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To:           Honorable Andrew M. Cuomo           Honorable Carl E. Heastie  
                Honorable John J. Flanagan       Honorable Jeffrey D. Klein  
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                Honorable Catharine M. Young       Honorable Helene E. Weinstein  
                Honorable Liz Krueger           Honorable Robert C. Oaks  
                Honorable John J. Bonacic       Honorable Jeffrey Dinowitz

From:       Lawrence K. Marks *LM*

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I respectfully submit the itemized estimates of the annual financial needs of the Judiciary for the Fiscal Year beginning April 1, 2018. Article VII, Section 1 of the Constitution requires the submission of these estimates to the Governor and legislative leaders on or before December 1, 2017.

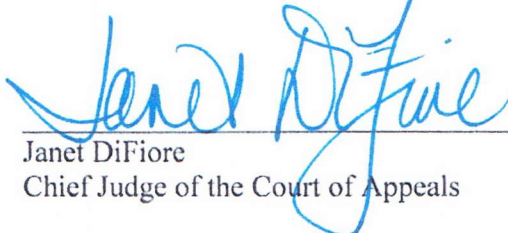
The 2018-19 State Operating Funds budget request totals \$2.23 billion, a cash increase of \$44.4 million, or 2 percent, over available current-year funds. Also included is an \$18 million capital appropriation to be used for technology, security and records management in furtherance of the Judiciary's Excellence Initiative. We believe that this request represents the minimum funding necessary to ensure that the courts have sufficient resources to fulfill their constitutional duty to the people of New York.

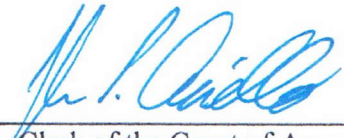
CHIEF JUDGE'S CERTIFICATION

ITEMIZED ESTIMATES OF THE  
FINANCIAL NEEDS OF THE JUDICIARY

Pursuant to Article VII, Section 1 of the Constitution of the State of New York, I certify that the attached schedules are the itemized estimates of the financial needs of the Judiciary for the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2018 and that they have been approved by the Court of Appeals.



  
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Janet DiFiore  
Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals

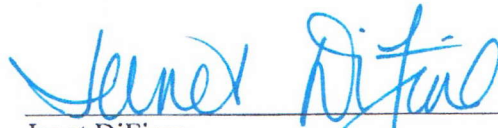
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Clerk of the Court of Appeals

Date: November 14, 2017


COURT OF APPEALS APPROVAL


ITEMIZED ESTIMATES OF THE  
FINANCIAL NEEDS OF THE JUDICIARY


Pursuant to Article VII, Section 1 of the Constitution of the State of New York, the Court of Appeals approves the attached itemized estimates of the financial needs of the Judiciary for the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2018.


  
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Janet DiFiore  
Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals


Associate Judges of the Court of Appeals:


  
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