Introduced by: County Administration Committee Seconded by: RESOLUTION ADOPTING LOCAL LAW NO. 1 of 2009 ENTITLED: "LOCAL LAW AMENDING CHAPTER 203 OF THE BROOME COUNTY CHARTER AND ADMINISTRATIVE CODE REGARDING THE AWARDING OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICE CONTRACTS INVOLVING EXPENDITURES IN EXCESS OF \$15,000"

WHEREAS, this County Legislature, by Resolution 12 of 2008, authorized and approved the Purchase Procurement Process Manual authorizing the Board of Acquisition and Contract to award contracts for professional services involving expenditures of \$15,000 or less, and

WHEREAS, this County Legislature, by Resolution 244 of 2008, authorized and approved Local Law Number 4 of 2008 which amended the Broome County Charter and Administrative Code to authorize the Board of Acquisition and Contract to award such professional service contracts; and

WHEREAS, subdivision (N) of Chapter 203 of the Broome County Charter regarding the Powers and Duties of the County Legislature must also be amended to reflect the power of the Legislature to award all professional service contracts involving expenditures in excess of \$15,000, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that Local Law No. 1 of 2009, entitled: "Local Law Amending Chapter 203 of the Broome County Charter and Administrative Code Regarding the Awarding of Professional Service Contracts involving expenditures in excess of \$15,000" be and the same hereby is adopted and approved in accordance with the Broome County Charter and Administrative Code, General Municipal Law and all the applicable statutes and laws pertaining thereto.

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BE IT ENACTED, by the County Legislature of the County of Broome as follows:

Section 1. Article II, §203(N) regarding the Powers and Duties of the Legislative Branch shall be and hereby is amended to read as follows:

(N) To award all contracts for professional services where the amount involved exceeds [two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.)] <u>fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.)</u>, except that the award of contracts for expert witness services for litigation shall be in accordance with the provisions of the Broome County Purchase Procurement Process Manual.

Section 2. This Local Law shall become effective upon filing with the Secretary of State

Material in [brackets] deleted Material underlined added