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TO: Senate Records Access Officer/Secretary of the Senate Alejandra Paulino, Esq.

FROM: Elena Ruth Sassower, Director
Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA)

RE: FOIL/Records Request:
Annually published "guidelines" required by Senate Rule VI, §1
pertaining to referral of bills to "appropriate standing committee[s]"

Senate Rule VI, entitled "Introduction of Bills and Resolutions", states, in its §1:

"...The Temporary President shall refer bills or designate an officer to refer bills to the appropriate standing committee. Bills shall be referred in accordance with a set of guidelines to be published annually by the Temporary Senate President setting forth the respective statutes over which each of the standing committees shall have subject matter jurisdiction for purposes of referral. Such referrals shall reflect the subject matter having predominance in the bill as determined by the Temporary President." (underlining added).

Therefore, pursuant to Senate Rule XIV, "Freedom of Information", this is to request:

- (1) the "set of guidelines" that Senate Rule VI, §1 requires the Temporary Senate President to have "published" for 2019;
- (2) records reflecting the date and manner of "publi[cation]".

Thank you.

