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

The Office of the Alternate Public Defender is requesting authorization to enter into a 10 year agreement with Axon Enterprise regarding a digital evidence management program, which will store all of the Office's discovery. This system will allow the attorneys and staff to more efficiently store, analyze, and access digital evidence related to clients' cases. This program is also currently being utilized by all law enforcement agencies and District Attorney offices, and will provide the Public Defender offices access to the same system.

The source of the funding for this program will be provided by grants from the Division of Criminal Justice Services, Aid to Defense for Discovery Reform.

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

Very truly yours,

Tina K. Sodhi
Alternate Public Defender

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