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Attachments: [9-4-25-news-tip-alert.pdf](#);
[mobilizing-8-24-25.pdf](#);
[cja-complaint-oct-8-2025-corrected.pdf](#);
[cja-10-16-25-ltr-to-us-attorney-halligan.pdf](#)

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TO: [NEWSWEEK](#)

New York City voters and the People of the State of New York are not without remedy for what you – and your fellow press – have been doing, in rigging the 2025 NYC mayoral election by your corruption-abetting, *knowingly* false, “fake news” journalism – and I have taken the first steps to secure those remedies.

Above-attached, in addition to the two dispositive attachments I sent you by my below September 19th e-mai, to which I received no response, are [CJA’s October 8th verified complaint in a federal lawsuit against 25 press defendants](#) and [October 16th letter to the U.S. Attorney for the Eastern District of Virginia](#). CJA’s webpage for these, and it includes my e-mails to the press defendants about them, is [here](#).

As stated in the caption of the October 8th verified complaint, the 25 defendants are “*representative of other New York & national media*”.

This is to give you NOTICE that prior to serving the October 8th verified complaint, which I have not yet done, I am contemplating amending it to include additional “*representative*” defendants, such as [Newsweek](#). Based on your [post-September 19th](#) reporting of the 2025 NYC mayoral election, can you give me any reason why I should not do so?

Please have your legal counsel promptly contact me about this so that I may be guided accordingly – and, in any event, please furnish me with his/her name, e-mail address, and phone number. I assume

it is Zahreen Ghaznavi, listed on your [“masthead” webpage](#) as “General Counsel”, but without an e-mail address and phone number.

Meantime, as there have been at least four additional [Newsweek](#) reporters who have written articles on Mamdani and the 2025 NYC mayoral race since my September 19th e-mail, I am cc’ing them. The most recent article – today – is [“Mamdani Can’t Fulfill Campaign Promises Alone, But Has ‘Realistic Path’”](#) by Chief Investigative Reporter Joshua Rhett Miller, so-identified by the article and so-listed on your “masthead”.

Did you not furnish my [fully-documented](#) September 19th e-mail to Mr. Miller for investigation? Was there anything that did not check out 100% -- establishing that Mamdani cannot be elected NYC mayor because he must be indicted for corruption as a NYC assemblyman and will be convicted. Shouldn’t Mr. Miller have shared the e-mail with [Manhattan Institute Senior Fellow Nicole Gelinias](#), for her review, and with [Pace University Clinical Assistant Professor of Political Science Laura Tamman](#), who provided him with such adulatory comment about Mamdani. Both are cc’d so that they can revise their comments, accordingly.

Thank you.

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Subject: NEWS TIP-ALERT: The Unreported Story of Mamdani's Corruption as a NYS Assemblyman -- A Scandal He Cannot Survive. Will you report it?

TO: [NEWSWEEK](#)

You have each written articles on the NYC mayoral race and Mamdani, unaware that [The New York Times](#) and other press have been rigging Mamdani’s win as NYC mayor – and that their success in doing this is

what is reflected by polls you have been reporting, as for instance, your yesterday's article "[How Zohran Mamdani's Chances of Beating Andrew Cuomo Have Changed](#)".

The facts are summarized, with substantiating EVIDENTIARY links, by the above-attached and here linked:

- [August 24th Announcement](#) "MOBILIZING NEW YORK'S JEWISH, PRO-ISRAEL & OTHER COMMUNITIES: SPREAD THE WORD – Mamdani's Win as NYC Mayor is being Rigged by the NYT & Other NY Press, Concealing his Corruption as a NYS Assemblyman – A Scandal He Cannot Survive"; and
- [September 4th News Tip/Alert](#): "Mamdani Can't Be Elected NYC Mayor, Because He Must Be Indicted & Will Be Convicted of Corruption, as a NYS Assemblyman".

Further particulars are furnished by my yesterday's [e-mail to Siena Polling, cc'ing the NYT](#), entitled "NOTICE -- Your NYT/Siena poll of the NYC mayoral race was rigged by the NYT & other press -- & has itself rigged the mayoral race. What corrective steps with the NYT be taking?".

Will you report on what has been going on?

I am available to answer your questions and invite you to call, *no matter how early or late*.

Thank you.

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