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              Honorable Liz Krueger           Honorable Robert C. Oaks  
              Honorable John J. Bonacic       Honorable Jeffrey Dinowitz

To:           Judges of the Court of Appeals

From:        Lawrence K. Marks *LM*

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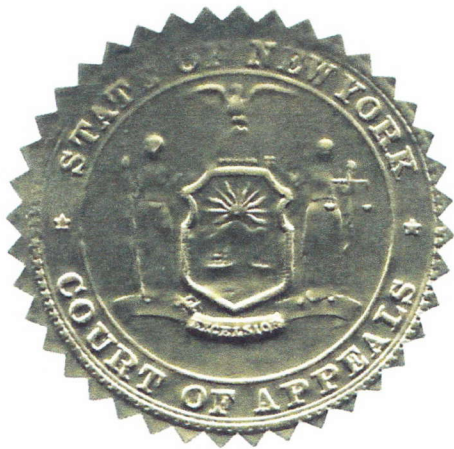
I respectfully submit the itemized estimates of the annual financial needs of the Judiciary for General State Charges for the Fiscal Year beginning April 1, 2018. Article VII, Section 1 of the Constitution requires the submission of these estimates to the Governor and legislative leaders on or before December 1, 2017.

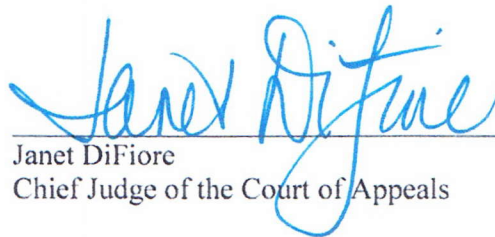
For the 2018-2019 Fiscal Year, the Judiciary is again submitting itemized estimates of funding for General State Charges necessary to pay the fringe benefits of judges, justices and nonjudicial employees separately from itemized estimates of the annual operating needs of the Judiciary. This presentation follows the long-standing practice of the Executive and Legislative Branches of separately presenting requests for funding of fringe benefit costs and requests for operating funds. The Judiciary will submit a single budget bill, which includes requests for funding for operating expenses and fringe benefit costs for the 2018-2019 Fiscal Year.

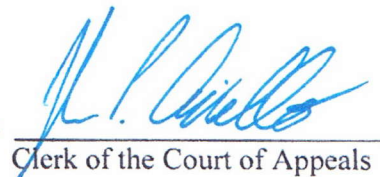
CHIEF JUDGE'S CERTIFICATION

ITEMIZED ESTIMATES OF THE  
FINANCIAL NEEDS OF THE JUDICIARY  
FOR GENERAL STATE CHARGES

Pursuant to Article VII, Section 1 of the Constitution of the State of New York, I certify that the attached schedules are the itemized estimates of the financial needs of the Judiciary for General State Charges for the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2018 and that they have been approved by the Court of Appeals.



  
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Janet DiFiore  
Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals


Attest:   
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Clerk of the Court of Appeals

Date: November 14, 2017

COURT OF APPEALS APPROVAL

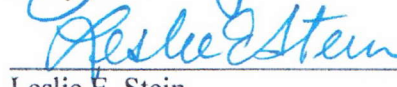
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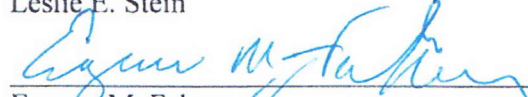
Pursuant to Article VII, Section 1 of the Constitution of the State of New York, the Court of Appeals approves the attached itemized estimates of the financial needs of the Judiciary for General State Charges for the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2018.


  
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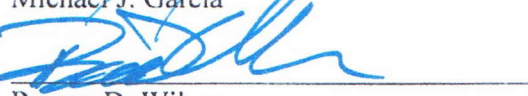
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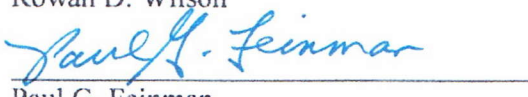
  
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**2018-19 JUDICIARY BUDGET REQUEST**

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