



THE NEW YORK REPUBLICAN STATE COMMITTEE

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March 12, 2018

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Dear Sirs:

Please find attached an amendment to Article IV, Rule 5 of the Rules of the New York Republican State Committee regarding "Vice-Chair Districts" adopted by the committee at a meeting held on March 2, 2018, in Saratoga Springs, New York.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jeffrey T. Buley". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

**Jeffrey T. Buley
Counsel**

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**PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE IV, RULE 5 OF THE RULES OF THE
NEW YORK STATE REPUBLICAN STATE COMMITTEE**

(Matter in underscored is new; matter in brackets to be omitted.)

RULE 5 VICE-CHAIR DISTRICTS

A. There shall be one (1) New York Republican State Committee Regional Vice-Chairperson elected to represent the following districts:

- (i) District One "Long Island" shall include the following counties: Nassau and Suffolk. .
- (ii) District Two "New York City" shall include the following counties: Bronx, Kings, New York, Queens and Richmond.
- (iii) District Three "Hudson Valley" shall include the following counties: Dutchess, Putnam, Orange, Rockland, Sullivan, {Ulster} and Westchester.
- (iv) District Four "Capital" shall include the following counties: Albany, Columbia, Fulton, Greene, Montgomery, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady, {and} Schoharie and Ulster.
- (v) District Five "North Country" shall include the following counties: Clinton, Essex, Franklin, Hamilton, Jefferson, {Lewis,} St. Lawrence, Warren, and Washington.
- (vi) District Six "Central" shall include the following counties: Cayuga, Cortland, Herkimer, Lewis, Madison, Onondaga, Oneida, and Oswego.
- (vii) District Seven "Southern Hills" shall include the following counties: Broome, Chemung, Chenango, Delaware, Otsego, Tioga and Tompkins.
- (viii) District Eight "Finger Lakes Genesee" shall include the following counties: Allegany, Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Schuyler, Seneca, Steuben, Wayne and Yates.
- (ix) District Nine "Western" shall include the following counties: Cattaraugus, Chautauqua, Erie, Genesee, Niagara, Orleans and Wyoming.

Explanation: This amendment moves two counties, Ulster and Lewis, from their current region to another one. The changes have been requested by the respective County Chairs.