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Subject: **NYC ELECTIONS: Will you be reporting on Mamdani's corruption as a NYS assemblyman, starting with his pocketing of fraudulent pay raises for himself -- &, likewise, the corruption of NYS Senator Hoylman-Sigal, & other Democratic primary winners?**
Attachments: [3-14-25-email-to-mamdani.pdf](#)

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Will you be reporting on Mamdani's corruption as a NYS assemblyman – starting with his pocketing of pay raises for himself that he knew to be fraudulent? The EVIDENCE is furnished by my [March 14th e-mail to Mamdani](#) entitled "ELECTIONS ARE A TIME OF ACCOUNTABILITY", which opened as follows.

"Elections are a time of accountability. Based on your on-the-job performance as a state assemblyman, why do you believe yourself fit to be mayor of New York City – or for any office of public trust?"

Mamdani did not respond – and I sent him the March 14th e-mail a second time, with a supplement, by a [March 17th email](#), and then a third time, when I cc'd him on my [March 18th e-mail](#) to the roster of reporters of the Legislative Correspondents Association, and then a fourth time, when I cc'd him on my [March 20th e-mail](#) to you, The New York Times, New York Post, New York Law Journal, Wall Street Journal, and Associated Press.

Will you be getting Mamdani's response to my March 14th "ELECTIONS ARE A TIME OF ACCOUNTABILITY" e-mail? Isn't it obvious that it – and his votes, seven weeks later, approving the FY2025-26 state budget bills – establish that he cannot be elected NYC mayor because he must be indicted for larceny and corruption – and that he will be convicted? Why don't you confirm that fact with [former Assistant U.S. Attorney for the Eastern District of New York Jim Walden](#), running for mayor as an Independent candidate,

with an [anti-corruption policy platform featured on his campaign website](#). By the way, are you aware that [Mamdani's campaign website contains no anti-corruption platform?](#)

Also, will you be reporting on the corruption of other NYC Democratic primary winners, such as NYS Senator Brad Hoylman-Sigal, running for Manhattan borough president. The EVIDENCE of his corruption is furnished by my [March 16th e-mail](#) to him, likewise entitled "ELECTIONS ARE A TIME OF ACCOUNTABILITY..." – part of my March 20th e-mail to you to which both Mamdani and Hoylman-Sigal were cc'd.

Finally, if it is not your intention to report on the open-and-shut, *prima facie* EVIDENCE of the corruption of Mamdani, Hoylman-Sigal, and other NYC Democratic primary winners that you enabled – incumbents NYC Public Advocate Jumanne Williams, Manhattan D.A. Alvin Bragg, and Brooklyn D.A. Eric Gonzalez topping the list – please forward this e-mail to [Daily News](#) legal counsel and ownership, consistent with what my [April 18th e-mail](#) to you requested in furnishing you with my March 20th e-mail a second time.

Please advise, promptly – as TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE, obviously. I am available to answer questions and will meanwhile phone in "**News Tips to City Desk: 212-210-NEWS**".

Thank you.

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