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TO: New York State Assembly Records Access Officer Robin Marilla

FROM: Elena Ruth Sassower, Director
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RE: FOIL/Records Request: Amendments to Assembly Rules for 2015-2016

At the Assembly's opening session, on January 4, 2017, the Assembly passed a resolution adopting rules for the 2017-2018 session. The transcript reads as follows:

[Transcript: pp. 24-25]

“Mr. Morelle: “Before I offer the resolution to adopt the Rules of the Assembly for the 2017-2018 Session, let me note that these rules reflect a number of reforms which we enacted last year which will provide for a greater and improved operations of this House, something which is I know a top priority for you. So, thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Speaker Heastie: Thank you, Mr. Morelle. The Clerk will read.

The Clerk: RESOLVED, that the Rules of the Assembly for 2015 and 2016 as last amended be adopted as the Rules of the Assembly for 2017 and 2018.

Speaker Heastie: The Clerk will record the vote. (The Clerk recorded the vote.)
The Clerk will announce the results. (The Clerk announced the results.)



The resolution is adopted.”

Pursuant to Assembly Rule VIII (“Public Access to Information”), request is made for records establishing:

- (1) when the “Rules of the Assembly for 2015 and 2016” were “last amended”; what the amendment consisted of; and the legislative process by which such amendment was introduced and enacted;

- (2) prior amendment(s), if any, to the "Rules of the Assembly for 2015 and 2016"; what they consisted of; and the legislative process by which they were introduced and enacted.

Thank you.

cc: Assembly Office of Ethics and Compliance
Jane Feldman, Executive Director