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Subject: **NYC ELECTIONS: Will you be reporting on Mamdani's corruption as a NYS assemblyman -- &, likewise, the corruption of NYS Senator Hoylman-Sigal & other Democratic NYC primary winners?**

Attachments: [3-14-25-email-to-mamdani.pdf](#)

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Will you be reporting on Mamdani's corruption as a NYS assemblyman, involving the state budget and his pocketing of pay raises for himself that he knew to be fraudulent? The EVIDENCE is furnished by my [March 14th e-mail to Mamdani](#) entitled "ELECTIONS ARE A TIME OF ACCOUNTABILITY", which opened as follows.

“Elections are a time of accountability. Based on your on-the-job performance as a state assemblyman, why do you believe yourself fit to be mayor of New York City – or for any office of public trust?”.

Mamdani did not respond – and I sent the March 14th e-mail to him a second time, with a supplement, by a [March 17th email](#), and then a third time, when I cc’d him on my [March 18th e-mail](#) to the Legislative Correspondents Association roster of reporters (LCA), and then a fourth time, when I cc’d him on my [March 20th e-mail](#) to The New York Times, New York Post, Daily News, New York Law Journal, Wall Street Journal, and Associated Press. Thereafter, I sent the LCA reporters two additional e-mails, on [April 7th](#) and [April 18th](#), as to what was unfolding pertaining to the FY2025-26 state budget.

Will you be getting Mamdani’s response to the March 14th “ELECTIONS ARE A TIME OF ACCOUNTABILITY” e-mail? Isn’t it obvious that it – and his votes, seven weeks later, approving the FY2025-26 budget bills – establish that he cannot be elected NYC mayor because he must be indicted for larceny and corruption – and that he will be convicted? Why don’t you confirm that fact with [former Assistant U.S. Attorney for the Eastern District of New York Jim Walden](#), running for mayor as an Independent candidate, with an [anti-corruption policy platform featured on his campaign website](#). By the way, are you aware that [Mamdani’s campaign website contains no anti-corruption platform](#)?

Also, will you be reporting on the corruption of other NYC Democratic primary winners, such as NYS Senator Brad Hoylman-Sigal, running for Manhattan borough president. The EVIDENCE of his corruption as a NYS senator is furnished by my [March 16th e-mail](#) to him, likewise entitled “ELECTIONS ARE A TIME OF ACCOUNTABILITY...” – part of my [March 18th](#) and [March 20th e-mails](#) to which both Mamdani and Hoylman-Sigal were cc’d.

Finally, if it is not your intention to report on the corruption of NYS legislators Mamdani and Hoylman-Sigal – and of NYC Democratic primary winner-incumbents [NYC Public Advocate Jumanne Williams](#), [Manhattan D.A. Alvin Bragg](#), and [Brooklyn D.A. Eric Gonzalez](#) – notwithstanding the EVIDENCE is *prima facie*, open-and-shut, as to ALL FIVE – please identify the reason and forward this e-mail to your highest editors, management, and legal counsel, whose names and contact information I request, so that they can enforce basic journalism standards.

Please advise by noon, Wednesday, July 30th – as TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE, obviously.

I am available to answer questions.

Thank you.

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