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**Memorandum in Support** 

S8182 – Senator Savino A9411 – MoA Abbate

An act to amend the civil service law and the civil practice law and rules, in relation to the grounds for which the public employment relations board may seek injunctive relief

## SUPPORT!

This proposed legislation, which would take effect immediately upon its enactment, with caveats, would provide a clearer definition of the standard to apply when injunctive relief is sought by the New York State Public Relations Board in New York State Supreme Court by adding a definition to subdivision 4 to section 209-a of the civil service law – Injunctive Relief, for purposes of determining, irreparable injury, loss or damage, shall mean, but not be limited to loss of employment, actions that adversely affect the health and welfare, or permanent loss of an employee right or privilege established pursuant to a collective bargaining agreement. It would also add a definition to section 6301 of the civil practice law and rules that directs the Supreme Court to apply the definitions of section 209-a-4 when determining appropriate grounds from which to issue a preliminary injunction.

The New York State Public Employee Conference (NYSPEC) is an umbrella organization comprising approximately 80 diverse unions and groups representing a wide spectrum of more than one million active and retired public employees. NYSPEC wholeheartedly supports this proposed legislation, and urges its swift enactment.



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NYS Court Officers Association

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NYS Police Investigators Association

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