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Honorable Joanne Cunningham, Chairwoman
Albany County Legislature
112 State Street, Room 710
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Dear Chairwoman Cunningham:

The Public Defender's Office, Alternate Public Defender's Office, and Assigned Counsel Program request authorization to amend the Second Statewide Expansion of Hurrell-Harring grant contract with the New York State Office of Indigent Legal Services, with a term of April 1, 2024 through March 31, 2027. The amendment increases the total amount of funding from \$29,538,230 to \$31,310,523.81 to continue work being done under the first Statewide Expansion of Hurrell-Harring grant that commenced April 1, 2018.

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

Sincerely,

Matthew Alpern
Chief Assistant Public Defender

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