

Meyers, Robert (COE)

INQ 07-124

From: Meyers, Robert (COE)
Sent: Tuesday, July 31, 2007 12:47 PM
To: 'Jess'
Subject: RE: Request of Opinion Approval

Dear Mr. Sanchez,

Thank you for the reminder to provide you with an opinion. As I understand it from a letter you sent me, you are Plant Maintenance Supervisor with the Miami-Dade County Water and Sewer Department and you are a licensed roofer and the president of Southeast Roofers, Inc. You want to know whether your company can become an authorized roofing contractor for Miami-Dade County and whether you can serve as the company's business qualifier.

I explained to you in a conversation we had on Friday, July 27, 2007 that you must not appear before a County board/committee or meet with County staff on behalf of your company. You assured me that any interaction with the County would be handled by your business partner, Robert Perez. Therefore, it would not be a conflict of interest for your company to transact business with Miami-Dade County. Moreover, any documents or paperwork that the company needs to file with the County can have your signature on it, but any discussions relative to these documents should not involve you.

Finally, you must receive permission from the Water and Sewer Department to engage in outside employment and all County employees with outside employment are also required to file an income disclosure statement.

If you have any additional questions, feel free 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: Jess [mailto:jessie323@yahoo.com]
Sent: Monday, July 30, 2007 4:54 PM
To: Meyers, Robert (COE)
Subject: Request of Opinion Approval

Robert good afternoon my name is Jesus Sanchez Business Qualifier for Southeast Roofers Inc. We spoke on Friday July 27,07, and you agreed to approve my request as long as I remained strictly as the "paper pusher" and not to be interacting with the county bidding; infact, Robert Perez will be the sales Rep for Southeast Roofers Inc. If you need additional information On Mr.Perez please contact me at 954-297-2443.

As I recall if I did not see anything from you on Monday that I should send a reminder. Thanks again...

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Southeast Roofers Inc.

To: Miami-Dade County Commission of Ethics
Attn: Robert Meyers
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Miami, Florida 33130

Dear Sirs,

My name is Jesus Sanchez (ID#00028017). I am currently employed with Miami Dade County Water and Sewer Department (Pump Station Maintenance Division) as a Plant Maintenance Supervisor. I am a licensed roofer and President of Southeast Roofers Inc.

This letter serves as a request of opinion to allow my company to become an authorized Roofing Contractor for Miami Dade County. Southeast Roofers is a fully staffed roofing company; and my primary role is the Business Qualifier. As a Business Qualifier my duties include but are not limited to reviewing documents, signing permits and preparing payroll. I feel that my role with Southeast will not be a conflict of interest because my tasks are performed after working hours and occasionally weekends.

Should you require additional information I can be reached at the number listed above. Your prompt attention would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you,

Jesus Sanchez
President

Robert
Perez, Partner
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