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**MIAMI-DADE COUNTY  
COMMISSION ON ETHICS & PUBLIC TRUST**

**In re: JOHN MORSE**

**C 12-03**

**PUBLIC REPORT AND FINAL ORDER**

The Deputy General Counsel for the Commission on Ethics filed the above-referenced complaint against respondent John Morse, who registered to lobby in Miami-Dade County in 2010

The complaint alleged Respondent Morse violated Sec. 2-11.1(s)(6)(a) of the Miami-Dade County Ethics Code when he failed to file a lobbyist expenditure statement by July 1, 2011.

Pursuant to the Code of Miami-Dade County at Secs. 2-1068 and 2-11.1 (a), the Commission on Ethics & Public Trust has jurisdiction to enforce the County Ethics Code against County lobbyists.

On March 27, 2012, in public session, the Deputy General Counsel reported that respondent had complied with filing the expenditure statement. Respondent had moved out of the area and had not received numerous earlier notices to file. Consequently, the Ethics Commission found that the public interest would not be

served by proceeding further in this matter and granted the Deputy General Counsel's Voluntary Motion to Dismiss.<sup>1</sup>

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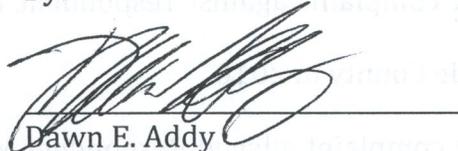
Therefore it is:

**ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that complaint C 12-03 is hereby dismissed against John Morse.

**DONE AND ORDERED** by the Miami-Dade County Commission on Ethics & Public Trust in public session on March 27, 2012.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COMMISSION ON ETHICS  
& PUBLIC TRUST

By:



Dawn E. Addy  
Chair

Signed on this date: 4/25/2012

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<sup>1</sup> The Ethics Commission may, at its discretion, discharge a COMPLAINT at any stage of disposition, as per the County Code at Sec. 2-1074 (s).