



Business & Consumer Affairs Subcommittee

Action Packet

**Tuesday, January 11, 2011
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
116 Knott**

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT
Business & Consumer Affairs Subcommittee

1/11/2011 9:00:00AM

Location: 116 Knott Building

Summary: No Bills Considered

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Attendance:

	<i>Present</i>	<i>Absent</i>	<i>Excused</i>
Esteban Bovo, Jr. (Chair)	X		
Joseph Abruzzo	X		
Larry Ahern	X		
Frank Artiles	X		
Steve Crisafulli	X		
Eric Eisnaugle	X		
Tom Goodson	X		
Mia Jones	X		
Jeanette Nufiez	X		
Jimmy Patronis	X		
Kenneth Roberson	X		
Darryl Rouson	X		
Irving Slosberg	X		
Cynthia Stafford	X		
Dana Young	X		
Totals:	15	0	0

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Other Business Appearance:

Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services

Jay Levenstein, Deputy Commissioner (State Employee) (At Request Of Chair) - Information Only

Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services

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Department of Business and Professional Regulation

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“Lighter Touch” Regulation

- Triage all cases via Mediation Unit
 - Mediate if parties agree
 - Spend our investigative time on serious issues
- Progressive Sanctions
 - Lightest touch = Notice of non-compliance (NNC)
 - Instructive touch = Cease and Desist Order (C&D)
 - Sanction – Administrative Complaint (AC)
 - Fine
 - Suspension
 - Revocation
- Referral to State Attorney for Criminal Prosecution
- At all stages the parties are encouraged to “work it out” through mediation