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## LETTERS

### Faso's lament

Faso writes about the media's "credulous" failure to analyze Spitzer's campaign claims and record in the 2006 gubernatorial election, yet Faso is silent about his own failure.

As the Republican nominee, Faso failed to expose what the media had long known but not reported: Spitzer's record of corruption as attorney general — from the hoax of his "public integrity unit" to the modus operandi of litigation fraud to defeat citizen lawsuits challenging the very governmental corruption his unit was neither investigating nor prosecuting.

Exposing this would have won the election for Faso, bringing Spitzer's candidacy to an explosive and scandalous end.

We wrote this to Faso in a letter entitled "Informing the Voters: Attorney General Eliot Spitzer's readily verifiable corruption in office — covered up by an election-rigging press."

That was more than four months before the election and is available on our Web site.

Readers can judge Faso's complicity with the media in engineering Spitzer's landslide victory.

If the media have learned any lesson, they will now probe Spitzer's record as attorney general. That would propel systemic reforms more sweeping than any Spitzer, or Faso, might have advanced.

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