

SUMMARY EXPLANATION AND BACKGROUND CONTINUED

The Firm has filed the attached conflict of interest waiver request seeking The School Board's waiver of any actual or potential conflicts of interest in its representation of Juul Labs, Inc. (and/or its related persons and entities) (collectively, "JLI"). In its request, the Firm advises that it also represents JLI in a number of matters. This includes litigation brought by BCPS and others that challenges JLI's marketing and sales practices pertaining to its JUUL products.

The General Counsel's office and Cadre attorneys representing The School Board in its litigation against "JLI" have reviewed the request and have no objection to same. Furthermore, Rule 4-1.7(b) prohibits a lawyer from using any information relating to the representation of a client to the detriment of the client's interests without further informed consent by the client.

A Conflict of Waiver acknowledgment form is attached for execution by the Chair and the Superintendent should the waiver request be approved.

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