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From:

Meyers, Robert (COE)

Sent:

Thursday, January 18, 2007 3:45 PM

To:

'miamipaving@bellsouth.net'

Subject:

RE: [Fwd: Legal Opinion Regarding Conflict of Interest]

Dear Mr. Martinez,

The Miami-Dade Commission on Ethics and Public Trust has held in other requests for opinion that it is not a violation of the County ethics ordinance for County employees to seek special certifications from the county's Department of Business Development. If your firm is planning to contract directly with the County, you may need to ask for a separate opinion.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

Robert Meyers, Executive Director Miami-Dade Commission on Ethics and Public Trust (305) 350-0613

----Original Message----

From: miamipaving@bellsouth.net [mailto:miamipaving@bellsouth.net]

Sent: Wednesday, January 17, 2007 12:15 PM

To: Meyers, Robert (COE)

Subject: [Fwd: Legal Opinion Regarding Conflict of Interest]

> From: <miamipaving@bellsouth.net> > Date: 2007/01/09 Tue AM 02:28:42 EST > To: <rmeyers@miamidade.gov> > Subject: Legal Opinion Regarding Conflict of Interest > I am requesting a legal opinion from the Commission on Ethics and Public Trust regarding conflict of interest relative to contractual agreements with Miami Dade County because I am currently working as a firefighter with Miami Dade Fire Rescue and I am applying for Small and Disadvantaged Enterprise Certification with Miami Dade County as the Director/Qualifier of JR Superior Contractors, Inc., a paving contractor firm.

> Sincerely,

> Ricardo Martinez

> (786) 487-0222