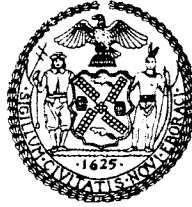


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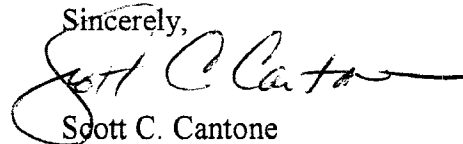
January 5, 1999

Hon. Thomas Duane  
New York State Senate  
275 Seventh Avenue  
12<sup>th</sup> Floor  
New York, NY 10001

Dear Senator Duane:

Mayor Giuliani has asked me to respond to your letter regarding Two Columbus Circle. You highlighted two proposals considered for the site. While the City has not yet designated a developer for Two Columbus Circle, the Mayor shares your desire to see a selection made which is both economically viable and in congruence with the nature and needs of the surrounding community. You can be assured that he will keep your comments and concerns in mind as a designation is negotiated.

Thank you for sharing your concerns with the Mayor regarding this matter.

Sincerely,  
  
Scott C. Cantone