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<u>Highlights</u>

- 1. The Assemblymember has been in Albany working on finalizing the state budget, meeting with advocacy organizations and constituents, and fighting for the inclusion of various priorities within the one-house including additional small business relief, increased funding for the Department of Environmental Conservation, a new deal for CUNY, further investment in public transit, and more.
- 2. This week, Assemblymember Quart will be rallying with advocates to urge the Speaker to include \$10 million in the state budget for the Challenging Wrongful Convictions Act. The funding would go towards counsel for incarcerated individuals all throughout New York State who are trying to overturn their convictions. The pending legislation is A.98/S.266, which would provide people previously convicted of crimes the opportunity for meaningful review to ensure redress for wrongful convictions, including in cases where the person pled guilty.
- 3. If anyone who lives in the 73rd Assembly District needs assistance with their unemployment insurance claims, information about rental assistance, and anything else related to state and city government, please reach out to our office and we will do our best to assist you. We can be reached at <u>quartd@nyassembly.gov</u> and 212-605-0937.