



preliminary results to be presented to the Police Department by May or June; and

Whereas, New York State has a Director of the Office of Public Security (OPS), James Kallstrom, who was formerly Assistant Director -in-Charge of the FBI's New York City Office, where he supervised investigations and prosecutions of terrorist groups; and

Whereas, OPS is taking the lead role in establishing New York State's Counter-Terrorism Network that Governor George E. Pataki called "the first of its kind in the nation - to provide critical intelligence in the war on terrorism to local law enforcement personnel statewide;" and

Whereas, These new offices, appointments and initiatives are creating a new and necessary infrastructure for responding to the threat of terrorism, and it is important that the Council, as it has recently done through the Public Safety Committee, continue to monitor these efforts; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the appropriate committee of the City Council hold hearings on the progress of New York City and New York State in improving responses to possible terrorist attacks on New York City.

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