

Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA)

From: foil <foil@ig.ny.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, October 5, 2021 4:33 PM
To: Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA); foil
Subject: RE: FOIL 040-2021: The Inspector General's list of "covered agencies" within its jurisdiction pursuant to Executive Law §51 -- & records reflecting why JCOPE is not on that list, if in fact, it is not listed
Attachments: NYSTEP AgencyListing.pdf

RE: FOIL 040-2021

Ms. Sassower:

This correspondence responds to your request for records pursuant to the Freedom of Information Law which was received by this office on September 1, 2021 where you requested:

"(1) the list of "covered agencies" provided to receptionist/non-attorney case management unit staffers; and (2) records reflecting why the New York State Joint Commission on Public Ethics (JCOPE) is not among the listed "covered agencies", if, in fact, it is not listed."

The Offices of the Inspector General does not maintain a singular, physical list of "covered agencies" in the manner in which you describe, nor is it legally required to create and maintain such a list. However, the agency does possess a list of state agencies and entities as categorized by the New York State Electronic Personnel System (NYSTEP), which is referenced in the Offices' case management unit's logging and tracking of received complaints. This list of agencies is inclusive of those entities that fall within the jurisdiction of the inspector general, as well as those that are non-jurisdictional. This list is attached.

Sincerely,
Stephen DelGiacco
Records Access Officer

From: Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA) <elena@judgewatch.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 1, 2021 4:32 PM
To: foil <foil@ig.ny.gov>
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Subject: FOIL: The Inspector General's list of "covered agencies" within its jurisdiction pursuant to Executive Law §51 -- & records reflecting why JCOPE is not on that list, if in fact, it is not listed

TO: FOIL-Records Access Officer/New York State Inspector General

The [New York State Inspector General's website](#) does NOT include a list of "covered agencies" within its jurisdiction, pursuant to [Executive Law §51](#). I believe, however, that receptionists fielding calls and non-attorney personnel of the case management unit are provided with such a list.

Pursuant to Public Officers Law VI [FOIL], this is to request: (1) the list of "covered agencies" provided to receptionist/non-attorney case management unit staffers; and (2) records reflecting why the New York State Joint Commission on Public Ethics (JCOPE) is not among the listed "covered agencies", if, in fact, it is not listed.

Thank you.