

## City of Atlanta Employee Pledge to Abide by the City's One-Year Cooling-Off Period

## **Representing Private Interests**

- I understand that the City of Atlanta has a one-year cooling-off period and that I may not appear before any city agency, including the City Council, on behalf of a private interest for one year after I leave city employment.
- I understand that during the one-year cooling-off period I may not be paid for services on behalf of any person or business in connection with any matter in which I was directly concerned, personally participated, actively considered, or gained knowledge while working as a city employee.

## **Filing Financial Disclosure Statements**

(Applies only to persons who are required to file the annual financial disclosure statement)

I understand that I must file the annual financial disclosure statement in the year after I leave city employment. If I am leaving my position prior to this year's filing deadline, I agree to file my statement on or before February 15th. If I am leaving after February 15th, I understand that I am required to file the statement next year.

I acknowledge that I have received a copy of the *Ethics Advisory on Post-Employment Rules*. Furthermore, I acknowledge that I have read this pledge; agree to file my financial disclosure statement, if required; and agree to abide by the city's one-year cooling-off period. I understand that I can seek advice from the Board of Ethics or Ethics Office if I need guidance on the post-employment rules.

Print Name	Date
Signature	Department

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