***MEDIA ADVISORY: Press Conference Thursday at 12***

_Housing Justice For All, Coalition to End Apartment Warehousing, Elected Officials to Hold Press Conference Urging Governor Hochul to Sign Critical HSTPA Reform Bills into Law_

(NEW YORK, NY) – Housing Justice For All, a statewide coalition of more than 80 organizations representing tenants and homeless New Yorkers, The Coalition to End Apartment Warehousing, elected officials including Senator Kristen Gonzalez, and others will gather on Thursday, October 12 at 12 p.m. for a press conference urging Governor Kathy Hochul to sign three New York State Legislature bills (S2980C, A4047B, and A6843), which would amend the Housing Stability and Tenant Protection Act (HSTPA) of 2019 to bolster tenants’ rights and end harmful landlord practices, into law.

The bills include legislation to reduce “Frankensteining,” a practice where landlords combine rent-regulated apartments to evict or increase rents on tenants, and keep more rent stabilized apartments available at affordable rates.

**What:** Press conference calling for Governor Kathy Hochul to sign three New York State Legislature bills to reform the HSTPA

**When:** Thursday, October 12 at 12 p.m.

**Who:** Housing Justice For All, elected officials including Senator Kristen Gonzalez, and others

**Where:** 633 Third Ave. (between 40th and 41st Street)

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