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James R. Thompson Center
Murdock Room - DHS
100 W. Randolph Street, Suite 5-300
Chicago, Illinois 60601

and

Lincoln Land Training Center
130 West Mason Street, Room 104
Springfield, IL 62702

Meeting of Panel B
July 14, 2010
10:30 a.m.

MINUTES

Present: Commissioners

David Chang (Panel Chair)
Marylee V. Freeman (via telephone)
Charles E. Box

Staff

Harriet Parker
Donyelle L. Gray
Evelio Mora
N. Keith Chambers
Sun Hee Choi (Coles Fellow)
Casey E. Fundarek (Coles Fellow)
Edward C. Young (Coles Fellow)
Rashidat Ogbara (Coles Fellow)
Bricia Herrera
Victoria Morales (Student Intern)

I. Call to Order.

A meeting of Human Rights Commission Panel B was called to order on July 14, 2010, at 10:30 a.m. by Panel Chair David Chang.

Pursuant to the Illinois Open Meetings Act, 5 ILCS 120/1 et seq., it was determined that:

1) A quorum of the public body was present at the meeting.

2) Prior to the meeting, Commissioner Freeman gave *notice (and good cause as defined by the Illinois Open Meetings Act)* to the General Counsel and Secretary of the Public Body, Harriet Parker, that she would be unable to be physically

present for the July 14, 2010, meeting. The Panel voted to allow Commissioner Freeman to participate via telephone. Motion made by Commissioner Chang, seconded by Commissioner Box. Motion carried 2-0.

II. Consideration of Minutes.

The minutes of the meeting of June 9, 2010, were approved as submitted by staff. Motion made by Commissioner Box, seconded by Commissioner Freeman. Motion carried 3-0.

III. Requests for Review

- A. *Mert Martin v. Rock Island Integrated Services*
Charge No.: 2009CA0918 ALS No.: 09-0729

As per the Department of Human Right's request the Panel vacated and remanded Counts A through C of the charge in the above-referenced matter to the Department for further investigation. The Panel sustained the dismissal of Counts D through F of the charge for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Box, seconded by Commissioner Freeman. Motion carried 3-0.

- B. *Rufina Guerrero v. Mead Westvaco Consumer Packaging Group, LLC*
Charge No.: 2009CF2110 ALS No.: 09-0735

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Jurisdiction and Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Freeman, seconded by Commissioner Box. Motion carried 3-0.

- C. *Margaret Dunn v. 1. Michael Kotz; 2. Theodoros Touzios*
Charge No.: 2009CH4034 ALS No.: 09-0734

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Box, seconded by Commissioner Freeman. Motion carried 3-0.

- D. *Alice Washington v. State of Illinois Office of the Appellate Defender*
Charge No.: 2008CF2235 ALS No.: 09-0739

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Box, seconded by Commissioner Freeman. Motion carried 3-0.

- E. *Denetria Adams v. MV Transportation, Incorporated*
Charge No.: 2008CF3233 ALS No.: 09-0741

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Jurisdiction. Motion made by Commissioner Freeman, seconded by Commissioner Box. Motion carried 3-0.

F. Yvonne Bailey v. 1. Linda Bailey; 2. Richlin Properties, LLC
Charge No.: 2010SH0465 ALS No.: 09-0743

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Box, seconded by Commissioner Freeman. Motion carried 3-0.

IV. Petition to Enforce Settlement and Agreement for Housing Charges

Michael Sluiter v. Terrace Maintenance Association
Charge No.: 2008CH1709 ALS No.: 08-0369

The Panel voted to grant the above-referenced Petition. Motion made by Commissioner Freeman, seconded by Commissioner Box. Motion carried 3-0.

V. Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:35 a.m. Motion made by Commissioner Box, seconded by Commissioner Freeman. Motion carried 3-0.

Respectfully submitted,

Harriet Parker
General Counsel