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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION honoring Victor Manuel upon the occasion of the completion of his tenure after 18 years of distinguished service to the New York State Association of School Business Officials

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body seeks to acknowledge those individuals whose professional lives and civic endeavors serve to enhance the stature of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is justly proud to honor Victor Manuel upon the occasion of the completion of his tenure after 18 years of distinguished service to the New York State Association of School Business Officials (NYSASBO), as well as leading this prestigious organization as Director for five years and as President-Elect for two years; and

WHEREAS, Victor Manuel will be recognized at the Education Summit and Expo, June 8-11, 2014, in Saratoga Springs, New York; and WHEREAS, Victor Manuel earned his Bachelor of Science degree in Finance in 1993, his MBA in 2000, his SBA certification in 2001, and his SDA certification in 2004; and

WHEREAS, Founded in 1948, NYSASBO is a 501-c-3 charitable non-profit membership organization affiliated with the Association of School Business Officials International and chartered by the New York State Board of Regents; and

WHEREAS, Victor Manuel is a past President of the Suffolk County Chapter of NYSASBO; he held the position of Director of its Board from 2007 until 2012 when he became the President-Elect; and

WHEREAS, While serving as President, NYSASBO increased its membership by 9%, enhanced the visibility of the organization in the media and with state policy makers, increased attendance at the organization's professional development events, and improved its financial well-being; and

WHEREAS, For the past 18 years, Victor Manuel rendered faithful, conscientious and valuable service to the New York State Association of School Business Officials, serving with loyalty, honor and distinction; and

WHEREAS, In his official acts, Victor Manuel was governed by a keen sense of duty and always showed a unique grasp of human problems; and WHEREAS, During his tenure, Victor Manuel earned the admiration, esteem and affection of his colleagues; and WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body that those who enhance the quality of life in their community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to the maintenance of high standards in their profession, certainly have earned the recognition and applause of all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to honor Victor Manuel upon the occasion of the completion of his tenure after 18 years of distinguished service to the New York State Association of School Business Officials; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Victor Manuel.