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Hon. Joanne Cunningham, Chairwoman
Albany County Legislature
112 State St, Rm. 710
Albany, NY 12207

Dear Chairwoman Cunningham,

Albany County Assigned Counsel's Office is seeking legislative approval to enter into a contract with AXON to provide discovery software for our Assigned Counsel Program (18B panel) attorneys. AXON is a discovery management system that will streamline the amount of time that attorneys need to review mandatory discovery material. By reducing the time needed to review discovery, we can hopefully begin to drive down costs that the County incurs. This software is 100% covered by State funds. Please do not hesitate to reach out to my office with additional questions. Thank you

Sincerely,

Shane Hug
Assigned Counsel Program Administrator

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