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**MIAMI-DADE COUNTY
COMMISSION ON ETHICS & PUBLIC TRUST**

In re: Commissioner Sally Heyman

Case No: 06-39

PUBLIC REPORT AND ORDER DISMISSING COMPLAINT

Jay Beskin filed the above-captioned complaint against Commissioner Sally Heyman ("Respondent") for alleged violation of Statement 11 (use of campaign material that falsifies, distorts or misrepresents facts) of the Fair Campaign Practices ordinance. The complaint arose out of a letter to the Neighbors section of the Miami Herald from Heyman regarding an article on Beskin. Heyman challenged certain of the statements regarding Beskin and his record. Beskin alleged that Heyman's letter mischaracterized his record.

On October 30, 2006, the Advocate made a Motion to Dismiss, *ore tenus*, on the grounds that the Respondent had not been notified within the time limit established by Section 2-1074 (a) (2) of the Code of Miami-Dade County.

On October 30, 2006, after reviewing the complaint and being otherwise advised in the premises, the Ethics Commission granted the Advocate's Motion to Dismiss without prejudice on the grounds that notification was not made within the required time limits. Therefore it is:

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED THAT the Complaint is
DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE.

DONE AND ORDERED by the Miami-Dade Commission on Ethics and Public Trust in public session on October 30, 2006.

**MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COMMISSION
ON ETHICS AND PUBLIC TRUST**

By: 

Kerry Rosenthal
Chairperson

cc: Commissioner Sally Heyman
Jay Beskin