



California Fair Political Practices Commission

September 13, 1988

Honorable Ralph O. Hill
Mayor
68 Washington Street
P.O. Box 1293
San Juan Bautista, CA 95045-1293

Re: Our File No. I-88-354

Dear Mayor Hill:

You have asked whether a reserve police officer who is a candidate for city council would be required to resign from the police force if elected to the city council.

The Commission provides written advice to any person whose duties under the Act are in question, or to his or authorized representative. (Section 83114(b).) Your inquiry does not appear to be authorized by the candidate in question. Therefore, we must decline to provide specific advice in response to your question. (Regulation 18329, copy enclosed.)

For your information, we have enclosed an advice letter and a pamphlet concerning the conflict-of-interest provisions of the Act.

Sincerely,

Diane M. Griffiths
General Counsel

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kathryn E. Donovan".

By: Kathryn E. Donovan
Counsel, Legal Division

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Enclosures

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Dear Ms. KATHY E. DONOVAN
Council : Legal Division

In our November City Election, one of the candidates is employed (PART-TIME) as a Reserve Police OFFICER (A PAID EMPLOYEE). IF this person is elected to the City Council in November 1988 would he have to resign from the police force?

Sincerely yours
Ralph O. Hill
Mayor San Juan Bautista