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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chair
House Committee on Appropriations
H-307, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Cybersecurity and Science Technology Initiative, Brooklyn, NY 11205 (NY08) in fiscal year 2023.

The entity to receive funding for this project is St. Joseph's College New York, located at 245 Clinton Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11205.

The funding would be used to create a fully functional cybersecurity lab at SJC Brooklyn and support crucial equipment upgrades for the College's organic chemistry laboratory. The project addresses an urgent need for digital fluency and security among our future workforce and in our community. It also makes foundational investments in training high-need cybersecurity professionals and basic scientific research, serves to increase female representation in the cybersecurity/STEM workforce and trains local students for jobs in the innovation economy.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Hakeem Jeffries
Member of Congress