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From: Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA) <elena@judgewatch.org>
Sent: Friday, October 20, 2017 2:18 PM
To: 'news@progressqueens.com'
Subject: Follow up to your excellent October 20, 2017 article about U.S. Attorney Bharara -- and Manhattan D.A. Vance

Dear Louis –

I have just left a voice mail message for you, commending you on your ongoing investigative efforts to uncover the truth about U.S. Attorney Preet Bharara and the D.A.s, as reflected by your today's article *"Judge Koeltl shows bias, makes misrepresentations, begins to put a fix on FOIA lawsuit over Bharara's speeches"*
http://www.progressqueens.com/news/2017/10/19/judge-koeltl-shows-bias-makes-misrepresentations-and-begins-to-put-in-the-fix-on-foia-lawsuit-over-preet-bhararas-speeches.

As my below October 3, 2016 e-mail to you indicates, I have much valuable information to furnish you on the subjects about which you are writing, including Manhattan District Attorney Vance.   As I received no response from you previously, I hope to hear from you soon.

Thank you.

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From: Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA) [mailto:elena@judgewatch.org]
Sent: Monday, October 3, 2016 3:45 PM
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Subject: Follow up to your excellent Sept 23 article -- Bharara Describes Systemic Corruption, Overlooks Do-Nothing D.A.s

Dear Louis,

Following up on your excellent September 23rd article – and the voice mail I left for you last week – there is an incestuous relationship between Bharara & the D.A.s, facilitating the very "systemic" corruption they publicly posture against. Their collusion with each other in covering up systemic governmental corruption, directly involving Cuomo, among others, should have been the subject of investigation by the Commission to Investigate Public Corruption (Moreland Commission), but was not because it was stacked with district attorneys who REFUSED to address their conflicts of interest, about which I challenged them in testifying at the Commission's September 17, 2013 public hearing.   The video of my testimony is here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-1hXstP0Uhw -- and the April 15, 2013 corruption complaint I had filed with Bharara and the July 19, 2013 corruption complaint I had filed with D.A. Soares concerning the slush-fund judiciary/legislative budgets and its embedded fraudulent, statutorily-violative, and unconstitutional judicial salary increases on which district attorney salary increases rest, which I handed up in support of my testimony are here: http://www.judgewatch.org/judicial-compensation/criminal-complaint/4-15-13-criminal-complaint-us-attorney-bharara.pdf and here: http://www.judgewatch.org/judicial-compensation/da-complaint/7-19-13-complaint-da-soares-8pp.pdf.   Bharara and Soares have been "sitting" on these complaints throughout these three years.

This is the background to my June 21, 2016 corruption complaint to D.A. Soares – seeking criminal prosecution of the Governor, the highest legislators, the Chief Judge in connection with the Commission on Legislative, Judicial & Executive Compensation, which D.A. Soares has also been "sitting on" – and which ALL New York State's other district attorneys have enabled him to sit on.   It is all accessible from CJA's menu webpage: "How Many D.A.s Does it Take to Confront Evidence & Abide by Ethical Rules?":   http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/searching-nys/budget/budget-2016-17/how-many-das-menu.htm, on which I have also posted your superlative article.   The result of this latest dereliction by Soares and the other D.A.s is a lawsuit, just commenced in Albany County Supreme Court, having the potential to END the "three men in a room" governance that goes to the heart of the corruption that Bharara has done nothing about. Here's the direct link to it: http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/searching-nys/budget/citizen-taxpayer-action/2016/menu-2nd-citizen-taxpayer-action.htm.

I would look forward to speaking with you directly.

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