



California Fair Political Practices Commission

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Robert E. Leidigh
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Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Letters No. 89-247 and 248

Dear Mr. Leidigh:

Your letter requesting advice under the Political Reform Act was received on April 20, 1989 by the Fair Political Practices Commission. You have requested confirmation of telephone advice provided to you by the Technical assistance and Analysis division, and you have requested written advice on related issues, more appropriately handled by the Legal Division. Accordingly, we have decided to treat your letter as two separate requests.

We will try to confirm your telephone advice as soon as possible. If we determine that a more extensive analysis is necessary, we will contact you. If you have any questions about this portion of your request, please contact Jeanne Pritchard, Chief of the Technical Assistance and Analysis Division. Our file number for this part is 89-247.

If you have any questions concerning the remainder of your request, you may contact Margaret Ellison an attorney in the Legal Division, directly at (916) 322-5901. Our file number for this part is 89-248.

We try to answer all advice requests promptly. Therefore, unless your request poses particularly complex legal questions, or more information is needed, you should expect a response within 21 working days if your request seeks formal written advice. If more information is needed, the person assigned to prepare a response to your request will contact you shortly to advise you as to information needed. If your request is for informal assistance, we will answer it as quickly as we can. (See Commission Regulation 18329 (2 Cal. Code of Regs. Sec. 18329).)

You also should be aware that your letter and our response are public records which may be disclosed to the public upon receipt of a proper request for disclosure.

Very truly yours,

Kathryn E. Donovan
General Counsel

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