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Honorable Andrew Joyce, Chairman  
Albany County Legislature  
112 State Street, Room 710  
Albany, NY 12207

Re: Budget Transfer

Dear Chairman Joyce:

Enclosed is a request for Legislative Action for permission to transfer funds to meet the financial need for adequate numbers of GPS units which the Probation Department is mandated to provide to all Courts in Albany County under Bail Reform as the designated pretrial service agency for Albany County. Criminal Procedure 510.40, authorizes electronic monitoring to be ordered to assure a defendants return to Court.

It is respectfully requested this be considered. If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me directly at (518) 487-5194.

Sincerely,

William Connors  
Probation Director

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Enc.

cc: Honorable Dennis Feeney, Majority Leader  
Honorable Frank Mauriello, Minority Leader  
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