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## BEFORE THE STATE OF FLORIDA COMMISSION ON ETHICS

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## CONFIDENTIAL

In re DOUG UNDERHILL,	)	
Respondent.	)	Complaint No. 20-103
	)	
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## DETERMINATION OF INVESTIGATIVE JURISDICTION AND ORDER TO INVESTIGATE

UPON REVIEW of this complaint, I find as follows:

- 1. This complaint was filed by John F. Stenicka, of Pensacola, Florida.
- 2. The Respondent, Doug Underhill, allegedly serves as a County Commissioner for Escambia County.
- 3. The complaint alleges that the Respondent publicly shared and/or published the minutes of private and confidential meetings of the Board of County Commissioners. The complaint claims the meetings concerned upgrading a water/sewer system, and that the Respondent knew, or should have known, the minutes were private and confidential at the time that he publicly released them. These allegations indicate possible violations of Sections 112.313(6) and 112.313(8), Florida Statutes, by the Respondent.

WHEREFORE, staff of the Commission on Ethics shall conduct a preliminary investigation of this complaint for a probable cause determination of whether the Respondent has

violated Sections 112.313(6) and 112.313(8), Florida Statutes, as set forth in paragraph 3, above.

Date

C. Christopher Anderson, III

Executive Director

Florida Commission on Ethics

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