Report on actions taken by the Rhode Island Ethics Commission in Executive Session held on June 28, 2022:

- 1. Unanimously voted (5-0) to approve the minutes of the Executive Session held on June 7, 2022.
- 2. Voted (4-1) in the matter of <u>In re: Frank Picozzi</u>, Complaint No. 2022-4, to initially determine that the Complaint fails to state facts sufficient to constitute a violation of the Code of Ethics and to dismiss the Complaint.

[Reporter's Note: The votes were as follows:

Upon motion made by Commissioner Palumbo and duly seconded by Commissioner Jones, it was

VOTED: To initially determine that the Complaint states facts that, if true, are

sufficient to constitute a violation of the Code of Ethics and to authorize a

full investigation.

AYES: Kyle P. Palumbo.

NOES: Marisa A. Quinn; Arianne Corrente; Lauren E. Jones; and Matthew D.

Strauss.

The motion failed. Upon motion made by Commissioner Jones and duly seconded by Commissioner Corrente, it was

VOTED: To initially determine that the Complaint fails to state facts sufficient to

constitute a violation of the Code of Ethics and to dismiss the Complaint.

AYES: Marisa A. Ouinn; Arianne Corrente; Lauren E. Jones; and Matthew D.

Strauss.

NOES: Kyle P. Palumbo.

The motion carried and the Complaint was dismissed.]

- 3. Annual discussion and review re: Legal Counsel's contract. No action was taken.
- 4. Unanimously voted (5-0) to return to Open Session.