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Sent: Monday, November 25, 2024 9:24 AM
To: Steve Berlin <Steve.Berlin@cityofchicago.org>
Subject: Re: Ethics Approval/Notification of Travel

Good morning,

I returned from Atlanta Ga on Tuesday November 19, 2024. I was there in my official capacity speaking at 2 conferences held on Nov 17-19 hosted by FRA conferences- The Women in Law Enforcement Summit and the Mental Health and Wellness Summit held at the Grand Hyatt Buckhead. My hotel was covered by the conference organizers. No compensation was received. All other travel and daily expenses were paid by myself.

Thank you,

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From: Linas, Melinda M. <melinda.linas@chicagopolice.org>
Sent: Thursday, October 10, 2024 12:29 PM
To: Steve Berlin <Steve.Berlin@cityofchicago.org>
Subject: Ethics Approval/Notification of Travel

Good Afternoon,

I wanted to notify you that I will be travelling to Atlanta, GA in November of this year because I have been invited to speak at the Mental Health and Wellness Policing Summit hosted by the FRA.

The conference is covering the cost of the hotel, and I will not have to pay the conference fee because I will be a speaker at the conference. I am covering the cost of my airfare. I am not seeking any reimbursement from anyone at the FRA or CPD.

I was instructed to reach out to you to ensure there is no conflict of interest or ethics issues that I'm not aware of. If more information is needed, please let me know.

Thank you,

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