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Subject: **Your Scholarship -- & Participation, as Amicus Curiae or Counsel, in Federal Lawsuit vs The NYT & Other Press for Enabling & Abetting the Destruction of Constitutional, Lawful NYS Governance**

Attachments: [cja-oct29-2025-amended-complaint.pdf](#)

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I am director and co-founder of the New York-based non-partisan, non-profit citizens' organization [Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. \(CJA\)](#), with decades of first-hand experience and primary-source, documentary evidence germane to your scholarship.

Reflecting this is the monumental federal lawsuit that CJA commenced on October 8th in the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York, "*on behalf of the People of the State of New York & the Public Interest*", against The New York Times and 24 other press defendants for their *knowingly* false journalism, enabling and abetting the destruction of constitutional, lawful New York state governance. Above-attached and here-linked is the [October 29th verified amended complaint](#) adding subsequent factual allegations and nine other press defendants, for a total of 34. As with the original complaint, the paragraph 1 reads:

"1. Pursuant to Article 4, §4 of the United States Constitution, 'The United States shall guarantee to every State in this Union a Republican Form of Government...', and the First Amendment to the Constitution pertaining to the press, as explicated by federal caselaw, including as above recited, and the First Amendment's guarantee of 'the right of the people...to petition the Government for a redress of grievances', and the further guarantees of the Fifth Amendment^{fn1} and the Fourteenth Amendment, §1^{fn2} to every 'person' of 'due process of law' and 'the equal protection of laws', plaintiffs seek declaratory relief and compensatory, presumed, and punitive damages against defendants for their *knowingly* false, 'fake news', corruption-abetting, election-rigging journalism, concealing and enabling the destruction of constitutional, lawful governance in New York State, culminating in corrupt candidates running on the 2025 election ballots – and, in particular, for New York City mayor, for New York City public advocate, for Manhattan borough president, for Manhattan district attorney, for Brooklyn district attorney, and to be district attorneys in approximately a dozen other counties throughout the state – and their election." (italics in the original).

In addition to your scholarship with respect to same – and scholarship is here mandated by the MASSIVE primary-source, documentary evidence to which the verified amended complaint links, NONE of which,

to my knowledge, has been the subject of ANY scholarship, ALL of it establishing the collusion of NY's three government branches – and the fourth branch, the press – in destroying constitutional, lawful NYS governance, I seek your participation in the lawsuit, collectively and/or individually, either as *amicus curiae* in support of plaintiffs or as counsel to the unrepresented corporate plaintiff CJA, which I cannot represent as I am not a lawyer.

My opinion, as the non-lawyer individual plaintiff, is that the lawsuit is a summary judgment case, as there is NO defense to it factually or legally. The SOLE issue is the magnitude of compensatory, presumed, and punitive damages – a jury determination that will reasonably be many tens of billions of dollars. What are your opinions?

Kindly acknowledge receipt and indicate the specific “[affiliated faculty](#)” and other faculty, such as of media law and the First Amendment, to whom you are forwarding this e-mail – and when you will be available to speak with me directly. TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE, obviously.

Thank you.

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