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Attorney Javier Vasquez inquired concerning the necessity of a principal, who is a client of his, to register as a lobbyist. The principal is attending a meeting with a County Commissioner to discuss a land use agenda item, which is not part of a quasi-judicial proceeding. Mr. Vasquez was advised that, since the principal was to be involved in a meeting that would be considered lobbying he should register as a lobbyist with the Clerk of the Board, pursuant to Section 2-11.1(s)(3)(b) of the Miami-Dade Conflict of Interest and Code of Ethic Ordinance, but would not need to pay the lobbyist registration fee. However, he would be required to complete the lobbyist ethics course pursuant to Section 2-11.1(bb) of the Code.

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