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C 15-04

In re:

MIAMI-DADE
COMMISSION ON ETHICS & PUBLIC TRUST

Crespo v. Trump

PUBLIC REPORT AND FINAL ORDER

Citizen complainant Albert Crespo (Complainant) filed the above-referenced complaint against developer Donald Trump [Trump]. Complainant alleged that Trump engaged in unregistered lobbying of Carlos Gimenez (Gimenez), the Mayor of Miami-Dade County. The alleged lobbying took place on October 13, 2014 while Gimenez and Trump were playing golf at Crandon Park golf course.

Investigation, determined that there was insufficient evidence found to sustain the allegations brought by the complainant. At the time of Trump's conversation with Gimenez there was no action for Gimenez to take or any decision or recommendation for Gimenez to make, thus the conversation did not constitute lobbying.

Accordingly, on June 17, 2015, in open session, the Ethics Commission found No Probable Cause to proceed with this complaint and dismissed it.

Therefore it is:

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that COMPLAINT C 15-04 is hereby concluded.

DONE AND ORDERED by the Miami-Dade County Commission on Ethics & Public Trust in public session on June 17, 2015.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COMMISSION ON ETHICS &
PUBLIC TRUST

By:


Nelson C. Bellido
Chair

Signed on this date: 6/30/2015