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## VIA CERTIFIED MAIL

REF: Complaint of July 1, 2014, against Mr. Dale D. Berkley, Esq., and Ms. Elizabeth Dickenson, Esq., licensed attorneys practicing law in the District of Columbia

Dear Mr. Shipp:

We are in receipt of a letter from the Honorable Eric T. Washington dated January 22, 2015. In his letter Chief Judge Washington advises us that we may now proceed on the well-founded assumption that the discipline authorities are acting with the utmost good faith in this matter.

Therefore, please find enclosed a copy of the detailed investigation of the matter of FoodQuestTQ LLC, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and the Department of Health and Human Services for your perusal. Sections of the report most directly related to the alleged misconduct of Mr. Berkley and Ms. Dickinson have been highlighted.

The enclosed report is accompanied by a comprehensive computerized library of exhibits. I have already sent a link to Dropbox.com to Ms. Cassis. By simply clicking on the link the D.C. office of Bar Counsel will be able to access all of the exhibits to the report.

In summary, FoodQuestTQ LLC charges of ethical misconduct by Ms. Dickinson and Mr. Berkley are set forth in the table below. These and additional violations of ethical conduct by Ms. Dickenson and Mr. Berkley are fully explained in the attached report. Each charge is fully supported by the evidentiary exhibits to the report.

Action	Citation
Intentional abandonment of their duty of good faith and fair dealing in their interactions with FoodQuestTQ LLC	Exhibit 5
Breach of implied contract to mediate the dispute for the purposes of committing fraud	
Failure to recuse	
Intentional engagement in a direct and actual conflict of	5 CFR 2635 Subpart A
interest	
Violations of procurement integrity law	5 CFR Subpart E
Conspiracy to commit offense to defraud the U.S. Government	18 USC §1801
The intentional use of intimidation, coercion and extortion to silence FoodQuestTQ LLC	18 USC §1961 et seq

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Obstruction of justice by conducting an unlawful investigation		
Unlawful extension of lawyer-client privilege to prevent the	Exhibits 30 and 31	
disclosure of felonious crimes		
Defamation of FoodQuestTQ by falsely stating that	Exhibit 5	
FoodQuestTQ refused to cooperate in the matter		
Spoliation of evidence to obstruct justice	Exhibit 61	
Violations of the Code of Ethics for Government Service	PL 96-303	
Violation of the Racketeer Influenced and Corruption Organizations Act (RICO)	18 USC §1861 et seq	
Violation of anti-trust law	15 USC §§1-7 and 18 USC §1031	
Intentional interference with commerce through intimidation,	Hobbs Act; 18 USC	
coercion and extortion	§1031	
Mail and wire fraud	18 USC §1343	
The misappropriation of intellectual property to include copyrights and patent	18 USC § 654 et al	
The theft of trade secrets	41 USC §423; 18 USC §1905	
Failure as attorneys working for the Federal Government to act in an impartial manner	5 CFR Subpart E	
Failure to place their loyalty to the Constitution of the United Sates above their loyalty to their Federal Departments	PL 96-303	
Misuse of their positions of authority within the U.S. Government	5 CFR Subpart G	
Failure to uphold the Constitution, laws and regulations of the United States	PL 96-303	
Acting as parties to the evasion of the Constitution, laws and regulations of the United States		
Failure to expose corruption		
Failure to uphold the ethical principles of Federal employee conduct		
Misprision of felony	18 USC §4	
Failure to refer criminal activity to the Office of Inspector General HHS for criminal investigation	Exhibit 30	
Use of collusion, deceit and deception to violate FoodQuestTQ's civil rights	18 USC §§1801, 1961 et seq	
Other violations of law as specified in the attached confidential report of investigation prepared by FoodQuestTQ LLC at the request of the FBI		

Please contact me by return mail to confirm that you have received this letter and the Dropbox link we have provided to Ms. Cassis. Thank-you.

Sincerely,

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