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VIA EMAIL: jethro@actionmill.com

Dear Mr. Jethro Heiko:

On Friday, June 12, 2009, you made certain comments under the heading "few things" in connection with an online blog thread/story titled "That Sweet City Council!" on the website www.YoungPhillyPolitics.com which contained malicious, false and defamatory statements regarding my client, Councilman Frank J. DiCicco. Specifically, inter alia, you assert that (1) Councilman DiCicco's "corruption" has led to a diminished waterfront in the City of Philadelphia, (2) my client is "the corrupt City Councilman in the First District", and (3) Councilman DiCicco allows "back-room deals and corruption" to dominate his approach to dealing with issues regarding City Planning.

These accusations by you against my client are false and malicious lies.

Demand is hereby made that you immediately publish a retraction of these false, defamatory and malicious statements in order to mitigate the damage that you have done to Councilman DiCicco, and that you apologize to him for their publication. The retraction and apology must be published with the same degree of prominence and repetition as the original statements, and subject to my prior approval of its content.

Additionally, I am demanding that you provide to me by 5:00 p.m., on Tuesday, June 16, 2009, any and all information that you relied on in making such false and malicious assertions.

Failure to respond by that date and time will be deemed a refusal to make any effort to mitigate the damage that you have caused.

Please advise me promptly as to your position on these demands.

Sincerely,

Christian A. DiCicco, Esquire

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Cc: Young Philly Politics.com Councilman Frank J. DiCicco