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PUZZLER APRIL 2022 Editor: Isaiah Tanenbaum SONGS (OF ETHICS)

(I Can't Get No) Satisfaction; (Don't Fear) The Reaper; (You Gotta Fight For) Your Right (To Party): lots of great song titles include parentheticals. But often, we only recall the shorter names, meaning key context gets lost to history. Fortunately, COIB's Song Title Research Unit has uncovered the original parentheticals to some of the most popular songs of the last 60 years, revealing the important ethics provisions that the artists were trying to convey.

Can you name these songs from the artist, year, and ethical parenthetical?

(At Least 1 Year After Leaving City Service) - Carly Rae Jepsen, 2012
(Typically Valued At \$50, So I Can't Accept It) - Leonard Skynyrd, 1973
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(But Am Prohibited From Publicly Divulging It) - Marvin Gaye, 1968
(Is Too Much To Accept As A Gratuity) - The Beatles, 1969
(Or Civil Penalties May Apply To Violations) - Fiona Apple, 1996
(Will Probably Require A Waiver To Drive) - Joni Mitchell, 1970
(As A Consultant, Under Substantially Similar Terms As Your Original City Employment) - The Jackson 5, 1969
'(Given To Him By A Vendor (Prohibited Gift)) - James Brown, 1966
OO' (Is Someone I Shouldn't Supervise) - Guns N'Roses, 1988
Now that you have the titles, unscramble the letters in the 14 red circles to reveal something whose use is governed to our law:
Send that term to contest@coib.nyc.gov by Friday, May 6th. We'll randomly select one cor-

rect entrant to feature in next month's Public Service Puzzler!

WINNING CAPTION



I'm sorry Frank, but our agency calculates the Post-Employment Appearance Ban in dog years.

- Luke Szabados, Department of Buildings

MEET LUKE SZABADOS

What is your City/office title? Community Engagement Liaison, Department of Buildings. What do you do in your job? Coordinate with intergovernmental and external stakeholders to resolve complaints.



How long have you worked for the City? Approximately 3 years, 8 months, 22 days, give or take a few hours.

Name a special interest or hobby (and why you enjoy it): Ceramics. It's great as a way to balance the work day, plus I can always use an extra planter or two.

What's your favorite part of City service? Constituent services. It's endlessly interesting and always something new. It feels good to help people and collaborate within a dynamic team.