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MEMBERS OF THE BLACK, PUERTO RICAN, HISPANIC & ASIAN LEGISLATIVE CAUCUS CALL FOR POLICING REFORM

NEW YORK, NY (June 2, 2020) – Over the last several days, Black Americans—and communities of color throughout New York State and the nation-have been emotionally exhausted by the consistent dehumanization of our people. The Members of the New York State Black, Puerto Rican, Hispanic & Asian Legislative Caucus invite members of the community, advocates, and colleagues in government to join them for a press conference in key regions across New York State to rally for comprehensive police reform.

What: Police Reform | Legislative Package

- Repeal of 50-a | A.2513/S.3695 (O'Donnell/Bailey) 1.
- 2. False 9-1-1 Complaints | A.3566 (Ortiz/Benjamin)
- Office of the Special Prosecutor | A.1601a/S.2574a (Perry/Bailey) 3.
- Police STAT Act | A.5472/S.1830b (Lentol/Hoylman) 4.
- Right to Monitor Act | A.1360a/S.3253 (Perry/Parker) 5.
- Local Independent Oversight of Police | S.7527 (Richardson/Myrie) 6.
- 7. Medical Attention for Persons Under Arrest | <u>A.8226/S.6601</u> (Fernandez/Bailey)
- Establishes the Crime of Strangulation | A.6144/S.6670a (Mosley/Benjamin) 8.
- Failure to Obtain Medical Care | A.3056b/S.4076 (Fernandez/Biaggi) 9.
- Bans Racial/Ethnic Profiling by Police | A.4615/S.1137A (Bichotte/Benjamin) 10.
- Reducing Arrests for Non-Criminal Offenses | A.4053/S.2571 (Aubry/Bailey) 11.
- 12. Expanded Use of Law Enforcement Body Cameras
 - a. Body Cameras for NYS Police | A.8674/S.6686 (Walker/Parker)
 - Body Cameras for MTA Police | A.8943a/S.06793a (Reyes/Ramos) h.

When: Thursday, June 4, 2020 at 3:00 PM

Where: Regions across New York State

Facebook Live: https://www.facebook.com/BPHACaucus/

- Brooklyn, NY | The Arch: 20 Grand Army Plaza
- Bronx, NY | Community Board 12: 4101 White Plains Road
- Manhattan, NY | State Office Building: 163 West 125th Street
- Queens, NY | Queens Borough Hall: 120-55 Queens Blvd
- Staten Island, NY | Staten Island Borough Hall: 10 Richmond Terrace
- Long Island, NY | Nassau Supreme Court: 100 Supreme Court Drive
- Syracuse, NY | Forman Park: 717 East Genesee Street
- Buffalo, NY | Niagara Square: Buffalo, NY 14202
- Albany, NY | City Hall: 24 Eagle Street
- Rochester, NY | www.zoom.us/join (Meeting ID: 850 2264 7803)

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