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То:	'Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA)'
Subject:	RE: Moving beyond the rigged October 10th D.A. candidates forum to the upcoming
	Oct 21st D.A. candidates debate

Again, please stop copying me, or I will have to block you. -G. Reeher

From: Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA) <elena@judgewatch.org> Sent: Friday, October 18, 2019 1:34 PM

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Subject: Moving beyond the rigged October 10th D.A. candidates forum -- to the upcoming Oct 21st D.A. candidates debate

Dear Mr. Abdul-Qadir -

Having failed to give me the courtesy of a response to my October 10th e-mail to you and to my October 13th email to you, I was burdened to write my October 17th e-mail to the Syracuse Peace Council. You have replied to my cc.

The purpose of the October 10th forum, sponsored by more than a dozen organizations, was to inform voters about the Onondaga County D.A. candidates. To assist you in doing that, I sent you my October 10th e-mail, which you stated you did not see until AFTER the 6 pm D.A. candidates forum because you had an "all staff meeting from 10 am until 5 pm". Are you saying that both Central NYCLU's counsel Lanessa Chaplan, Esq. – to whom I sent the e-mail at 10:05 am, simultaneous with sending it to you – and Central NYCLU's administrative assistant Kevin Atwater – to whom I forwarded the e-mail at 12:09 pm, upon speaking with him by phone – did not attend the "all staff meeting" and did not bring it to your attention? Was there no discussion of it – and of that evening's D.A. candidates forum which you would moderate?

<u>The issues presented by my October 10th e-mail that should have been – and should be now – of grave</u> <u>concern to the Central NYCLU and to each of the other sponsors of the October 10th forum – are two-fold</u>:

> (1) the "open-and-shut EVIDENCE" of public corruption by incumbent District Attorney Fitzpatrick, causing vast, irreparable, and ongoing injury to the People of the State of New York and Onondaga County – culminating in a far-reaching, corruption-busting citizen-taxpayer action, now at the Court of Appeals; and

(2) whether Candidates Keller and Lavine – themselves recipients of the October 10th e-mail – possess the basic evidentiary skills, commitment to the rule of law,