

**Statement of the Executive Committee on Behalf of the  
Samuel J. Tilden Democratic Club**

**To the members of the Samuel J. Tilden Democratic Club, it has become clear that Mayor Adams has lost the confidence and trust of his staff, his colleagues in government, and New Yorkers.**

**New York City and New Yorkers deserve a stable government that reflects the moral values and principles that we expect of our leaders. We expect our leadership to put our communities and the lives of our families before their personal dilemmas, and we elect them to steer the population forward. The Mayor has put that at risk.**

**Scandal and selfishness have clouded the administration's ability to deal with major difficulties and priorities that we face in the city – homelessness, housing, mental illness, crime, and poverty.**

**The Mayor and the US Department of Justice's efforts to drop the pending criminal indictment are to be condemned as they have compromised the entire city and its residents, using them as pawns in a self-interested gambit.**