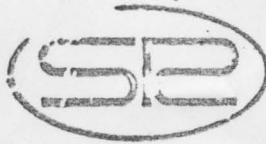


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Spencer-Roberts & Associates, Inc.



FOR RELEASE: Thursday, July 10, 9 a.m.

CONTACT: Stuart Spencer or
Larry Peck (213) 595-1676

The five member steering committee heading President Gerald Ford's election campaign in California today announced formation of a broad-based 44-member statewide organizing committee representing the backbone of state Republican leaders.

Announcement of the organizing committee was made by San Diego businessman Leon Parma, acting as spokesman for the steering committee members: Mrs. Nita Ashcraft of Los Angeles, Attorney Charles Bakaly, Republican State Party Chairman Paul Haerle and state Attorney General Evelle Younger.

Parma said formation of the California organizing committee was made with the "complete approval and authorization" of newly appointed National Campaign Director Howard (Bo) Callaway.

The decision on who will serve as President Ford's statewide campaign chairman will be made later following a visit to California by Callaway, Parma said.

The 44-member organizing committee comprises a wide cross-section of leading California Republicans and includes the current and past two state GOP party chairmen, the current Republican national committeeman from California, the only statewide elected Republican office holder and other prominent party leaders.

Parma termed the organizing committee as "just the beginning of what will become a broad-based, grassroots movement which will encompass all Republicans throughout the state.

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"Within the next 60 days we will begin to announce appointment of city and county chairmen throughout California. This expanded committee will be charged with developing a community-level campaign for the President in California and, under the auspices of California Republican and national Ford Finance Director David Packard, to raise sufficient funds to qualify for matching public financing.

"I am confident that, with the high quality of experienced Republican leaders on our organizing committee, we can accomplish these tasks quickly and efficiently," Parma said.

Joining the organizing committee are former GOP party chairmen James Halley and Putman Livermore and Dr. William Banowsky, California's Republican national committeeman.

Attorney General Evelle Younger, the only statewide Republican office holder, praised President Ford in these terms:

"In the Mayaguez incident we saw President Ford confront a crisis of the moment, not one inherited from the past. In this first 'Ford crisis' he acted quickly, decisively and effectively.

"We are seeing now the results of that policy. America is viewed with more respect in both the Free and Communist worlds. President Ford is dealing effectively with the economy and, most importantly, he has begun the difficult task of restoring public confidence in the Presidency.

"Our country needs Mr. Ford's continued strong hand on the helm of our ship of state," Younger added.

Haerle, former appointments secretary to Gov. Ronald Reagan, said "with President Ford the Republican Party can win big in 1976." Pointing to the President's strong popularity in national polls, Haerle said there is "a sweet smell of success in the air. President Ford is the only logical Republican choice."



PRESIDENT FORD ORGANIZING COMMITTEE IN CALIFORNIA-1975



Earl Adams (Los Angeles) - Former member of Executive Committee and Treasurer of Republican State Central Committee of California (RSCCC); Southern California Chairman, Senator Thomas Kuchel Campaign Committee, 1956 and 1962; Los Angeles County Chairman, Nixon for President Committee, 1968; Member, Senator George Murphy Re-election Committee, 1970.

Clifford B. Anderson (Pasadena) - Member, RSCCC; Chairman, Republican Party "Cal Plan", 1970; Southern California Precinct Chairman, RSCCC, 1968; Co-chairman, Ed Reinecke for Governor Committee 1974.

Assemblyman Dixon Arnett (Redwood City) - Elected to State Legislature in 1970 and re-elected two consecutive times; Member, RSCCC; Member, San Mateo County Republican Central Committee; Chairman, Flournoy Task Force, 1974.

Mrs. Nita Ashcraft (Contra Costa) - Member of the RSCCC; Delegate to the Republican National Convention in 1968 and 1972; Women's Vice Chairwoman RSCCC, Northern Division, 1969-1970; State Vice Chairwoman of the Ronald Reagan Finance Committee, 1966 and 1970.

Charles Bakaly (Los Angeles) - Member of Executive Committee, RSCCC; Member of Evelle Younger Re-Election Campaign Committee, 1974; Delegate to Republican National Convention in 1972.

