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Gov. Cuomo Calls Allegations Against NYS Sen. Malcolm Smith "Very Serious"

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Gov. Cuomo during an appearance in Buffalo called the corruption allegations this morning against Sen. Malcolm Smith "very serious."

"I was the attorney general," he said. "I spent more time working on political reform and political corruption than probably any attorney general in modern political history so I take it very seriously."

"I hope that (Smith) fully cooperates with the investigation and I hope that the investigation is thorough and speedy and gets to the facts," Cuomo said. "But it is very troubling."

"We have zero tolerance for any violation of the public integrity and the public trust."

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