

Whether Old Port Cove Property Owners Association, Inc. may engage in lobbying the legislature to amend the Condominium Act directly or indirectly through an organization of condominium associations for a fee or at no cost under Sections 718.111(2) and 718.115, Florida Statutes.

A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Agency Clerk, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Florida Land Sales, Condominiums, and Mobile Homes, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2217.

Please refer all comments to: Janis Sue Richardson, Chief Assistant General Counsel, Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Florida Land Sales, Condominiums, and Mobile Homes, 1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2202.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Notices for the Department of Environmental Protection between December 28, 2001 and June 30, 2006, go to <http://www.dep.state.fl.us/> under the link or button titled "Official Notices."

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT The Board of Chiropractic Medicine has received the petition for declaratory statement from Alan Mandell, D.C. The petition seeks the agency's opinion as to the applicability of Section 460.403(9)(a), Florida Statutes, as it applies to the petitioner. With regard to the practice of chiropractic medicine.

A copy of the Petition for Declaratory Statement may be obtained by contacting: Joe Baker, Jr., Executive Director, Board of Chiropractic Medicine/MQA, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C07, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3253.

FINANCIAL SERVICES COMMISSION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Office of Financial Regulation has issued an order that disposes of the petition for declaratory statement that was filed on September 8, 2006, by SFTF, LLC d/b/a Ashley Furniture Homestore ("Ashley"). The petition requested a declaratory statement regarding whether, and to what extent, Ashley may, under the facts presented, charge its customers a fee in connection with the services it performs in establishing credit accounts on behalf of third-party finance companies that extend credit to customers purchasing home furnishings from Ashley. In response to the three issues presented by Ashley, the Office determined that (i) Part II, Chapter 520, Florida Statutes (2006), the Retail Installment Sales Act, applies to the transaction presented by

Ashley; (ii) because the Retail Installment Sales Act does apply, the issue regarding limitations contained in Section 516.031(3)(a), Florida Statutes (2006), appears moot; (iii) and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 520, Florida Statutes (2006), and based on the facts presented in the petition, Ashley may not charge its customers a fee in establishing credit accounts on behalf of third-party finance companies that extend credit to customers purchasing home furnishings from Ashley.

A copy of the order may be obtained from: William Oglo, Assistant General Counsel, Office of Financial Regulation, Office of General Counsel, Fletcher Building, 200 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0379.

Section VIII Notices of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding the Validity of Rules

Notice of Petition for Administrative Determination has been filed with the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

NONE

Notice of Disposition of Petition for Administrative Determination have been filed by the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

NONE

Section IX Notices of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Non-rule Policy Challenges

NONE

Section X Announcements and Objection Reports of the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee

NONE
