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Subject: What "law" requires the Commission to Investigate Public Corruption to report to the Governor & Attorney General "on a weekly basis"?
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TO: COMMISSION TO INVESTIGATE PUBLIC CORRUPTION

According to a September 30th Daily News article by Ken Lovett, "*Gov. Cuomo Grabs Greater Control Of Anti-Corruption Commission: Multiple Sources*":

"By law, the panel created by Cuomo under the Moreland Act is required to report to the governor and attorney general--who deputized the commission's 25 members--on a weekly basis." (underlining added).

Please advise what "law" imposes such weekly reporting requirement – as it certainly is not in Executive Order #106, which established the Commission to Investigate Public Corruption.

To the extent that this alleged "require[ment]" is part of the "procedures and rules" unanimously promulgated by the Commission's co-chairs pursuant to Sec. V of Executive Order #106, we hereby reiterate our request for such "procedures and rules", made by our August 5th letter to the Commission, without response – and so-identified by me when I testified at the Commission's September 17th hearing in Manhattan: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OZ4CpWkOLlc&feature=youtu.be> .

For your convenience, the August 5th letter is attached, with our succession of e-mails reminding you about it below.

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Subject: Request that the Upcoming Public Hearings of the Commission to Investigate Public Corruption be Live-Streamed, Videoed, & Stenographically Recorded, Etc.