

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER  
OFFICE OF TAX AND REVENUE



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**REGULATORY RESTRICTIONS ON CERTAIN DISTRICT GOVERNMENT  
EMPLOYEES PARTICIPATION IN REAL PROPERTY TAX SALES**

Section 340 in Chapter 3 of Title 9 D.C.M.R. prohibits certain employees of the District government from participating in the District's annual real property tax sale in order to prevent an actual or apparent conflict of interest relating to real property tax sales.

District of Columbia government employees and contractors, or the family members or business associates of District government employees and contractors, under the following classifications or employed in the following offices or positions, are prohibited from participating in any tax sale:

- (a) Executive Service employees;
- (b) Office of the City Administrator;
- (c) Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development, and the following subordinate organizations thereunder: Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs, Department of Housing and Community Development, and the Office of Planning;
- (d) Office of the Chief Financial Officer; and
- (e) Mayor, Councilmember, Advisory Neighborhood Commissioner, or a staff member thereof.