# ATTORNEY GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE SUPREME COURT, APPELLATE DIVISION

# FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

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#### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

Today's Date: October 24, 2024

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Are you represented by a lawyer regarding this complaint? No

## ATTORNEY INFORMATION

Full Name of Attorney Complained of: New York State Attorney General Letitia James

(Registration #1040518 – 1<sup>st</sup> Dept. January 22, 1979)

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New York, New York 10005-1400

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Date(s) of...Incident: November 15, 2023 – ongoing:

CJA v. JCOPE, et al. (AD3 #CV-23-0115) -- NYSCEF #15

Have you filed a civil or criminal complaint against this attorney? If yes, name of case...Name of Court...Index Number of Case.

<u>Yes.</u> Attorney General James' violation of conflict-of-interest rules and her *modus operandi* of litigation fraud, in the absence of any legitimate defense, have resulted in two lawsuits naming her as a respondent/defendant:

- 1. *CJA v. JCOPE, et al.*Supreme Court/Albany County (<u>Index #: 904235-22</u>)
- 2. *CJA v. Commission on Legislative, Judicial and Executive Compensation, et al.* Supreme Court Albany County (Index #: 902654-24)

Have you filed a complaint concerning this matter with another Grievance Committee, Bar Association, District Attorney's Office, or any other agency? If yes, name of agency; Action taken by agency, if any.

Yes. In addition to a complaint against Solicitor General Barbara Underwood, simultaneously filed with this Grievance Committee, complaints against Assistant Solicitor General Beezly Kiernan and Deputy Solicitor General Andrea Oser are being filed with the Appellate Division, Third Department Attorney Grievance Committee.

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### **DETAILS OF COMPLAINT**

Please describe the alleged misconduct in as much detail as possible including what happened, where and when, the names of any witnesses, what was said, and in what tone of voice, etc. Use additional sheets if necessary.

There is nothing "alleged" about Attorney General James' conflict-of-interest-driven litigation fraud before the Appellate Division, Third Department in *CJA v. JCOPE, et al.* "[W]hat happened, where and when" are readily verifiable from the Appellate Division's NYSCEF Docket #CV-23-0115 – and the VIDEO of the April 22, 2024 oral argument, which are unimpeachable "witnesses".

See accompanying October 24, 2024 complaint letter.

Complainant's Signature (Required):

The foregoing complaint, with substantiating hyperlinks, is affirmed as true under penalties of perjury, pursuant to CPLR §2106.