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TO: Stateline/The Pew Charitable Trusts

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I have received no response to the below December 23rd e-mail – and, likewise, to the message I left on the voice mail of Communications Director Rattner (202-540-6507) shortly before sending it. Please advise.

Thank you.

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Executive Editor Scott Greenberger Managing Editor Barbara Barrett Deputy Managing Editor Noelle Straub

Via a google alert, I received your yesterday's "<u>What We're Reading: Top State Stories 12/22</u>" – with its December 21, 2020 <u>New York Times</u> article "<u>New York is Ousting Older Judges to Save Money. They're Fighting Back</u>" by Benjamin Weiser.

I have questions about your selection of the article – and would appreciate if someone would call me so that I can give you contextual information about it to support essential "original reporting" by Stateline.

Thank you.

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