

ANDREW M. CUOMO Governor ROBERT F. MUJICA, JR. Director of the Budget

## Via Electronic Mail

October 7, 2016

Elena Sassower, Director Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. elena@judgewatch.org

Dear Ms. Sassower:

This is in response to your Freedom of Information Law ("FOIL") request dated September 1, 2016, in which you seek the following: "Director of the Budget's certificate of approval of the Division of Criminal Justice Service's budget for fiscal year 2016-2017, contained in the Aid to localities Budget Bill #S.6403-d/A.9003-d & any certification by the Division of Criminal Justice Services of its own budget."

Additional time is required to respond to your FOIL request, and we estimate that the Division will respond to your request by December 7, 2016. The Division will notify you in writing when/if any responsive records are available for release or if the time needed to complete the processing of your request extends beyond the above date.

Sincerely,

Alan P. Lebowitz FOIL Officer

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