

## FOREWORD

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This document is the Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) for the One Police Plaza Security Plan. The Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) for the action was accepted as complete by the New York City Police Department as lead agency on July 28, 2006. Public notice of completion of the DEIS and a public hearing on the DEIS was published in the *City Record*, *Environmental Notice Bulletin*, *New York Post*, *Downtown Express*, *AM New York*, and *World Journal*. The New York City Police Department held two public hearings at the New York City Department of Health auditorium on September 14, 2006 and October 4, 2006. The period for public review remained open until October 24, 2006.

The FEIS reflects all substantive comments made on the DEIS during the public hearing and subsequent comment period. The comments are summarized and responded to in Chapter 16, "Response to Comments." Changes to the text and graphics of the FEIS were also made when appropriate to comments. The DEIS disclosed a significant adverse traffic impact at the intersection of Worth Street and Church Street, however, with revisions to the traffic analysis between the DEIS and FEIS, the With-Action condition has not resulted in a significant adverse traffic impact at this intersection. Additionally, the DEIS disclosed significant adverse air quality impacts at two locations, however, with revisions to the air quality analysis between the DEIS and FEIS based on revised standards for fine particulates, slight changes in the traffic network, and updated information on modeled pollutant concentrations, the With-Action condition has not result in significant adverse air quality impacts (see Chapter 9, "Air Quality," for a detailed discussion).

The FEIS also includes two new appendices, Appendices A-B. Appendix A provides the retail business survey final report and Appendix B provides all written comments received on the DEIS.

Except for this Foreword and Chapter 16 (which are new), all additions made to the text since publication of the DEIS are indicated by double-underlining the text.