

Attachment 4

September 30, 2016

The Honorable Thomas P. DiNapoli
New York State Comptroller
Office of the State Comptroller
110 State Street
Albany, NY 12236

Re: Budget and Financial Plan Documents Submission

Dear Comptroller DiNapoli:

In accordance with § 203.9 of the New York State Finance Law, please consider this the required certification that, to the best of our knowledge and belief after reasonable inquiry, the Budget is based on reasonable assumptions and methods of estimation and that the regulations of § 203 have been satisfied.

Respectfully,



Thomas J. Quatroche, Jr., PhD
President and Chief Executive Officer

