



In Re:

Stephanie Bruder  
Frank Simone

C20-10-02

**Public Report and Final Order**

Complainant, Francis Neuhut (Neuhut), a resident of Bay Harbor Islands (BHI), filed this complaint against BHI Mayor Stephanie Bruder (Bruder) and City Attorney Frank Simone.

Legal sufficiency exists where there is an allegation of a violation of an ordinance within the jurisdiction of the Ethics Commission, purportedly committed by an individual within the authority of the Ethics Commission and filed with the Ethics Commission within three years of the alleged violation.

The matters alleged by Neuhut failed to state a cause of action concerning anything within the jurisdiction of the Ethics Commission. Accordingly, on March 11, 2020, the Ethics Commission agreed with the recommendation of the Advocate and General Counsel that this case should be dismissed for lack of legal sufficiency.

In open session, the Commission voted unanimously to enter a finding of No Legal Sufficiency and dismissed the complaint.

Wherefore, it is:

**ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that COMPLAINT C20-10-02 against Stephanie Bruder and Frank Simone is hereby dismissed.

**DONE AND ORDERED** by the Miami-Dade County Commission on Ethics & Public Trust in public session on this 11<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2020.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COMMISSION ON  
ETHICS & PUBLIC TRUST

By:

  
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Nelson C. Bellido, Esq.

Chairman

Signed on : 4/16/2020