

May 29, 2020 FOIL request – Senate Bill #S.4944 (2015-2016):

On April 24, 2015, Senator Michael Nozzolio, with other co-sponsoring Senators, introduced Senate Bill/Concurrent Resolution #S.4944 “proposing amendments to article 7 of the constitution, in relation to items of appropriation”..

According to the Senate’s webpage for the bill, <https://www.nysenate.gov/legislation/bills/2015/S4944> , it was referred to the Senate Judiciary Committee, which, on April 28, 2015, requested an opinion from the Attorney General. On May 12, 2015, the opinion was referred to the Judiciary Committee. The next year, on January 6, 2016, the same bill was referred to the Judiciary Committee, which, on March 14, 2016, again sought an opinion from the Attorney General. On April 6, 2016, the opinion was again referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Pursuant to FOIL, this is to request: (1) a copy of the Senate’s two requests to the Attorney General for an advisory opinion, including the transmitting letters/e-mails; and (2) the Attorney General’s two advisory opinions – and any subsequent correspondence thereon.

Thank you.

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