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Honorable Joanne Cunningham, Chairwoman Albany County Legislature 112 State Street, Room 710 Albany, New York 12207

Dear Chairwoman Cunningham:

The Public Defender's Office is requesting authorization to enter into an agreement with Axon Enterprise regarding a digital evidence management program. This agreement will add 7 additional user licenses to the Office's 45 current user licenses for the digital evidence management program that allows the Public Defender's Office attorneys and staff to store, manage, and access digital evidence related to clients' cases. The source of funding for the additional and current licenses will be the Public Defender's Second Statewide Expansion of Hurrell-Harring grant from NYS Office of Indigent Legal Services.

If you require any supplemental information, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Stephen W. Herric Public Defender

cc:

Hon. Dennis A. Feeney, Majority Leader Hon. Frank A. Mauriello, Minority Leader Rebekah Kennedy, Majority Counsel James Curran, Minority Counsel