Guide to Finding Some NY State Agency Publications

**Governor.** The City Hall Library keeps the *State of the State Address* from 1975 to the present. This is also known as the *Message to the Legislature*. In addition, the *Report to the People of New York State* was first issued in 2007. This publication is similar to the New York City *Mayor’s Management Report*. *Executive Budget* of New York State is available from 1985 to present. *Public Papers* of New York State Governors contain proclamations, messages, memoranda, addresses, etc. Holdings are from 1892 to 1991. No *Public Papers* have been made available since 1991.

**Department of Health.** *Vital Statistics of New York State* is an annual publication of the New York State Department of Health. Statistics on births, deaths, marriages and divorces are presented in detail. Selected county, city and village statistics are also given. Holdings are from 1970 to 2000. *AIDS in New York State* provides information on HIV and AIDS testing, new cases, deaths, costs and expenditures, etc. This was published annually from 1987 to 1993. Published yearly, *Managed Care Plan Performance* reviews the various managed care plans provided to New York State residents. Holdings are from 2001 to 2007.

**New York State Comptroller.** The office of the New York State Comptroller publishes numerous reports. The Special Deputy Comptroller for the City of New York reviews city financial plans, collective bargaining agreements and agency operations. In addition, the Special Deputy Comptroller prepared various audit reports for the Emergency Financial Control Board during and after the New York City fiscal crisis in the 1970’s. Many of these publications can be found in the City Hall Library collection.

**Metropolitan Transportation Authority (MTA).** The Metropolitan Transportation Authority has published *Annual Reports* with financial statements, operating statistics and summary of the year’s accomplishments. Holdings are from 1970 to 2001. *Performance Progress Report*, published quarterly from 1981 to 1984, offers statistics on such indicators as on-time performance, maintenance of equipment and net operating costs. Other MTA publications can be located by checking the library catalog.

**Websites.** The New York State website can be accessed at [www.state.ny.us](http://www.state.ny.us). Current publications of many state agencies may be found here. The MTA website is located at [www.mta.info](http://www.mta.info) and features statistics, timetables and latest news and fare information. Try the Department of Records website at [www.nyc.gov/records](http://www.nyc.gov/records) under the link “Publications” for city agency reports on related matters.