
**IN THE MATTER OF
STEVEN TUNNEY,
ASSISTANT DIVISION DIRECTOR,
NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT
OF HUMAN SERVICES**

STATE ETHICS COMMISSION

Commission Case NO. 08-20

DECISION

This matter arises from allegations that Steven Tunney, Assistant Director, New Jersey Department of Human Services, was involved in State matters concerning someone with whom he had a personal interest, used his position to give a subordinate unwarranted benefits, gave his subordinate inappropriate gifts for the office environment and disclosed confidential information to his subordinate, in violation of sections 23(e)(3), 23(e)(7) and/or 25 of the Conflicts of Interest Law and the recusal rule, *N.J.A.C. 19:61-7.4 et seq.*

After considering the results of an investigation into the allegations, the Commission **dismissed** the matter pursuant to *N.J.A.C. 19:61-3.1(g)*.

DECISION RENDERED BY THE
STATE ETHICS COMMISSION ON
THE 14th DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2021