



State of New Hampshire

GENERAL COURT

LEGISLATIVE ETHICS COMMITTEE

State House - Room 112
Concord, NH 03301-4951

July 7, 2006

Honorable Jordan G. Ulery
PO Box 15
Hudson NH 03051-0015

Re: Complaint #2005-4

Dear Representative Ulery:

At its meeting on July 6, 2006, the Legislative Ethics Committee voted unanimously (5-0) to adopt the enclosed "Proposal for Informal Resolution of Complaint #2005-4," as a resolution to the complaint.

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. Hilliard", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Russell F. Hilliard
Chairman

Enclosure

cc: Timothy F. Hefferan, Nashua Police Chief
Members of the Legislative Ethics Committee

Proposal for Informal Resolution of Complaint #2005-4

The parties in the complaint, Representative Jordan G. Ulery, the respondent, and Nashua Police Chief Timothy F. Hefferan, the complainant, and 3 members of the Nashua Police Department: James J. Stone, Special Officer, Michael Masella, Sergeant, and Bruce E. Hansen, Lieutenant, met on May 31, 2006, and had a frank exchange on the matters relating to *Complaint #2004-5*.

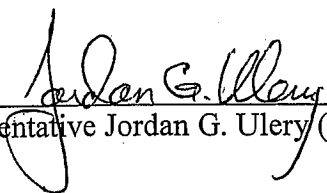
During the course of the two-hour session, it was clear that the parties' accounts of the events which occurred in the encounters between the Nashua Police officers and Representative Ulery on September 20, 2005, remain sharply in dispute, particularly with respect to statements allegedly made by Representative Ulery to the officers. In dispute is whether Representative Ulery asserted that he had been engaged in "official business" as a state legislator when, in fact, he was engaged in private investigative work, and his statement to the officers that they would be "in trouble" if they detained him.

Representative Ulery apologized for any misunderstanding that may have occurred and indicated that he had not intended to interfere with the proper and efficient operation of the Nashua Police Department. Representative Ulery recognizes that, as an elected official, he has a responsibility to conduct himself in manner that avoids even the perception of intimidating or influencing other public officials in the performance of their duties.

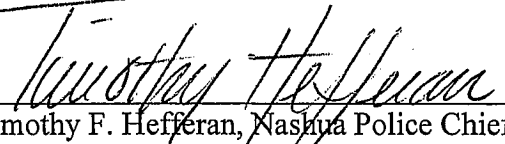
The parties have agreed to this joint statement as an informal resolution of the above matter.

Dated at Concord, New Hampshire, this 26th day of June, 2006.

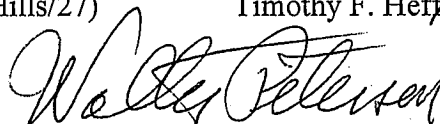
Respectfully submitted,



Representative Jordan G. Ulery (Hills/27)



Timothy F. Hefferan, Nashua Police Chief



Governor Walter Peterson