Dr. William Banowsky (Los Angeles) - Republican National Committeeman from California; Member of Flournoy for Governor Executive Committee, 1974; Chairman of Southern California Nixon Re-Election Committee, 1972; Member, RSCCC.

Robert S. Barnes (Newport Beach) - Orange County Chairman, Attorney General Evelle Younger Campaign Committee, 1970 and 1974; Former Chairman, Orange County Republican Central Committee; Former member, RSCCC.

Robert F. Beaver (Fullerton) - Member of Executive Committee, RSCCC; Orange County Executive Committee, Reagan for Governor, 1966 and 1970; State Treasurer, RSCCC, 1969-1970; Delegate to Republican National Convention in 1968 and 1972.

Dr. Arnold Beckman (Irvine) - Member, RSCCC; State Chairman, Lt. Governor Ed Reinecke Re-Election Campaign, 1970; Member, Ronald Reagan for Governor Campaign Committee, 1966 and 1970; Member, Richard Nixon Presidential Campaign Committee, 1968 and 1972; Chairman of the Board, Orange County Lincoln Club.

Mrs. Marsha Bents (Newport Beach) - Member, RSCCC; Alternate delegate to Republican National Convention, 1972; President, Orange County Federated Republican Women, 1964-1965; Finance Chairwoman, Orange County Republican Central Committee.

Mrs. Margaret Brock (Los Angeles) - Member, Executive Committee, Republican National Finance Committee, 1969- to present; Member, Ronald Reagan Campaign Committee, 1966 and 1970; Member, Senator George Murphy Campaign Committee, 1970; Member, RSCCC Finance Committee; Co-chairperson, United Republican Finance Committee for Los Angeles County, 1975; Member of Electoral College, 1968 and 1972; Delegate to all Republican National Conventions since 1952.

Mrs. Elsie Buchenau (Madera) - Women's Vice Chairwoman, RSCCC, Central Division, 1973 to present; Member, Merced County Republican Central Committee.

Asa Call (Los Angeles) - Long time Republican leader in Los Angeles County.

Roy Crocker (Los Angeles) - Member, Executive Committee of RSCCC; Trustee and Treasurer of Republican Associates, Los Angeles; Five times delegate to the Republican National Convention.

Stuart Davis (Los Angeles) - Leader in the Savings and Loan Industry.

John V. Diepenbrock (Sacramento) - County Finance Chairman for Ronald Reagan, 1970; Member, RSCCC Executive Committee, 1970 to present; Delegate to Republican National Convention, 1972; Finance Co-chairman, RSCCC.

Kim Fletcher (San Diego) - San Diego Finance Chairman, Flournoy for Governor, 1974; Chairman, San Diego Committee to Re-Elect Lt. Governor Ed Reinecke, 1970; San Diego and Imperial Counties Chairman of Business and Industry Committee for President Nixon, 1972; Member, RSCCC; Chairman, Board of Trustees, Republican Associates of San Diego County, 1973-1974.

John P. (Rick) Guerin, Jr. (Los Angeles) - State Co-Chairman, Flournoy for Governor, 1974; Member, Republican Associates; Former member, RSCCC.

Paul Haerle (San Francisco) - Chairman, RSCCC; Vice Chairman, RSCCC, 1973-1974; Northern California Chairman, Ronald Reagan Re-Election Committee, 1970; Delegate, Republican National Convention, 1972; Secretary, RSCCC, 1969-1972.

James Halley (San Mateo) - Chairman, RSCCC, 1967-1968; Chairman, Bay Area Republican Alliance; Chairman, San Mateo County Republican Central Committee; Delegate to Republican National Convention, 1968; Presidential Elector, 1968 and 1972.

Bruce Hazard (San Diego) - Member, RSCCC; Member, San Diego Republican Associates; Member, Attorney General Evelle Younger Re-Election Committee, 1974.

David B. Holland (Palo Alto) - President, California Republican League, 1974 to present; Member, Executive Committee of the RSCCC.

John H. Holoman (Los Angeles) - Member, RSCCC Executive Committee; Area Chairman, President Nixon Re-Election Committee, 1972; Candidate for the State Legislature, 1974.

