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DATE: 1/9/98 TIME: 10:40 am FAX #: 212-556-3717

TO: Joyce Patnick, Metro Editor  
NYT

RE: Citizen Opposed to O'Rourke Ct of Claims

FROM: ELENA RUTH SASSOWER, Coordinator Judgeship + the Public's Right to Basic Information

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MESSAGE: I left 2 messages for you yesterday afternoon - not returned + the fax for you at about 7:30 am today. I know you are busy - but this is URGENT, involving the integrity of the governor's judicial appointments "process" + the State Senate's "process" of confirmation. Mr. Gray has not gotten back to us. Especially in a year when the Gov's up for re-election, doesn't the Times recognize its obligation to report on his manipulation of the judicial appointments process + complete disregard of the public's rights?

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Enclosed is NY 1/2/98 ltr to NY S Senate Judiciary Committee  
if I can't hear from you by 11:30 I'll telephone Mr. ~~Gray~~ Weld, also  
I understand is your direct superior.