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Dear Mr. Zeff,

A propos of your excellent article *"Andrew Cuomo pretends to want public financing really badly"*, how about examining such other Cuomo classics as "We have zero tolerance for any violation of the public integrity and the public trust"?

Governor Cuomo's 100% tolerance for the most flagrant violations of public integrity and public trust -- indeed his active participation in corruption involving all three branches of NYS government-- is the subject of fully-documented corruption complaints we have filed with three U.S. Attorneys – Preet Bharara (SDNY-4/15/13); Loretta Lynch (EDNY-5/13/13); and Richard Hartunian (NDNY-6/13/13). It would be exposed, directly, by the below story, to which we have, as yet received no response from The New York Times – or any of the other journalists to whom we have sent it.

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Subject: NYT story on selective & invidious investigation & prosecution of Black & Hispanic legislators?

Dear Mr. Kaplan,

I understand you are writing a story examining whether Black and Hispanic legislators are being invidiously and selectively investigated and prosecuted. <u>Is that correct?</u>

If so, please know that there is <u>documentary evidence</u> of such invidious and selective investigation and prosecution. Indeed, I presented it at Senator Sanders' May 10th forum *"Attack on Black Leaders: Corruption or Conspiracy?"* – following which, on May 22nd, I sent a letter to ALL Senators and Assembly Members requesting Legislative follow-up, including the holding of a hearing by the 48-member Black, Puerto Rican, Hispanic and Asian Legislative Caucus.

A copy of that May 22nd letter and its enclosed May 13th letter-complaint to U.S. Attorney Lynch are attached.   These are also posted on the Center for Judicial Accountability's website, www.judgewatch.org – on a special webpage entitled **"UNEQUAL JUSTICE: Going After Black & Hispanic 'Little Fish', while the Big 'White Whales' Go Free"**. Here's the direct link: http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/judicial-compensation/unequal-justice.htm.

Indeed, you can verify the truth of what the May 22nd letter describes – unreported by the press in thereafter purporting that there is "scant evidence" for conspiracy claims – as Azi Paybarah's video of the May 10th forum is also posted on our "UNEQUAL JUSTICE" webpage. Additionally, you can verify the significance of the <u>documentary evidence</u> I handed up at the forum, as that, too, is posted – including on its own webpage entitled **"CJA's April 15, 2013 corruption complaint to U.S Bharara"**. Here's the direct link: http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/judicial-compensation/corruption-complaint-to-us-attorney-bharara2.htm.

To facilitate the accuracy of your story on selective and invidious prosecution of Black and Hispanic legislators, I am willing to furnish you with a hard copy of the posted <u>documentary evidence</u>. I am also available to be interviewed.

Thank you.

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