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

In re: NATHANIEL BELCHER

C 11-05

PUBLIC REPORT AND FINAL ORDER

The ASSISTANT ADVOCATE for the Commission on Ethics filed the above-referenced COMPLAINT against RESPONDENT Nathaniel Belcher for allegedly violating the Miami-Dade County Ethics Code at Sec. 2-11.1 (i)(1). Specifically, the COMPLAINT claimed that RESPONDENT failed to file a financial disclosure form for the year 2008 while serving on the City of Miami's Parks and Recreation Advisory Board. As a board member in 2008, he was required to file by July 1, 2009.

Pursuant to the Code of Miami-Dade County at Sec. 2-1068, the jurisdiction of the Ethics Commission extends "to any person required to comply with the County or municipal Code of Ethics Ordinances...."

On April 28, 2011, in public session, the ASSISTANT ADVOCATE reported that previous notices regarding financial disclosure requirements had been sent to the wrong address. Once the address was corrected and actual notice was given, RESPONDENT complied immediately. Consequently, the Ethics Commission found that the public interest would not be served by proceeding further in this matter and granted the ASSISTANT ADVOCATE'S VOLUNTARY MOTION TO DISMISS.¹

Therefore it is:


¹ The Ethics Commission may, at its discretion, discharge a COMPLAINT at any stage of disposition, as per the County Code at Sec. 2-1074 (s).

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED THAT COMPLAINT C 11-05 is hereby DISMISSED.

DONE AND ORDERED by the Miami-Dade County Commission on Ethics & Public Trust in public session on April 28, 2011.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COMMISSION ON
ETHICS & PUBLIC TRUST

By:



Dawn E. Addy
Chair

Signed on this date: 5/6/11