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FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT**



**AB 1234 ETHICS TRAINING
PROOF OF PARTICIPATION**

Participant Name: *Stephen F. Smith*

Course Date, Location (circle one):

January 9, 2019 Brentwood, California

Eligible Credit: 2 Hours (Requires Attendance for Entire Session)

This course is an overview course on all public service ethics issues necessary to satisfy the requirements of Article 2.4 of Chapter 2 of Part 1 of Division 2 of Title 5 of the Government Code, including the following:

- Laws relating to personal financial gain by public servants, including, but not limited to, laws prohibiting bribery and conflict-of-interest laws.
- Laws relating to claiming perquisites ("perks") of office, including, but not limited to, gift and travel restrictions, prohibitions against the use of public resources for personal or political purposes, prohibitions against gifts of public funds, mass mailing restrictions, and prohibitions against acceptance of free or discounted transportation by transportation companies.
- Government transparency laws, including, but not limited to, financial interest disclosure requirements and open government laws.
- Laws relating to fair processes, including, but not limited to, common law bias prohibitions, due process requirements, incompatible offices, competitive bidding requirements for public contracts, and disqualification from participating in decisions affecting family members; and
- General ethical principles relating to public service.

Hanson Bridgett LLP, affirms that this course satisfies the guidelines issued by the Fair Political Practices Commission and Attorney General for course sufficiency and accuracy.

To be completed by participant:

By signing below, I certify that I signed in at this session, participated in the activity described above and am entitled to claim 2 ethics education credit hour(s).

Stephen F. Smith
Participant Signature

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