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**Subject:** **FOIL REQUEST: FY2026-27 Aid to Localities Budget Bill #S.9003/A.10003 -- the "plan" for reimbursement to counties for D.A. salaries - & the dollar reimbursement to each county, etc.**

**TO:** **Records Access Officer/**[Division of Criminal Justice Services](#)  
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[Governor Hochul's FY2026-27 Aid to Localities Budget Bill S.9003/A.10003](#) reads, at p. 92:

“For grants to counties for district attorney salaries. Notwithstanding the provisions of subdivisions 10 and 11 of section 700 of the county law or any other law to the contrary, for state fiscal year 2026-27 the state reimbursement to counties for district attorney salaries shall be distributed according to a plan developed by the commissioner of criminal justice services, and approved by the director of the budget (20244)

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4,212,000”

Pursuant to FOIL, request is made for the referred-to “plan prepared by the commissioner of criminal justice services and approved by the director of the budget” – including records identifying the plan’s dollar reimbursement for district attorney salaries to each county and the date the “plan” was “developed” and “approved”.

Pursuant to Public Officers Law §89.3, your responses/acknowledgments are required “within five business days” of your receipt of this request.

Thank you.

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