



January 24, 2022

Via Email: elena@judgewatch.org

Elena Sassower

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FOIL Request: #3887

Dear Elena Sassower:

The Executive Chamber acknowledges receipt of your correspondence dated December 20, 2021, seeking:

Pursuant to FOIL (Public Officers Law VI), this is to request the “Itemized estimates of the financial needs of the legislature, certified by the presiding officer of each house” for fiscal year 2022-2023, which Article VII, §1 of the New York State Constitution required the Legislature to transmit to the Governor by December 1st.

Please note I am requesting a copy of the actual documents, with their certifications – comparable to what the Judiciary has posted on its website for the “itemized estimates” it transmitted to the Governor pursuant to Article VII, §1 of the New York State Constitution. For your convenience, here’s the direct link to those judiciary budget documents from the Unified Court System’s website:

<http://ww2.nycourts.gov/admin/financia lops/Budgets.shtml>.

The New York State Executive Chamber has conducted a diligent search of available records and has not located any records responsive to your request. Please be advised that the Executive Chamber is not the custodian of the records requested.

As a courtesy, information you are seeking may be found at the following link:

<https://www.budget.ny.gov/pubs/archive/fy23/ex/fy23bills.html>

Pursuant to Public Officers Law § 89(4)(a), you have thirty (30) days to take a written appeal of this determination. You may appeal by writing: FOIL Appeals Officer, Executive Chamber, State Capitol, Albany, New York, 12224.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Clemmer", written in a cursive style.

Jaclyn Clemmer
FOIL Counsel &
Records Access Officer