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**From:** Center for Judicial Accountability <elena@judgewatch.org>  
**Sent:** Friday, January 29, 2016 11:07 AM  
**To:** 'lkrueger@senate.state.ny.us'; 'usher@senate.state.ny.us'  
**Subject:** FOR DISTRIBUTION TO ALL SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE MEMBERS in preparation for Feb. 4, 2016 "Public Protection" Budget Hearing -- the Judiciary's 2-part budget & the Governor's Budget Bill #S.6401/A.9001  
**Attachments:** 1-28-16-ltr-to-fiscal-judiciary-committees.pdf; 1-26-16-ltr-to-difiore.pdf

Following up my phone conversation moments ago with Mitzie, [please confirm](#) that Ranking Member Krueger will be distributing to all Senate Finance Committee members – in the event Chairwoman Young does not do so, as requested below.

Thank you.

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**From:** Center for Judicial Accountability [<mailto:elena@judgewatch.org>]  
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**Subject: FOR DISTRIBUTION TO ALL SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE MEMBERS in preparation for Feb. 4, 2016 "Public Protection" Budget Hearing -- the Judiciary's 2-part budget & the Governor's Budget Bill #S.6401/A.9001**

Following up my phone conversation a short time ago with Chelsea, please confirm that Chairwoman Young will be forwarding my below e-mail & its attachments to ALL members of the Senate Finance Committee, so that they can be properly informed, in advance of the February 4<sup>th</sup> "public protection" budget hearing, as to some of the serious and substantial issues about which they should be prepared to question Chief Administrative Judge Marks – or whoever will be presenting – pertaining to the Judiciary's two-part budget & the Governor's Budget Bill #S.6401/A.9001, etc.

Both the attached letters have been e-mailed to Chief Administrative Judge Marks -- & to Chief Judge DiFiore.

Thank you.

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**From:** Center for Judicial Accountability [<mailto:elena@judgewatch.org>]  
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**Cc:** 'Jessica Cherry'; 'salvind@assembly.state.ny.us'; 'birzonj@assembly.state.ny.us'  
**Subject:** Feb. 4, 2016 "Public Protection" Budget Hearing -- Your scrutiny of the Judiciary's 2-part budget & of the Governor's Budget Bill #S.6401/A.9001

Attached is CJA's above entitled letter to you of today's date and the January 26<sup>th</sup> letter to Chief Judge DiFiore it transmits. They are both posted on CJA's website, [www.judgewatch.org](http://www.judgewatch.org), accessible from the prominent homepage link: "NO PAY RAISES FOR NEW YORK'S CORRUPT PUBLIC OFFICERS: The Money Belongs to their Victims!". Here's the direct link to the menu page which lists the letters: <http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/judicial-compensation/2015-no-pay-raises-menu.htm>

Thank you.

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