Dear friends and allies,

Thank you for supporting the No Condoms As Evidence Bill (A3856/S1289)!

Here are 8 things you can do to help pass A3856/S1289:

- Sign the petition at www.ipetitions.com/petition/condoms
- Spread the word!!! Tell your contacts, allies, partners, and funders about the use of condoms as evidence of criminal activity and forward the link to the petition!
- Have a postcard party with your support group, clients, constituents, friends or staff! Send a request with the number of postcards you think you can get filled out and your name and address to <u>ahardikar@urbanjustice.org</u>. Once they are filled out, send them back to us and we'll get them to the right legislators!
- Urge your organization, professional association, or group to write a MEMO OF SUPPORT for this bill. Feel free to use the attached sample— but please include stories of how your members, staff/outreach workers, or clients are particularly affected by the practice of using condoms as evidence of prostitution. Send that memo to us and we will get it in the right legislators' hands.
- Fax, e-mail, write or call your representatives and ask that they support of A3856/S1289. Ask your friends, family, colleagues and neighbors to do this too! Find your Senators' and Assembly Members' contact information here: <u>http://assembly.state.ny.us/mem/</u>

http://www.nysenate.gov/senators

- Write a letter to the editor to your local paper about why this bill needs to be passed, or blog about it!
- Attend a constituents' meeting with your legislator! Contact the Sex Workers' Project at <u>ahardikar@urbanjustice.org</u> for more information.
- Share your story about how the use of condoms as evidence of prostitution has affected *you, your staff/outreach workers, members, clients or constituents!* Contact the Sex Workers' Project at <u>ahardikar@urbanjustice.org</u> for more information.

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