

SUPREME COURT - STATE OF NEW YORK  
I.A.S. TERM, PART XXIV - SUFFOLK COUNTY

PRESENT:  
Hon. PETER FOX COHALAN

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ELENA RUTH SASSOWER and DORIS L.  
SASSOWER, Individually and as Director and  
president, respectively, of the Center for Judicial  
Accountability, inc., and CENTER FRO JUDICIAL  
ACCOUNTABILITY, INC., Acting *Pro Bono Publico*,

Plaintiffs,

-against-

GANNETT COMPANY, INC., The Journal News,  
LoHud.com HENRY FREEMAN, CYNDEE ROYLE,  
BOB FREDERICKS, D. SCOTT FAUBEL, KEITH  
EDDINGS, DOES 1-10,

Defendants.  
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CALENDAR DATE: April 11, 2012  
MNEMONIC: MD

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Upon the following papers numbered 1 to 28 read on this motion for recusal order;  
Notice of Motion/Order to Show Cause and supporting papers 1-15; Notice of Cross-Motion and  
supporting papers \_\_\_\_\_; Answering Affidavits and supporting papers 16-24; Replying  
Affidavits and supporting papers 25-28; Other \_\_\_\_\_; and after hearing counsel in support of and  
opposed to the motion it is,

**ORDERED** that this pro se motion by the plaintiff, Elena Ruth Sassower, seeking to  
disqualify this Court for bias and vacating the Court's order because the Court in a decision,  
dated September 22, 2011, granted the defendants' motion to dismiss is denied in its entirety  
as without legal merit. The alternative requested relief by pro se plaintiff to reargue this  
Court's decision dismissing her libel action against defendants pursuant to CPLR §2221 is  
similarly denied in its entirety. The requested relief seeking sanctions against the defendants'  
attorneys for their "factually and legally false advocacy" in this case is also denied.

The foregoing constitutes the decision of the Court.

Dated: April 23, 2012

Peter Fox Cohalan  
J.S.C.