

## The New York City Council

## Legislation Details (With Text)

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2020

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Establishing for Fiscal 2021 a limit of a one-half of

one percent increase of the current base proportion of any class over the adjusted base proportion of the immediately preceding year for purposes of

determining the current base proportion.

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**Sponsors:** Daniel Dromm

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| 6/30/2020 | *    | City Council         | Introduced by Council       |        |
| 6/30/2020 | *    | City Council         | Referred to Comm by Council |        |
| 6/30/2020 | *    | Committee on Finance | Hearing on P-C Item by Comm |        |
| 6/30/2020 | *    | Committee on Finance | P-C Item Approved by Comm   | Pass   |
| 6/30/2020 | *    | City Council         | Approved, by Council        | Pass   |

Preconsidered Res. No. 1357

Resolution establishing for Fiscal 2021 a limit of a one-half of one percent increase of the current base proportion of any class over the adjusted base proportion of the immediately preceding year for purposes of determining the current base proportion.

## By Council Member Dromm

Whereas, Section 1803-b(1)(b) requires the New York City Council (the "Council") to distribute the tax levy among the four classes of real property based on the adjusted base proportions as computed by the Council; and

Whereas, Pursuant to section 1803-a(1)(5), the adjusted base proportions are computed using the current

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base proportions as calculated by the Council; and

Whereas, Section 1803-a(1)(c) of the Real Property Tax Law requires that if any increase in the current

base proportion for any class of real property, as compared with the previous year's adjusted base proportion for

such class of property, shall exceed five percent, such excess over five percent must be shifted to any other

class of property (this percent limit to be known as the "Class Share Cap"); and

Whereas, Notwithstanding the provisions of section 1803-a(1)(c), for Fiscal 2021, pursuant to Chapter

58 of the State Laws of 2020, the Council is authorized to adjust the class share cap by changing the percent

increase of the current base proportion of any class over its adjusted base proportion of the immediately

preceding year for purposes of determining the current base proportion, provided that such percent increase

shall be no more than five percent, and provided further that such determination must be made by October 1,

2020; and

Whereas, For Fiscal 2021, the Council has determined to set a limit of one-half of one percent of the

current base proportion of any class over the adjusted base proportion of the immediately preceding year for

purposes of determining the current base proportion; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Council of the City of New York establishes for Fiscal 2021 a limit of a one-half of

one percent increase of the current base proportion of any class over the adjusted base proportion of the

immediately preceding year for purposes of determining the current base proportion.

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