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I received a call from Commissioner Bovo's legislative aid. She stated that Hialeah Dade Development is the agency that awards mom and pop grants in Hialeah. They are putting together an event in order to announce the grant recipients that have been chosen and, since Commissioner Bovo's district includes Hialeah, they have asked him to attend the event. She wanted to know whether he is allowed to attend and whether anything consumed by him would be a reportable gift. I told her that his attendance falls under our definition of "official capacity" and therefore he may attend and does not need to report anything consumed over \$100 (although it is doubtful that his consumption would surpass that amount).

Thanks,

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