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Statement from Counsel for the Plaintiffs on Nunez v. City of New York et. al

(NEW YORK, NY) - **The Legal Aid Society** released the following statement as counsel for the Plaintiffs on *Nunez v. City of New York et. al.*, litigation brought in 2012 to challenge the systemic brutality by staff against people incarcerated in New York City jails:

“We are disappointed that the Court would not allow Plaintiffs to present their case for the appointment of a receiver, but appreciate the Court’s demand of the City for swift and serious action. The Legal Aid Society will continue to hold the City accountable for the violence and abuse that our incarcerated clients suffer every day.”

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