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Honorable Andrew Joyce
Chairman, Albany County Legislature
112 State St., Rm. 710
Albany, NY 12207

Dear Chairman Joyce:

The Coroner's Office respectfully requests the approval of a Budget Amendment. Due to the continued stresses of the COVID-19 Pandemic and the opioid crisis, the County has seen a sustained increased level of death. This has led to increased costs associated with the transportation and medical examination of those deceased.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this request, I can make myself available at your earliest convenience. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely Yours,

M. David Reilly, Jr.

cc:

Hon. Dennis Feeney, Majority Leader
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