

Pair Political Practices Commission

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Dear Mr. Greene:

This letter is to confirm my advice to you by telephone on August 9, 1977.

You asked whether the statement of organization of an uncontrolled committee which supports numerous candidates must be amended each time it contributes to additional candidates. As you pointed out, Section 84102 of the Political Reform Act requires certain committees to file a statement of organization which includes the name and office sought of each candidate which the committee supports or opposes, and that Section 84103 requires that an amendment must be filed within ten days of any change in the information contained in the original statement.

The Commission instructed the staff to seek a legislative amendment to clarify the application of Sections 84102 and 84103 to uncontrolled committees which support or oppose multiple candidates. Such legislation is pending before the Legislature. Meanwhile, the Commission asked the staff to advise such committees to describe on their statement of organization as clearly as possible the types of campaign activity in which they intend to engage, including the identity of known candidates to be supported. Such committees are not required to amend their statement of organization continually to reflect additional contributions.

I hope this information is helpful. If our staff may be of further assistance to you, please call.

Sincerely,

Nan Emmerson

Special Compliance Representative

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