
Website Improvement - Regulations Webpage Concerns

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Good Afternoon Chair Silver and Commissioner Wilson,

While our staff appreciates the improvements to the website, we would like to bring to your attention that certain website features related to the FPPC's regulations, which our we have relied on for legal research, no longer appear on the website.

Our agency has regularly used the All Regulations drop down on the Regulations Index webpage in order to search through the FPPC's regulations. There also was, though somewhat hidden, a function to search through the text of the regulations. These have been critical to our ability to research the FPPC's regulations to ensure compliance by our filers, as well as providing timely and accurate advice to requestors. While there are paid search engines which can perform these functions, most of our staff do not have access to those paid services.

We would request the FPPC to revisit this restructuring of the Regulations Index page, and potentially restore these functions if possible.

We would also note that the SEO link destinations do not correctly link to the website, so when using google to find parts of your website, we run into 404 error pages.

Thank you for your consideration of our concerns!

Best,

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