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Subject: **December 9, 2021 public hearing "To discuss New York State's system of ethics oversight and enforcement" -- Request to orally testify & "discuss", in person**

TO: SENATE COMMITTEE ON ETHICS AND INTERNAL GOVERNANCE CHAIR ALESSANDRA BIAGGI, ESQ.

The most recent "All Updates" posted on the [Committee's website](#) is for a [December 9, 2021 "Public Hearing: To discuss New York State's system of ethics oversight and enforcement"](#), which states, in uppercase lettering, "ORAL TESTIMONY BY INVITATION ONLY".

I have found no press release about the December 9, 2021 public hearing posted on the [Senate's website](#), [your own Senate website](#), or, for that matter, on the Committee's website, excepting as "All Updates". Is there no press release – and are you not inviting testimony from members of the public, with a registration, such as you had for the ["postponed" July 12, 2021 hearing](#), for which I had timely registered and timely submitted a written statement on July 9th and then, again, on July 12th?

What criteria are you using for your December 9th "oral testimony by invitation only" hearing – and were you planning to invite me?

Please advise, as soon as possible – and deem this my formal request to orally testify and "discuss", in person.

Thank you.

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