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Subject: **NOTICE TO DAILY NEWS MANAGEMENT & LEGAL COUNSEL: Your NYC election journalism, RIGGING Mamdani's mayoral win -- & other top races in NYC & NYS**

Attachments: [3-14-25-email-to-mamdani.pdf](#);
[9-4-25-news-tip-alert.pdf](#);
[mobilizing-8-24-25.pdf](#)

TO: **NEW YORK DAILY NEWS**
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I have received no response to my below July 24th e-mail whose title asked “Will you be reporting on Mamdani's corruption as a NYS assemblyman, starting with his pocketing of fraudulent pay raises for himself -- &, likewise, the corruption of NYS Senator Hoylman-Sigal, & other Democratic primary winners?” Nor has there been any reporting of same.

Was there anything about my July 24th e-mail, with its above-attached March 14th e-mail to Mamdani “ELECTIONS ARE A TIME OF ACCOUNTABILITY...”, that did not check out 100%?, other than that re-election-seeking Brooklyn D.A. Gonzalez faced NO primary challenges for the Democratic and Working Families party lines on which he is running – and has NO opponent in the general election.

The 2025 Brooklyn D.A. “election”, in-name-only, resembling a great many others in NYC and throughout NYS, is notwithstanding Brooklyn D.A. Gonzalez has been “sitting on” my [June 9, 2020 grand jury/public corruption complaint against Brooklyn state legislators](#) – materially-identical to my [June 9, 2020 grand jury/public corruption complaint against Queens state legislators](#) that Queens D.A. Katz has been “sitting on” – the SOLE attachment to my March 14th e-mail to Mamdani. And, of course, D.A. Gonzalez, D.A. Katz, and their fellow 60 D.A.s of NYS’ other 60 counties -- re-election-seeking Manhattan D.A. Bragg, among them – have, likewise, been “sitting on” my [July 18, 2024 grand jury/public corruption complaint against ALL state legislators](#). This you have had, but not reported.

To further assist you in discharging your First Amendment responsibilities, I am additionally attaching and here-linking two comparable summaries of the open-and-shut, *prima facie* EVIDENCE of Mamdani’s corruption as a NYS assemblyman, reflecting what you have had, but not reported – with knowledge that it is dispositive that Mamdani cannot be elected NYC mayor because he must be indicted and will be convicted, with similar consequences for other candidates on the ballot for NYC’s top offices:

- **NEWS TIP/ALERT:** “Mamdani Can’t Be Elected NYC Mayor, Because He Must Be Indicted & Will Be Convicted of Corruption, as a NYS Assemblyman” (Sept 4th);
- **“MOBILIZING NEW YORK’S JEWISH, PRO-ISRAEL & OTHER COMMUNITIES” announcement:** “SPREAD THE WORD – Mamdani’s Win as NYC Mayor is being Rigged by the NYT & Other NY Press, Concealing his Corruption as a NYS Assemblyman – A Scandal He Cannot Survive” (August 24th).

Take your pick.

Again, if you are not going to report on this EVIDENCE, please explain why and IMMEDIATELY forward to Daily News management – presumably at Alden Global Capital – and to legal counsel whose name and contact information I request, NOW.

By the way, I did several times try to call your “**News Tips to City Desk: 212-210-NEWS**”, including right before sending this e-mail. Each time I got a recorded message saying: “Sorry, we can’t record a voice message right now. Call back later”, followed by a disconnection. Are you unaware of this?

Thank you.

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Subject: NYC ELECTIONS: Will you be reporting on Mamdani's corruption as a NYS assemblyman, starting with his pocketing of fraudulent pay raises for himself -- &, likewise, the corruption of NYS Senator Hoylman-Sigal, & other Democratic primary winners?

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Will you be reporting on Mamdani's corruption as a NYS assemblyman – starting with 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 him the March 14th e-mail 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 roster of reporters of the Legislative Correspondents Association, and then a fourth time, when I cc'd him on my [March 20th e-mail](#) to you, The New York Times, New York Post, New York Law Journal, Wall Street Journal, and Associated Press.

Will you be getting Mamdani's response to my 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 state 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 is furnished by my [March 16th e-mail](#) to him, likewise entitled "ELECTIONS ARE A TIME OF ACCOUNTABILITY..." – part of my March 20th e-mail to you to which both Mamdani and Hoylman-Sigal were cc'd.

Finally, if it is not your intention to report on the open-and-shut, *prima facie* EVIDENCE of the corruption of Mamdani, Hoylman-Sigal, and other NYC Democratic primary winners that you enabled – incumbents NYC Public Advocate Jumanne Williams, Manhattan D.A. Alvin Bragg, and Brooklyn D.A. Eric Gonzalez topping the list – please forward this e-mail to Daily News legal counsel and ownership, consistent with what my [April 18th e-mail](#) to you requested in furnishing you with my March 20th e-mail a second time.

Please advise, promptly – as TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE, obviously. I am available to answer questions and will meanwhile phone in "News Tips to City Desk: 212-210-NEWS".

Thank you.

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