

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY
COMMISSION ON
ETHICS & PUBLIC TRUST

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In re: Steve Losner
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PUBLIC REPORT AND FINAL DISMISSAL ORDER

COMPLAINANT Randy Chong filed the above-referenced COMPLAINT against RESPONDENT Steve Losner, Vice-Mayor of the City of Homestead. The COMPLAINT alleges that Mr. Losner violated the Miami-Dade County Conflict of Interest and Code of Ethics Ordinance at § 2-11.1 (g), *Exploitation of Official Position Prohibited*, when Mr. Losner made purportedly groundless complaints about Captain Chong and staff in the Code Enforcement Department. Specifically, the COMPLAINANT contends that he and his staff issued several justifiable warnings of code violations during August and September 2007 to Mr. Losner and others and that these warnings were not acts of harassment toward Mr. Losner and Mr. Losner's political supporters, as Mr. Losner contends. Mr. Losner's alleged prohibited behavior was to complain to the City Manager on September 10, 2007, about the code enforcement activity.

The facts as presented by the COMPLAINANT do not describe any special privileges or exemptions Mr. Losner obtained for himself or others by complaining to the City Manager.

On October 24, 2007, the Commission on Ethics found the above-referenced COMPLAINT to be legally insufficient, and the COMPLAINT was dismissed.

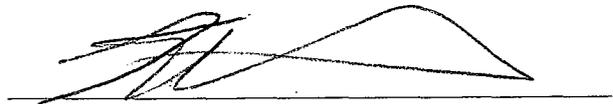
Therefore it is:

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED THAT the COMPLAINT is hereby
DISMISSED.

DONE AND ORDERED by the Miami-Dade County Commission on Ethics &
Public Trust in public session on October 24, 2007.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COMMISSION ON
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By:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kerry E. Rosenthal', is written over a horizontal line.

Kerry E. Rosenthal, Esq.
Chairman