



June 27, 2017

**Via Email:** [elena@judgewatch.org](mailto:elena@judgewatch.org)

Elena Sassower  
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Dear Ms. Sassower:

The Executive Chamber acknowledges receipt of your FOIL request dated June 20, 2017, seeking:

all publicly-available records pertaining to the nomination and June 19, 2017 confirmation of Warren County District Attorney Kathleen B. Hogan to the New York Court of Claims, including, in particular:

- her written responses to Governor Cuomo's "Appointment Questionnaire" and, if not publicly-available" as redacted, the signed, dated, and notarized "Consent, Authorization and Release" that is page 44 thereof - a blank copy of which is annexed hereto;
- the voting sheet of Senators voting on her confirmation.

We are conducting a search for records that respond to your request and will review them for appropriate exemptions under FOIL. We will provide you with a status update on or before July 26, 2017, if we have not completed our response by then.

If any documents are located that respond to your request, you will be charged \$.25 per page for photocopies. If the response to your request will be provided in another media, we will notify you of any charges.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'L. Grasso', written over a horizontal line.

Lauren Grasso  
FOIL Counsel  
Records Access Officer