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Re: **Closure Letter**  
**FPPC No. 11/363: California Public Utilities Commission, Mark Ferron, Mike Florio, Michael Peevey, Catherine Sandoval, Timothy Simon, California Public Utilities Commission Foundation, and California Public Utilities Commission 100 Committee**

Dear California Public Utilities Commission, Mark Ferron, Mike Florio, Michael Peevey, Catherine Sandoval, Timothy Simon, California Public Utilities Commission Foundation, and California Public Utilities Commission 100 Committee:

The Fair Political Practices Commission (the "Commission") enforces the provisions of the Political Reform Act. As you may be aware, the Commission initiated

an investigation concerning the gift limits provisions of the Act. Specifically, the investigation focused on whether members and staff of the California Public Utilities Commission received gifts over the gift limits from the California Public Utilities Commission Foundation, and/or from the California Public Utilities Commission 100 Committee in the form of tickets to the California Public Utilities Commission Centennial Dinner fundraiser.

After a full investigation, the Enforcement Division has found insufficient evidence to find a violation of the Act. Our investigation revealed that no current members of the California Public Utilities Commission received complimentary tickets to the event, and only one staff member received a complimentary ticket, which value was not over the gift limits defined in the Act. Therefore, we have closed our file in this matter.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me at 916-322-5660.

Sincerely,

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