SUNSHINE ORDINANCE TASK FORCE



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ORDER OF DETERMINATION June 29, 2015

DATE DECISION ISSUED June 3, 2015

CASE TITLE - Michael Petrelis v. President London Breed, Board of Supervisors (File No. 15060)

FACTS OF THE CASE

Micahel Petrelis (Complainant) made a complaint alleging that President London Breed, Board of Supervisors, violated Administrative Code (Sunshine Ordinance), Sections 67.21 and 67.25, by failing to respond to an Immediate Disclosure Request in a timely and a complete manner.

COMPLAINT FILED

On April 28, 2015, Mr. Petrelis filed a complaint with the Sunshine Ordinance Task Force (SOTF) regarding the alleged violation.

HEARING ON THE COMPLAINT

On June 3, 2015, the SOTF held a hearing on the matter. Michael Petrelis (Complainant) provided an overview of the complaint and requested the SOTF find violations. There was no representative in attendance to present President Breed's position. However, the Respondent did provide a response via email stating that the Immediate Disclosure Request was responded to in a timely manner.

As a representative from President Breed's Office was not present to answer question the SOTF could not determine if Administrative Code (Sunshine Ordinance), Sections 67.21 and 67.25, were violated. Therefore, a violation of Sunshine Ordinance, Section 67.21(e), was found for failure to send a knowledgeable representative to the SOTF hearing.

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSION OF LAW

The SOTF could not make a determination regarding the complaint against President Breed and found Administrative Code (Sunshine Ordinance), Section 67.21(e) applicable for failure to send a knowledgeable representative to the SOTF hearing.

DECISION AND ORDER OF DETERMINATION

The SOTF finds President London Breed, Board of Supervisors, in violation of Administrative Code (Sunshine Ordinance), Section 67.21(e), for failure to send a knowledgeable representative to the SOTF hearing.

As the SOTF could not determine if President Breed violated addition provisions of the Sunshine Ordinance due to the lack of the testimony of a knowledgeable representative, the matter shall be referred to the Compliance and Amendments Committee (CAC) for additional review. It is requested that President Breed send a knowledgeable representative to the CAC hearing.

This Order of Determination was adopted by the Sunshine Ordinance Task Force on June 3, 2015, by the following vote:

Ayes: 7 - Pilpel, Hepner, Haines, Fischer, Hinze, Hyland, Washburn

Noes: 0 - None

Absent: 2 - Chopra, Wolf

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Allyson Washburn, Chair

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