



## Partnership for New York City

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### STATEMENT FROM KATHRYN WYLDE, PRESIDENT & CEO OF THE PARTNERSHIP FOR NEW YORK CITY, ON GOVERNOR PATERSON'S CALL FOR A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE SESSION

NEW YORK, June 23, 2009 – “The Partnership for New York City strongly supports Governor Paterson’s call for a special session of the State Legislature to deal with priority issues on a bipartisan basis. We urge the Republican and Democratic conferences to break the political deadlock and resume work on crucial legislation including Mayoral control of New York City public schools and the tax bills and extenders necessary for state and local government to function. Ongoing legislative inaction on these key issues threatens New York’s status as a business capital.”

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