

(Regulations of the Fair Political Practices Commission, Title 2, Division 6, California Code of Regulations)

§ 18931.2. Definition of “Article Published”.

(a) For purposes of Government Code Sections 89501 through 89506, an “article published” means a nonfictional written work:

(1) That is produced in connection with any activity other than the practice of a bona fide business, trade, or profession; and

(2) That is published in a periodical, journal, newspaper, newsletter, magazine, pamphlet, or similar publication.

(b) For purposes of this regulation, an individual receives payment for an article published if the individual receives a payment for:

(1) Drafting any part of an article published, except activities solely involving secretarial assistance.

(2) Being identified as an author of or contributor to the article.

(c) “Article” does not include books, plays, or screenplays.

Note: Authority cited: Section 83112, Government Code. Reference: Sections 89501-89506, Government Code.

HISTORY

1. New section filed 7-1-92; operative 7-31-92 (Register 92, No. 28).

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