BOARD OF ETHICS 888 Washington Blvd Stamford, CT 06904

September 29, 1995

Mr. Stephen Lesando

Dear Mr. Lesando:

The Board of Ethics received a request from Annie Summerville, of the Board of Representatives, to determine whether there would be any conflict of interest should you be appointed to the Parks and Recreation Commission.

The question arises from the fact that you are employed from time to time by the Board of Education to act as an official (umpire, referee, etc.) at high school sporting events.

The Board of Ethics met with you on September 27, 1995 to discuss this matter. The Board decided that the fact that you are a city employee does not, by itself, disqualify you from serving on a Board or Commission.

Since the Parks & recreation Commission is a policy setting group, there would be no conflict in your serving on it. However, in the event that you or anyone involved in a game which you are officiating is engaged in a dispute that comes before your Commission for adjudication, you would be required to recuse yourself.

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Chairman

Board of Ethics

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cc: Lois Pont-Briant, Town Clerk

Annie Summerville, Board of Representatives
Board of Ethics