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Honorable Loretta Lynch
United States Attorney for the
Eastern District of New York
271 Cadman Plaza East
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Dear Ms. Lynch:

Congratulations on your nomination to be Attorney General of the United States. It's a tribute to the nation. I hope the confirmation hearings go well.

I am pleased to see that your office is investigating the Eric Garner matter. I believe that can go a long way toward restoring confidence in the system which has been shaken by this apparently incongruous outcome. If there is any way that the State can assist in the investigation, please let me know.

After you have concluded your work, if you have any recommendations or suggestions for reforms to improve the system here in New York, please let me know as I intend to propose potential reforms in the next legislative session.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Andrew M. Cuomo". The signature is stylized and fluid.

ANDREW M. CUOMO