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Revision to the Conflict of Interest Guidance Document

Consultant Advisory 2021-03, dated March 3, 2021 provided information on MDOT's revised Conflict of Interest Guidance Document. The purpose of the revised Conflict of Interest Guidance Document is to: bring the previous guidelines up to date; to document the revised process that must be used in determining whether a conflict of interest exists; and to ensure compliance with 23 CFR, Section 1.33 Conflicts of Interest.

Following the publication of Consultant Advisory 2021-03, subsequent discussions took place which resulted in a revision to the Conflict of Interest Guidance Document:

- The statement: "If the consultant or their affiliate provided or will provide services to a developer involving the same project", has been moved from the "**Examples of a Conflict of Interest**" section of the document, to become example number four under the section of the document "**The following are examples where the department will judge based on the circumstances whether a conflict of interest exists or not**".

To view the revised [Conflict of Interest Guidance Document](#), please visit MDOT's website.

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