Norman Houston (Los Angeles) - Member, Attorney General Evelle Younger Re-Election Committee, 1974; Member, President Richard Nixon Re-Election Committee, 1972.

David James (Pasadena) - Member, Executive Committee Ronald Reagan for Governor, 1970; Southern California Chairman, Reagan for Governor, 1970; Chairman, Orange County Republican Central Committee, 1967 to 1971.





Louis Johnson (Inglewood) - Assistant Treasurer, RSCCC; Delegate to Republican National Convention, 1972; Executive Secretary, Progressive Republican Club.

Robert C. Kirkwood (San Francisco) - San Francisco County Chairman, Flournoy for Governor, 1974; Treasurer, San Francisco County Republican Central Committee, 1973 to 1974; Vice-Chairman, United San Francisco Republican Finance Committee; Trustee, Bay Area Republican Alliance.

C. Douglas Kranwinkle (Los Angeles) - Campaign Director, Flournoy for Governor, 1974; Executive Director, California Lawyers' Committee to Re-Elect President Nixon, 1972; Member, Senator Kuchel Campaign Committee, 1968.

Assemblyman Jerry Lewis (Redlands) - Elected to State Assembly, 1968, re-elected 1970, 1972, and 1974; Chairman of Elections and Reapportionment Committee, Assembly Caucus, 1970-1971; Founder of San Bernardino Valley Young Republicans; Member, RSCCC Executive Committee.

Putnam Livermore (San Francisco) - Chairman, RSCCC, 1971-1972; Delegate to Republican National Convention, 1972; Presidential Elector, 1968 and 1972; Chairman, San Francisco County Republican Central Committee, 1965 to 1968.

Mrs. Katie Martinez (Los Angeles) - Member, RSCCC; Member, Ronald Reagan Re-Election Campaign Committee, 1970; Member, President Nixon's Campaign Committee, 1972; Member, Executive Committee, RSCCC; Chairwoman, Spanish Surname Committee of the RSCCC.

Robert Mayer (San Francisco) - Member, Ronald Reagan Maritime Finance Committee, 1966 and 1970; Member, Steering Committee, Congressman Bill Mailliard Committee, 1968, 1970 and 1972.

Peter McAndrews (Los Angeles) - Deputy Campaign Director, Flournoy for Governor, 1974; First Assistant Secretary, RSCCC, 1974; Delegate, Republican National Convention, 1972; President, California Young Republicans, 1970.

Arch Monson, Jr. (San Francisco) - Vice Chairman, Ronald Reagan for Governor State Finance Committee, 1966; Delegate to Republican National Convention, 1968; Assistant Treasurer, RSCCC, 1967-1968; San Francisco Chairman, Congressional Boosters, 1972.

Assemblyman Frank Murphy (Monterey) - Elected to State Legislature in 1966, and re-elected four consecutive times; Chairman, Republican Assembly Caucus, 1973 to present; Member, Flournoy for Governor Advisory Committee, 1974.

David Packard (San Francisco) - National Finance Chairman, Ford for President; RSCCC State Finance Co-Chairman; Chairman, Californians for Flournoy, 1974; Deputy Secretary of Defense, 1969-1971; Delegate to Republican National Convention, 1972.

Leon Parma (San Diego) - Chairman, President Ford Organizing Committee in California, 1975; Former Administrative Assistant to Congressman Bob Wilson.

Charles Reed (Los Angeles) - Los Angeles County Deputy Finance Chairman, Reagan for Governor, 1970; State Finance Co-Chairman, Attorney General Evelle Younger Re-Election Committee, 1974; Delegate to Republican National Convention, 1972; Member, RSCCC Executive Committee.

Henry Salvatori (Los Angeles) - State Co-Chairman Reagan for Governor Committee, 1966; Member, Reagan Re-Election Committee, 1970; Member, President Nixon Finance Committee, 1968 and 1972; State Finance Chairman, Goldwater for President, 1964; State Finance Chairman, RSCCC, 1959-1960; Delegate to four Republican National Conventions.

