



September 30, 2016

**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 September 23, 2016, seeking:

all publicly-available records pertaining to the nomination and May 5, 2015 confirmation of Denise Hartman to the New York Court of Claims, particularly including:

- her written responses to any questionnaire/application she was required to complete and, if not publicly-available as redacted or otherwise, her resume/curriculum vitae setting forth her professional background and qualifications;
- the Senate vote 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 October 31, 2016, 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 black ink that reads "Mongthu Zago".

Mongthu Zago  
FOIL Counsel  
Records Access Officer

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