Nurse positions at the Department of Health is approved in accordance with the requirements of Resolution No. 245-C for 1995, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the aforementioned approval to consider out-of-county applicants shall expire March 31, 2018, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the County Legislature is directed to forward certified copies of this resolution to the appropriate County Officials.

Adopted by unanimous vote. 4/12/17