Taft Schreiber (Los Angeles) - Member, Executive Committee, Reagan for Governor, 1966; Member, Executive Committee, Senator George Murphy Campaign Committee, 1970; National Co-Chairman of the Finance Committee for the President Nixon Re-Election Committee, 1972; State Co-Chairman of President Nixon Finance Committee, 1968; Delegate to Republican National Convention, 1968.

Waller Taylor (Los Angeles) - Member, Executive Committee, RSCCC; Southern California Chairman, Senator Murphy Re-Election Committee, 1970; Member, Executive Committee, United Republican Finance Committee of Los Angeles County, 1972 to 1973; Honorary Trustee, Republican Associates.

Charles Thomas (Corona Del Mar) - Honorary Chairman, Republican National Finance Committee; National Chairman, Republican Congressional Boosters Club, 1965-1972; Former Chairman, Republican National Finance Committee; Former Vice Chairman, Republican National Finance Committee and Former Chairman of California RSCCC Finance Committee.

Congressman Bob Wilson (San Diego) - Has served 12 terms in the U.S. Congress; Former Chairman of the Republican Congressional Campaign Committee; Member, RSCCC.

Attorney General Evelle Younger (Los Angeles) - Elected Attorney General, State of California, 1970 and re-elected in 1974; Elected Los Angeles County District Attorney, 1964 and re-elected in 1968; Member, RSCCC Executive Committee.



PRESIDENT FORD BUDGET

August 15, 1975 - January 31, 1975

California State Budget - Campaign

STAFF

Spencer-Roberts & Associates	\$24,000	
Fieldman (1)	9,000	
Secretaries (2)	9,600	
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	Sub-Total	\$42,600

HEADQUARTERS

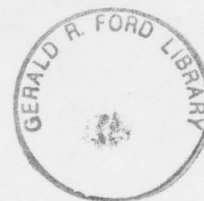
Rent	2,000	
Phones	5,000	
Office Supplies	1,000	
Postage	5,000	
Equipment Leasing	500	
Miscellaneous	1,000	
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	Sub-Total	\$14,500

Printing	3,000	
Travel	10,000	
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	Sub-Total	\$13,000

TOTAL \$70,100

Ten percent contingency 7,010

GRAND TOTAL \$77,110



CA.

August 18, 1975

NOTE FOR BOB VISSER
FROM: BO CALLAWAY

Bob:

Chuck Bakaly is one of our five key supporters in California. He has some questions about the campaign law, and I would appreciate your giving him a call when it's convenient.

Bo

Ed Carter - State Finance Com. - fee basis? No. volunteers

Credit cards

Instruction manual

Compliance program - volunteer attorney / direct identifiable exp.

Ca. state authorities approved compensatory time
approach



MEMORANDUM

Copy.
9/10/75

TO: BO CALLAWAY
FROM: BOB VISSER
RE: CHUCK BAKELY

This is to advise you that I have spoken with Chuck Bakely regarding the FEC election campaign laws, and he is willing to undertake advising the California state chairmen on a volunteer basis. He appeared very knowledgeable with the approach we are taking regarding itemization and recordation of expenses and was in full agreement with the type of "compliance program" we are attempting to implement from Washington.



CALIFORNIA -- REPUBLICANS ONLY*

The National Convention delegation is bound by the results of a statewide presidential preference primary.

DELEGATE SELECTION PRIMARY

DATE

A primary for the expression of presidential preferences is held on the 1st Tuesday after the 1st Monday in June (June 8, 1976) in presidential election years (2503).

ACCESS TO
THE BALLOT
Secretary of State

The Secretary of State places the names of all persons who are generally advocated for or recognized in the news media as candidates for the Republican presidential nomination on the primary ballot (6010). The list of candidates is announced and the candidates so notified by the Secretary of State on or before February 1, 1976 (6010). A candidate not named by the Secretary of State may have his name placed on the ballot by filing nomination papers signed by a number of registered Republicans equal to at least 1% of the total number of registered Republicans as of January 1976 (6013). No voter may sign more than one nomination paper (6024). Signatures may be obtained only by verification deputies appointed by the candidate or his designee (6031). A form appointing verification deputies must be filed with the clerk of the county in which a verification deputy resides on or before the date on which nomination papers are filed (6030). A verification deputy may obtain signatures only in the county in which he resides (6030). Signatures may not be obtained more than 104 nor less than 74 days prior to the primary (between February 24-March 25, 1976 (6032). Nomination papers must be filed with the clerk of the county in which the signatures were obtained by the 74th day prior to the primary (by March 25, 1976)(6021).

