

Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA)

From: Tim Hofer <tim@empirecenter.org>
Sent: Tuesday, August 21, 2018 8:51 AM
To: Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA)
Subject: Re: Achieving our Shared Goal of an Accountable & Transparent State Budget Process & Budget -- Request for Your Amicus Curiae Participation & Other Assistance for Perfected Appeal -- Citizen-Taxpayer Action

Elena,

Thanks for sharing this information. The Empire Center and Government Justice Center will be passing on getting involved at this point.

Best,
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On Mon, Aug 13, 2018 at 11:16 AM, Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA) <elena@judgewatch.org> wrote:

Following up my phone conversations and messages for you last week, requesting that, individually or collectively, your organizations file an *amicus curiae* brief in the perfected appeal of CJA's second citizen-taxpayer action pertaining to the state budget, attached is my letter to you of today's date, being mailed with our appellants' brief and three-volume reproduced record on appeal. The webpage on which the brief and three-volume record are posted is here: <http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/searching-nys/budget/citizen-taxpayer-action/2nd/appeal/7-4-18-appellants-brief.htm>.

Kindly confirm that my letter will be promptly furnished to all those responsible for making *amicus curiae* decisions at your organizations – and the time frame within which I can expect a response, hopefully, positive and enthusiastic.

Thank you.

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