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Summary of Palm Beach County Commission on Ethics Public Hearing Held on January 19, 2021

The Palm Beach County Commission on Ethics (COE) hearing officer took the following actions at the public hearing held on January 19, 2021.

At the public hearing for C19-006, the COE advocate and respondent's attorney submitted a negotiated settlement to the COE hearing officer. Pursuant to the negotiated settlement, respondent admitted to violating Section 2-443(b), *Corrupt misuse of official position*, and that the violation was intentional. Respondent agreed to a Letter of Reprimand and an Order for a Fine. The hearing officer accepted the conditions of the negotiated settlement. The hearing officer found that the violation was intentional, issued a Letter of Reprimand, and ordered the respondent to pay a fine of \$100.

The complete files are published on the COE website at:

<http://www.palmbeachcountyetics.com/complaints.htm>.

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