

BERNALILLO COUNTY CODE OF CONDUCT REVIEW BOARD

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Complainant,

v.

Wayne Johnson,

Respondent.

No. SC2018-001

**FINAL DECISION AND ORDER**

THIS MATTER came before the Bernalillo County Code of Conduct Review Board (Board) on Wednesday, June 20, 2018, and the Board taking into consideration argument by the parties and the previous findings and conclusions of the Board on the Complaint filed on January 9, 2018, FINDS:

1. The Respondent violated Sec. 2-130(h)(2) of the Bernalillo County Code of Conduct Ordinance (Ordinance).
2. The Board recognizes the testimony of the Respondent that he believed the Ordinance did not apply in this circumstance to this contractor. The Board had a different opinion and found a violation of the Code of Conduct for this contribution. Historically, the Board has not imposed sanctions when a violation has occurred, but has been cured.

The Board hereby ORDERS:

1. The Board imposes a civil fine of \$1,000.00 and a public censure on the Respondent. If the excess contribution of \$1,500.00 is returned to the Donor within thirty (30) days of entry of this Order then there will be no imposition of sanctions for this violation.

2. Should the Respondent choose to reimburse the excess contribution, written documentation evidencing such payment is be provided to the Compliance Office. If notification is not received by the Compliance Office within five (5) days of the deadline, then the Board will proceed with the sanctions.



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Peter Vredenburg, Acting Chair  
Bernalillo County Code of Conduct Review Board

June 25, 2018  
Date