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BY E-MAIL

December 1, 2014

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 2015-2016, 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 2015-2016, which Article VII, §1 of the New York State Constitution requires the Senate and Assembly to transmit to the Governor by today, December 1, 2014.

Please note I am looking to examine a copy of the actual documents, with their certifications – comparable to what the Judiciary has posted on its website for the "itemized estimates" it transmitted to the Governor today, 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 2015-2016 on its websites, please confirm that such will be done promptly.

Thank you.

Exhibit 1-9

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December 8, 2014

Elena Ruth Sassower Center for Judicial Accountability

Dear Elena Sassower,

Please be advised I am in receipt of your foil request dated December 1, 2014 requesting "Itemized estimates of the financial needs of the legislature, certified by the presiding officer of each house" for the fiscal year 2015-2016.

Please note I will be in touch with you shortly regarding your request.

Sincerely,

Robin Marilla



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Friday, December 12, 2014

Dear Elena Sassower,

Enclosed is the information you requested. If I can be of further assistance please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely, Robin Marilla