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TO: Public Ethics Commission
FROM: Daniel Purnell
DATE: January 4, 2010 (Held Over To February 1, 2010)

RE: A Staff Report And Action To Be Taken Regarding Proposed Amendments To O.M.C. Chapter 2.24 (Powers And Duties Of The Public Ethics Commission)

At its meeting of December 7, 2009, the Commission focused its discussion on proposed Section 2.24.050, "Commissioner Qualifications and Restrictions." Specifically, the Commission considered language proposed by the MGO Democratic Club and alternative language submitted by staff. Following public comment and debate, the Commission came to a resolution regarding the language that it would consider recommending to the City Council for adoption. The Commission requested staff to attach a complete "redline" version of all amendments for its final review at tonight's meeting.

Commission staff recommends that the Commission make any final changes to the attached redline and to direct staff to forward the proposal to the City Council for adoption.

Respectfully submitted,

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