# Local Business Relief Coalition Announces Healthcare Affordability Legislation for New York Local Businesses

*The following statement can be attributed to the Local Business Relief Coalition*

“The Local Business Relief Coalition continues to build momentum in advancing key legislative priorities to make healthcare more affordable and sustainable for local businesses and their employees.

New York State Senator Jamaal Bailey, Chair of the Senate Insurance Committee, has introduced two bills (S.7901 and S.7900) that complement New York State Assemblymember and Chair of the Assembly Committee on Insurance David Weprin's legislation to increase hospital cost transparency and expand drug savings programs.

Subsequently, Assemblymember Weprin has introduced an additional piece of legislation (A.8364), which would require a comprehensive review and reporting of the costs imposed by New York’s mandated health benefits on insurance premiums.

The Coalition remains committed to working with state lawmakers to pass practical, common-sense measures that deliver real healthcare affordability to New York’s local businesses.”

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