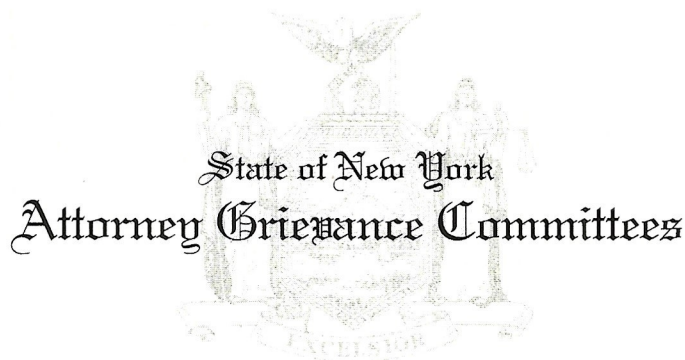


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**Re: Complaint against Cydney A. Kelly, Esq., and Eftihia Bourtis**

Dear Ms. Sassower:

Please be advised that your complaints dated April 10, 2024, against myself and Eftihia Bourtis, Esq., submitted to the Seventh Judicial District Attorney Grievance Committee and your complaint against myself submitted to Eighth Judicial District Attorney Grievance Committee, have been transferred for review and determination to the:

Appellate Division, Third Judicial Department  
Attorney Grievance Committee  
286 Washington Avenue Extension, Suite 200  
Albany, NY 12203-6320

Please be further advised that your complaint against Investigator Carolyn Stachura is beyond the jurisdiction of this office because she is not an attorney admitted to practice in New York.

Accordingly, this office will not take any action with respect to these matters, and in the future, you should correspond directly with the above office.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Cydney A. Kelly'.

BY: CYDNEY A. KELLY  
Chief Counsel  
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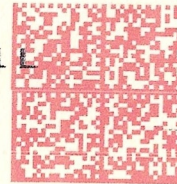
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