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#### BY HAND

March 7, 1998

Daniel Kolb, Chairman Judiciary Committee Association of the Bar of the City of New York

Dear Mr. Kolb:

As discussed, enclosed are the following:

### THE O'ROURKE WAIVER:

- CJA's 1/30/98 letter to Chief Administrative Judge Lippman (See Exhibit "O-1" of ltr to Arthur Sulzberger)
- (2) 2/5/98 letter of Deputy Chief Administrator Pfau to CJA
- (3) CJA's 2/6/98 Memorandum to Senators Dollinger/Leichter (See Exhibit "O-3" of ltr to Sulzberger)
- (4) CJA's 2/9/98 letter to Chief Administrative Judge Lippman, with 2/1/98 ltr to Chief Judge Judith Kaye (See Exhibit "O-5" of ltr to Sulzberger)
- (5) 2/11/98 letter of Deputy Chief Administrator Pfau to CJA, enclosing waiver forms
- (6) CJA's 2/26/98 letter to counsel of Senators Leichter/Dollinger, enclosing unsent letter to Chief Judge Lippman
- (7) reverse side of Civil Service Form for Employment under Section 211
- (8) Senator Dollinger's 2/6/98 letter to Chief Administrative Judge Lippman
- (9) Chief Administrative Judge Lippman's 2/9/98 letter to Senator Dollinger

#### THE O'ROUKE NOMINATION/CONFIRMATION:

(1) CJA's 1/7/98 letter to Chief Judge Judith Kaye (with exhibits)

# NEW YORK TIMES SUPPRESSION OF THE SIGNIFICANT ISSUES INVOLVING THE O'ROURKE NOMINATION/CONFIRMATION/WAIVER, etc.

- (1) CJA's 2/12/98 letter to Arthur Sulzberger, with exhibits
- (2) Sulzberger's 2/18/98 response

#### MISCELLANEOUS:

- CJA's informational brochure, with enclosed public interest ad "Restraining 'Liars in the Courtroom' and on the Public Payroll'
- (2) CJA's 5/14/98 testimony before the Committee on Judicial Conduct of the Association of the Bar of the City of New York
- (3) "Without Merit: The Empty Promise of Judicial Discipline", Long Term View, Summer 1997

This should give you quite enough to do on Sunday. I will separately transmit CJA's 1996 correspondence with Ed Koch on the subject of opening the so-called "merit-selection" process.

Please let us hear from you about the O'Rourke waiver, ASAP.

Regards.

Yours for a quality judiciary,

ELENA RUTH SASSOWER, Coordinator Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc.

Enclosures