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CC: Dennis Wilberg, Irwin Bornstein
Date: Wednesday - July 21, 2004
Subject: Vice Mayor Kelley Ambulance Contract

Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council,

Vice Mayor Kelley's son, Mark, has been hired as an emergency medical technician/ambulance attendant for Medix Ambulance Service. I advised Vice Mayor Kelley that she will need to abstain from participating in the Council deliberations selecting an emergency ambulance provider for the City under Government Code Sections 87100 and 87103 since Medix has made a proposal for that contract. She asked me to send this to you to explain why she will be abstaining from this agenda item.

Mark Kelley lives at home and is claimed as a dependent for tax purposes by Vice Mayor Kelley and her husband. Therefore, under the Political Reform Act, Vice Mayor Kelley's son's income is treated as her income for purposes of disqualification. By the time the matter is considered by the Council on August 16, 2004, Mark can be expected to earn more than \$500, which is the threshold amount for disqualification based on a source of income.

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