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Honorable Joanne Cunningham, Chairwoman Albany County Legislature 112 State Street, Room 710 Albany, New York 12207

Dear Chairwoman Cunningham:

The Albany County Public Defender's Office requests authorization for the Distribution #12 grant contract with the NYS Office of Indigent Legal Services, with a term of January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2024. The grant provides salary and fringe support for two (2) attorneys representing indigent clients in criminal court proceedings.

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

Sincerely,

Stephen W. Herl

Public Defender

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