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FRANKFORT, KY – At its January 18, 2023 meeting, the Executive Branch Ethics Commission ("the Commission) found Jennifer Linton of Frankfort, Kentucky, in violation of KRS Chapter 11A, the Executive Branch Code of Ethics.

In a Settlement Agreement approved by the Commission, Ms. Linton admitted to two (2) counts of violating the Code of Ethics. Specifically, Ms. Linton engaged in a financial transaction with a subordinate employee for an amount greater than \$100.00.

Pursuant to the Settlement Agreement, Ms. Linton agreed to pay a \$2,000.00 civil penalty, receive a public reprimand, and waive any right to appeal. The Commission concluded the matter by issuing an Agreed Final Order.