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**Prkic, Christina (COE)**

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**From:** Webb, Hydi (Seaport)  
**Sent:** Thursday, December 30, 2004 10:58 AM  
**To:** Prkic, Christina (COE)  
**Cc:** Walker, Ardyth (COE); Kuryla, Juan  
**Subject:** RE: Shine Miami

I appreciate your immediate response. Of course, those attending the event will disclose the information on the appropriate forms.

All the best for a Happy New Year! Again, thank you.

Hydi

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**To:** Webb, Hydi (Seaport)  
**Cc:** Walker, Ardyth (COE); Kuryla, Juan (Seaport)  
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Hi Hydi:

You asked whether the Seaport may accept an overnight cruise from Celebrity Cruises to support the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. As similarly opined last month in RQO 04-195, the Code of Ethics permits the Seaport to accept the offer of three cabins on the cruise. However, the cruise is considered a gift; and therefore, the Seaport employees/personnel who attend must report the value of the cruise as a gift on the quarterly gift disclosure form. I will send you via fax the opinion 04-195 for your records.

Should you have any additional questions, you may call me or Ardyth Walker at (305) 350-0616.

Happy New Year.

Christina Prkic  
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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Webb, Hydi (Seaport)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 29, 2004 2:56 PM  
**To:** Prkic, Christina (COE)  
**Cc:** Walker, Ardyth (COE); Kuryla, Juan (Seaport)  
**Subject:** Shine Miami

Dear Christina:

Per our conversation, the Port of Miami would like to support Royal Caribbean and Celebrity Cruises in their annual Shine Miami fundraiser. The port is paying \$5,000 for this sponsorship which will benefit the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation and the United Way of Miami-Dade. The event is being spearheaded by Jack Williams, President & COO of Royal Caribbean International. We try to support our customers, the cruise lines, whenever possible.

Celebrity Cruises is having an overnight cruise on one of their vessels to host all sponsors. Thus, the port is being offered three cabins (6 guests) for its donation. Please note, this sponsorship is being paid out of our promotional funds and our attendance would be to represent the port and network with industry executives as part of our ongoing customer relations.

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This event is similar to the one recently approved by your office in conjunction with Carnival Cruise Lines for the Camillus House.

Your response back is greatly appreciated.

Best regards,  
Hydi

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