Petition

Signatures Required

Verification Deputies

Filing Deadline

The county clerk must examine the nomination papers and forward them to the Secretary of State with a certificate of examination within 5 days (6044). No filing fee is required (6046). The Secretary of State certifies the names and addresses of the presidential candidates to be voted on in the primary to the county clerk at least 59 days prior to the primary (by April 9, 1976)(6050).

* Parenthetical references are to the California Election Laws.

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WITHDRAWAL

A candidate may withdraw his name by filing an affidavit with the Secretary of State by the 64th day prior to the primary (by April 4, 1976) stating without qualification that he is not a candidate for the Republican presidential nomination.

BALLOT POSITION

The names of candidates are listed alphabetically and rotated on the ballot (10303).

WRITE IN VOTES

Write in votes are permitted (6060), but counted only if the write in candidate has filed an endorsement of his write-in candidacy with the Secretary of State at least twenty-one days prior to the primary (by May 18, 1976)(6061). If a write-in candidate receives a plurality of the primary vote, he must file a list of delegates and alternates with the Secretary of State within 10 days (by June 18, 1976)(6062). If a candidate fails to file a list, then the Republican State Central Committee selects an uncommitted National Convention delegation (6063).

DELEGATE ALLOCATION

The presidential candidate who receives the highest statewide vote wins the entire National Convention delegation (6056)

SLATES

The names of National Convention delegates and alternates pledged to each presidential candidate must be filed with the Secretary of State by the candidate or his designee at least 30 days prior to the primary (by May 9, 1976)(6-71).

APPORTIONMENT

Three delegates and 3 alternates are selected from each Congressional District, with the remainder selected at large (6071).

BINDING V. ADVISORY

Elected delegates must vote for the presidential preference primary winner for 2 ballots, unless released or the candidate receives fewer than 10% of the votes needed for nomination on the 1st ballot (6071).

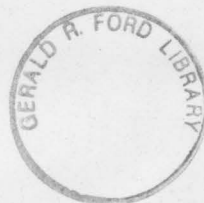
VOTING

Party Affiliation

Registration Deadline

Absentee Voting

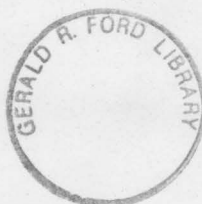
Only registered Republicans may vote in the primary (311). One must register to vote, or change or designate one's party affiliation at least 29 days prior to the primary (by May 9, 1976)(103;312). Any voter who expects to be absent from his precinct on primary day or who will be unable to vote in person because of physical disability or religious reasons, or who



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resides more than ten miles from his polling place or in a precinct owned and controlled by the United States or in a precinct with fewer than thirty registered voters may vote by absentee ballot (14620; 14620.5). The polls are open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. (6053).

Voting Hours



10/15/75

November 11, 1975

Mr. David A. Liggett
Campaign Manager
The President Ford Committee - California
Spencer-Roberts & Associates, Inc.
4201 Long Beach Boulevard
Long Beach, California 90807

Dear Mr. Liggett:

The following information is hereby requested in order to effectively implement the insurance coverage for The President Ford Committee in all fifty states:

(1) A copy of the lease agreement or the like for all real property, space or facilities you are renting; and

(2) An inventory of all personal property to include furniture, equipment and furnishings in your office.

We would appreciate your forwarding this information to us as soon as possible. Your cooperation is very much appreciated.

Sincerely,

T. Timothy Ryan
Assistant General Counsel

TTR:em



November 13, 1975

Senator Denny Carpenter
State Capitol
Sacramento, California

Dear Senator Carpenter:

Congratulations on your selection as Campaign Co-Chairman for The President Ford Committee in California.

