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Thank you, Mr. Centorino.

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Mr. Singh:

This is in response to your Memorandum of July 25 regarding the background research conducted regarding the Appointment of Selection Committee for Miami-Dade Aviation Department Request to Advertise for Airport Wayfinding/Signage Design Services – Project No. A16-MDAD-04. You have indicated that Lissette Martinez, a member of the Selection Committee, listed on her resume her previous employment with M C Harry and Associates, a respondent for the project, between 1980 and 1982. I have reviewed your memorandum and spoken with Lissette Martinez regarding this matter.

Pursuant to Section 2-11.1(v) of the Miami-Dade County Ethics Ordinance, which governs voting conflicts on the part of members of County Advisory Boards, Ms. Martinez does not have a voting conflict of interest in participating and voting on this matter, inasmuch as she has no current employment or other relationship with M C Harry and Associates. The fact of her prior employment with a competing respondent could, under some circumstances, create an appearance of a conflict. However, inasmuch as Ms. Martinez worked for the company for only about two years, and the employment was about 35 years ago, it is my opinion that any such appearance would be highly unlikely. I see no problem with her participating and voting on this matter.

Sincerely,  
Joe Centorino

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This email is being sent to you on behalf of Mr. Neil R. Singh, Acting Commission Auditor.

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