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Kenneth Adams  
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Empire State Development Corporation  
633 Third Avenue  
New York, NY 10017

BY MAIL AND EMAIL

Dear Mr. Adams:

I am writing to you in response to the July 13 decision in *Develop Don't Destroy (Brooklyn) v. ESDC*. I would urge you not to appeal this decision. Instead, I believe that it is in the interest of the whole Brooklyn community to comply with Judge Friedman's order to proceed with a Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement "assessing the environmental impacts of delay in Phase II construction" pursuant to the law as spelled out in the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "James F. Brennan".

James F. Brennan  
Member of Assembly