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Sent: Wednesday, August 03, 2011 1:14 PM
To: 'skerby@courts.state.ny.us'
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Subject: FOIL REQUEST: "Supplemental Appendix" to Chief Administrative Judge Pfau's "Submission to the 2011 Commission on Judicial Compensation"

Dear Ms. Kerby,

As reflected by the below exchange of e-mails, it apparently requires a FOIL request for us to secure a copy of the "Supplemental Appendix" to Chief Administrative Judge Pfau's "Submission to the 2011 Commission on Judicial Compensation". This constitutes that FOIL request

Pursuant to FOIL (Public Officers Law 89.3), your response is required "within five business days" of your receipt of this request. So as not to lose further time, please e-mail it to me at elena@judgewatch.org.

Thank you.

Elena Sassower, Director
Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA)

From: Arlene Hackel [mailto:ahackel@courts.state.ny.us]
Sent: Wednesday, August 03, 2011 12:46 PM
To: Inc. (CJA) Center for Judicial Accountability
Subject: Re: FW: Yet, again -- Chief Administrative Judge Pfau's Submission to the 2011 Commission on Judicial Compensation

Ms. Sassower,

Please submit a FOIL request by mail or email.

By mail, send to Shawn Kerby, Assistant Deputy Counsel, NYS Office of Court Administration, 25 Beaver Street, New York, NY 10004

By email, send to www.nycourts.gov/foil/

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>>> "Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA)" <elena@judgewatch.org> 8/2/2011 4:32 PM >>>

Dear Ms. Hackel:

8/3/2011

Following up my phone call & our conversation together moments ago, here's my two e-mails to Mr. Bookstaver. I would appreciate your assistance in securing the Supplemental Appendix to Chief Administrative Judge Pfau's Report to the Commission on Judicial Compensation. As I stated, I cannot find the Supplemental Appendix – or Chief Administrative Judge Pfau's Report – posted on the Unified Court System's website – which I find most surprising. Please advise.

Thank you,

Elena Sassower
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From: Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA) [mailto:elena@judgewidth.org]
Sent: Tuesday, August 02, 2011 7:51 AM
To: 'DBooksta@courts.state.ny.us'
Subject: Yet, again -- Chief Administrative Judge Pfau's Submission to the 2011 Commission on Judicial Compensation

Dear Mr. Bookstaver,

I am unaware of any response to this e-mail, sent two weeks ago. Have you responded? If not, please promptly do so.

Thank you.

Elena Sassower

From: Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA) [mailto:elena@judgewidth.org]
Sent: Friday, July 15, 2011 9:52 AM
To: 'DBooksta@courts.state.ny.us'
Subject: Chief Administrative Judge Pfau's Submission to the 2011 Commission on Judicial Compensation

Dear Mr. Bookstaver:

I was surprised that even after doing a "search" of the Unified Court System's website, www.nycourts.gov (copy annexed), I could not find Chief Administrative Judge Pfau's "Submission to the 2011 Commission on Judicial Compensation". Has it not been posted?

Nonetheless, a pdf of Judge Pfau's Submission was apparently furnished to the press – as their internet reporting includes the Submission, albeit without the "Supplemental Appendix", referred to by its footnote 2. Was the press not furnished the Supplemental Appendix?

Kindly e-mail me the Supplemental Appendix at your earliest convenience. My direct e-mail is elena@judgwatch.org.

Thank you.

Elena Sassower, Director

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