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**STATEMENT FROM MAYOR DE BLASIO ON NEW YORK STATE SENATE AND  
ASSEMBLY ONE-HOUSE BUDGETS**

**NEW YORK**—Mayor Bill de Blasio today released the following statement on the New York State Senate and Assembly one-house budgets:

"New York City has borne the brunt of the COVID crisis in our state, and we need the resources to drive a recovery for all of us, protect public health, keep New Yorkers in their homes and reopen our schools fully. I am encouraged by the State Legislature's one-house budget resolutions, which include rental assistance for tenants and generating revenue by taxing the wealthy, while rejecting many of the Governor's ill-advised education and public health cuts. I applaud the Legislature for rejecting the Governor's proposals to subvert local control, especially over land-use and climate policies. I thank Senate Majority Leader Stewart-Cousins and Assembly Speaker Heastie for fighting for working people, and I look forward to continuing to fight for a State budget that puts our city on a path to a recovery for all of us."

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