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TO:

New York State Senate

Francis W. Patience, Secretary of the Senate

New York State Assembly

Robin Marilla, Records Access Officer

FROM:

Elena Ruth Sassower, Director

Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA)

RE:

The Legislature's Certified Itemized Estimates of its Financial Needs for

Fiscal Year 2014-2015, as Required by Article VII, §1 of the New York State

Constitution

Please advise where on the Assembly and Senate websites are the "Itemized estimates of the financial needs of the legislature, certified by the presiding officer of each house" for fiscal year 2014-2015, which Article VII, §1 of the New York State Constitution required the Senate and Assembly to transmit to the Governor by yesterday, December 1, 2013.

Please note I am looking to examine a copy of the actual documents, with their certifications – comparable to what the Judiciary posts on its website for the "itemized estimates" it transmitted to the Governor on November 29, 2013, pursuant to Article VII, §1 of the New York State Constitution. For your convenience, here's the direct link to those judiciary budget documents from the Unified Court System's website: http://www.nycourts.gov/admin/financialops/Budgets.shtml.

In the event the Legislature has not posted its certified itemized estimates of its financial needs for fiscal year 2013-2014 on its websites, please confirm that such will be done promptly.

Thank you.

Stona Riss