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From:

Meyers, Robert (COE)

Sent:

Thursday, March 09, 2006 3:32 PM

To:

Forestier, David (DIST3)

Subject: Request for opinion

Dear Mr. Forestier,

This is to confirm our conversation earlier in the day when we discussed whether Commissioner Edmonson has a conflict of interest due to the fact she will be reviewing a decision rendered by another County board when one of the board members may be appointed as the Commissioner's supervisor. As I understand it, the Board of County Commissioners is hearing an appeal from a decision of a CZAB and Commissioner Edmonson wishes to know whether she should recuse herself when this matter is heard. Due to the fact the CZAB member is not currently Commissioner Edmonson's supervisor, there is no voting conflict if she participates in and votes on this item. If in the future the CZAB member becomes Commissioner Edmonson's supervisor, I suggest we revisit the issue.

If you wish to discuss in more detail, please contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

Robert Meyers