

Report on Attica Prosecution
Now Expected in Mid-October

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Bernard S. Meyer said Tuesday that his report on the way the prosecution on the Attica cases had been handled would be completed between Oct. 10 and 15.

Mr. Meyer, who had planned to have the report finished by the end of September, said,

"There was more work to be done than was contemplated."

Mr. Meyer, a former State Supreme Court justice, was appointed last April by Governor Carey and Attorney General Louis J. Lefkowitz. He was named after Malcolm H. Bell, an assistant Attica prosecutor, charged that Anthony G. Simonetti, the chief prosecutor, had covered up possible crimes by law-enforcement officers.

Mr. Meyer had at first been given 30 working days to "evaluate the conduct" of the state's investigation and prosecution of crimes arising from the 1971 rebellion at the Attica prison. His deadline was later extended to the end of September.