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MIAMI-DADE COUNTY
COMMISSION ON ETHICS & PUBLIC TRUST

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In re: Eric Jackson

Case No: 10-28

PUBLIC REPORT AND ORDER ACCEPTING SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

The Advocate filed the above-captioned complaint against Eric Jackson ("Respondent") for alleged violation of Section 2-11.1(s)(6) (failing to timely file a lobbyist expenditure report). The Respondent is a salesman for a pharmaceutical company.

In 2007, the Respondent registered as a lobbyist for Teleflex Medical. Pursuant to Section 2-11.1(s), the Respondent was required to file a lobbyist expenditure report on or before July 1, 2008. On July 11, 2008, the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners sent the Respondent a Notice of Violation for failing to file his report. On February 17, 2010, the Respondent signed a certified notice from the Ethics Commission regarding his failure to file his expenditure report. The Respondent had not filed an expenditure report as of the date of the filing of the complaint.

On August 31, 2010, the Ethics Commission granted the Respondent's Motion for Continuance of the probable cause hearing. On September 15, 2010, after reviewing the pleadings, the Advocate's probable cause memorandum and being otherwise advised in the premises, the Ethics Commission found probable cause. Subsequently, on September 28, 2010, the Respondent filed the required report.

On October 28, 2010, the Advocate presented a proposed settlement agreement wherein the Respondent agreed to pay investigative costs in the amount of two hundred and fifty (\$250) dollars. The Ethics Commission agreed to dismiss the complaint including all late fees accrued since the July 1, 2008 deadline.

On October 28, 2010, upon review of the pleadings and being otherwise advised in the premises, the Ethics Commission accepted the proposed settlement agreement and ordered the complaint dismissed.

Therefore it is:

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED THAT the Complaint is **DISMISSED** in accordance with the terms of the attached settlement agreement.

DONE AND ORDERED by the Miami-Dade Commission on Ethics and Public Trust in public session on October 28, 2010.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COMMISSION
ON ETHICS AND PUBLIC TRUST

By:



Kerry Rosenthal
Chairperson

cc: Eric Jackson, Respondent