As you know, this will be the first Presidential election since the enactment of the 1974 Amendments to The Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971. In order to insure close coordination of all PFC activities regarding interpretation and adherence to these laws and compliance with the spirit and letter of the law as President Ford has pledged, we ask that you select an attorney to serve in a voluntary capacity as legal counsel for the PFC in California. We would appreciate your coordinating your selection with Ms. Evelle Younger, your Co-Chairman and Edward Carter, Finance Chairman, and letting us know the name and address of the person whom you have chosen at your earliest convenience.

We are enclosing some additional materials which you may find helpful with regard to the Federal election campaign laws. If you have any questions with regard to any of these matters, please feel free to telephone me or my Assistant, Tim Ryan.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

Robert P. Viss
General Counsel

RPV:em



November 13, 1975

Evelle Younger, Esquire
3580 Wilshire Boulevard
Suite 800
Los Angeles, California

Dear Ms. Younger:

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November 13, 1975

Mr. Edward Carter
Carter Hawley Hale
626 Siena Way
Los Angeles, California 90024

Dear Mr. Carter:

Congratulations on your selection as Finance Chairman for the President Ford Committee in California.

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December 1, 1975

Charles G. Bakaly, Esquire
O'Melveny & Myers
611 West Sixty Street
Los Angeles, California 90017

Dear Mr. Bakaly:

This will acknowledge your letter of November 25, 1975, and the photocopy of Senate Bill No. 427.

We appreciate very much your attention to our request.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

T. Timothy Ryan
Assistant General Counsel

TTR:jr

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Mr. T. Timothy Ryan
The President Ford Committee
1828 L Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20036

Dear Mr. Ryan:

In accordance with your request to my partner,
Guy Henry, enclosed herewith is a photocopy of Senate
Bill No. 427 (which has been signed into law by the
Governor) pertaining to the election of delegates to the
Republican Party national convention.

Best personal regards.

Sincerely yours,

Charles G. Bakaly
Charles G. Bakaly

CGB:gg
Enc.



December 4, 1975

Mr. Edward W. Carter
The President Ford Committee
523 West 6th Street
Room 452
Los Angeles, California 90017

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Approx 12/19/75

Charles Backley

- Los Angeles ->

Sheldon H. Lytton

Harry L. Dunn

→ Associate w/
O'Melveny + Myers
611 W. 6th St.

November 13, 1975

→ Time of secretary
must be accounted.

→ ask

Harry L. Dunn and
Sheldon H. Lytton → have
decided to be counsel
in California.
O'Melveny + Myers



December 9, 1975

Mr. Edward Carter
Carter Hawley Hale
626 Siena Way
Los Angeles, California 90024

Dear Mr. Carter:

This is to confirm that Harry C. Dunn, Esq. and Sheldon H. Lytton, Esq. of the firm of O'Melveny & Meyers, 611 West Sixth Street, Los Angeles, California, have been chosen to work with us and act as legal counsel for The President Ford Committee in your State.

We have contacted Messrs. Dunn and Lytton and sent them certain relevant materials and information. We are also preparing to begin circulating additional information, checklists and other relevant material on a periodic basis.

You will find enclosed some additional material with regard to the Federal election campaign laws which may be helpful to you.

Thank you for your assistance in this regard and we look forward to working with you in this important election.

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General Counsel

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December 9, 1975

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State Senator
Capitol
Sacramento, California

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Suite 415
Long Beach, California 90807

Dear Mr. Laggett:

Thank you for sending to us a copy of the California statute.

Enclosed please find Advisory Opinion 1975-12 with regard to delegate selection together with a summary prepared by the Federal Election Commission. We are currently drafting a more extensive review of this issue explaining it in greater detail which we will forward to you in the near future.

Also to complete your file, we are enclosing copies of Advisory Opinions 1975-1 and 47 dealing with conventions.

If you have any further questions with regard to this material, please don't hesitate to call us.

Sincerely,

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General Counsel

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CHAPTER 1048

An act to repeal and add Chapter 1 (commencing with Section 6000) of Division 5 of the Elections Code, relating to the presidential primary.

[Approved by Governor September 24, 1975. Filed with Secretary of State September 24, 1975.]

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 427, Murphy. Elections: Republican presidential primary.

The Constitution presently provides that all candidates found by the Secretary of State to be recognized candidates for President of the United States throughout the United States or California shall be placed on the ballot, along with those names placed on the ballot by petition.

