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To: Sanchez, Rodzandra (COE)
Subject: Raul Aguila, City Attorney, City of Miami Beach (Affidavit under Section 2-11.1(bb))
Attachments: electedofficialsethicscourse.doc

INQ 15-265 Aguila

From: Centorino, Joseph (COE)
Sent: Thursday, November 19, 2015 11:18 AM
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Raul,

Section 2-11.1(bb) does not state that the requirement of an affidavit attesting to reading and complying with the Code of Ethics is limited to first-time elected officeholders. We have previously taken the position that the requirement for ethics training under the same section does apply to re-elected or unopposed incumbents. In order to be consistent, it is my opinion that the form should be filed by anyone elected or re-elected to office.

The form should be filed with the Ethics Commission prior to the official being sworn in. If the swearing in has already occurred, it should be filed as soon as possible.

Joe

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Thank you, Joe.

I assume from reading the County Code that this only applies to newly elected officials.

Since the Mayor has been re-elected, does he need to fill out a new one?

Also, is there a deadline for compliance?

Who do I send to upon completion?

Raul

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