

Frigo, Victoria (COE)

From: Frigo, Victoria (COE)
Sent: Monday, March 29, 2010 9:57 AM
To: Jones, Othello L. (WASD)
Subject: RE: Conflict of Interest

Mr. Jones,

I'm sorry I cannot answer your question with a simple yes or no.

First, the Ethics Commission can only give advisory opinions to the individuals directly involved in the matter. In the question you asked, we would need to receive a request in writing (emails are OK) directly from either the affected employee and/or the supervisory. Also, we would need to have the complete facts of the case before us, especially, the employee's duties with the county, whether the vendor does business with the employee's department, and similar specifics.

Finally, regardless of the opinion of the Ethics Commission, permission to engage in outside employment ultimately resides with the employee's supervisor.

If you would like to discuss this at greater length, please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

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From: Jones, Othello L. (WASD)
Sent: Thursday, March 25, 2010 12:34 PM
To: Frigo, Victoria (COE)
Cc: Meyers, Robert (COE)
Subject: Conflict of Interest

I would like to know if an employee, who works with Miami Dade County and they would like to do Outside Employment with a contractor who is contracted with MDC, can he work on his own time with this contractor?
Please advise

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