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**TO: New York State Senate Records Access Officer/Secretary of the Senate Alejandra Paulino
New York State Assembly Records Access Officer Robin Marilla**

Kindly advise as to the status of my below December 2nd FOIL request, to which I received from you acknowledgments on December 7th and December 9th, respectively – but no subsequent response.

Thank you.

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Please advise where on the Senate and Assembly websites are – or will be – posted the “Itemized estimates of the financial needs of the legislature, certified by the presiding officer of each house” for fiscal year 2021-2022, which Article VII, §1 of the New York State Constitution requires the Senate and Assembly to transmit to the Governor by December 1st.

Please note I am looking to examine 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: [FY 2022 Judiciary Budget | NYCOURTS.GOV](https://www.nycourts.gov/fy2022-judiciary-budget/).

In the event the Legislature is not intending to post its certified itemized estimates of its financial needs for fiscal year 2021-2022 on its Senate and Assembly websites, please advise why – and furnish a copy to me pursuant to Senate Rule XV (“Freedom of Information”) and Assembly VIII (“Public Access to Information”).

Thank you.

Elena Sassower, Director