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To: Sanchez, Rodzandra (COE)

Subject: Rosy Pastrana, Executive Assistant to the Miami-Dade County Elections Supervisor

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Subject: INQ 17-52 Rosy Pastrana, Executive Assistant to the Miami-Dade County Elections Supervisor (Conflicting

Employment)

Rosy,

You have inquired whether your acceptance of an appointment to the Miami-Dade County Transportation Advisory Board would create a prohibited conflict under the Miami-Dade County Conflict of Interest and Code of Ethics Ordinance, in light of your existing full-time position with the County as Executive Assistant to the Supervisor of Elections. You have indicated that your appointment has been approved by the Supervisor of Elections contingent upon this agency favorable opinion. The appointment is to a County advisory board and is and unpaid, voluntary position in which you would be called upon to make recommendations in connection with transportation issues in the County. In your position with the Elections Department, you have no connection with transportation issues in the County and do not usually interact with County personnel handling such issues. Under the circumstances described by you, I do not believe that there is any likelihood that your independence of judgement would be affected in either position so as to create a conflicting employment problem under Section 2-11.1(j) of the Code. Therefore, it is my opinion that there is no legal impediment to your impending employment.

Sincerely, Joe

Joseph M. Centoríno

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