



**KEITH
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**STATEMENT FROM COUNCIL MEMBER KEITH POWERS,
NAMED CHAIR OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE**

"I'm honored to be named the Chair of the Committee on Criminal Justice that will be tasked with big challenges in the coming years, including closing Rikers Island and instituting policies that ensure fairness in the system."

Council Member Keith Powers was named Chair of the Criminal Justice Committee on the New York City Council by Speaker Corey Johnson on January 11, 2018.