The law also provides for the election of delegates, both pledged to a particular candidate and unpledged, to the party conventions to be selected from congressional districts based on a formula providing for a minimum and maximum number, and the qualification of write-in candidates.

This bill would repeal the existing provisions for the election of delegates to party conventions, other than for the Democratic Party, and would add new sections providing for the selection of candidates by the Secretary of State, the nomination of candidates not selected by the Secretary of State, and the qualification of write-in candidates.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1 (commencing with Section 6000) of Division 5 of the Elections Code is repealed.

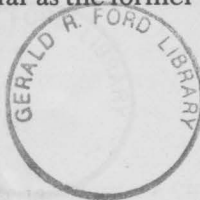
SEC. 2. Chapter 1 (commencing with Section 6000) is added to Division 5 of the Elections Code, to read:

CHAPTER 1. PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

Article 1. General Provisions

6000. The provisions of this chapter shall be applicable only to the presidential primary ballot of the Republican Party, and qualified parties for which no other provisions apply.

6001. The provisions of this code relating to the direct primary apply to the presidential primary insofar as the former do not conflict with the latter.



Article 2. Number and Certification of Delegates

6005. The chairman of the state central committee shall notify the Secretary of State on or before the first day of February immediately preceding the presidential primary as to the number of delegates to represent the state in the next national convention of his party.

6006. The notification of the number of delegates shall be in substantially the following form:

STATEMENT OF NUMBER OF DELEGATES TO THE REPUBLICAN PARTY NATIONAL CONVENTION

To the Secretary of State
Sacramento, California

You are hereby notified that the number of delegates to represent the State of California in the next national convention of the Republican Party is _____.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 19____.

Chairman of the State Central Committee
of the Republican Party.

6007. If the chairman of the state central committee fails to file a notice as to the number of delegates, the Secretary of State shall ascertain the number from the call for the national convention issued by the national committee of the party.

6008. The Secretary of State shall, on or before the 10th day of February of the year of the presidential primary, certify to the county clerk of each county the number of delegates to be elected by the Republican Party.

6009. The certification to the county clerk of the number of delegates shall be in substantially the following form:

CERTIFICATE OF SECRETARY OF STATE AS TO NUMBER OF DELEGATES TO THE REPUBLICAN PARTY NATIONAL CONVENTION

To the County Clerk of _____ County:

I hereby certify to you that the Republican Party is qualified to participate in the presidential primary to be held in this state on the _____ day of _____, 19____, and the number of delegates to be elected by the Republican Party to represent the State of California in its next national convention is _____.



Dated at Sacramento, California, this _____ day of February, 19____.

(SEAL)

Secretary of State

Article 3. Selection of Candidates by the Secretary of State

6010. The Secretary of State shall place the name of a candidate upon the Republican presidential primary ballot when the Secretary of State shall have determined that such a candidate is generally recognized throughout the United States or California as a candidate for the nomination of the Republican Party for President of the United States.

On or before February 1 immediately preceding a presidential primary election the Secretary of State shall publicly announce and distribute to the news media for publication a list of the candidates he intends to place on the ballot at the following presidential primary election. Following this announcement he may add candidates to his selection, but he may not delete any candidate whose name appears on the announced list.

6011. When the Secretary of State decides to place the name of a candidate on the ballot pursuant to Section 6010, he shall notify the candidate that his name will appear on the ballot of this state in the presidential primary election.

The secretary shall also notify the candidate that he may withdraw his name from the ballot by filing with the Secretary of State an affidavit pursuant to Section 6012 no later than the 64th day before that election.

6012. If a selected candidate or a nonselected candidate files with the Secretary of State, no later than the 64th day before the presidential primary, an affidavit stating without qualification that he is not now a candidate for the office of President of the United States at the forthcoming presidential primary election, his name shall be omitted from the list of names certified by the Secretary of State to the county clerks for the ballot and his name shall not appear on the presidential primary ballot.

6013. Any unselected candidate desiring to have his name placed on the presidential primary ballot shall have nomination papers circulated in his behalf. In order to qualify his name for placement on the presidential primary ballot, the candidate's nomination papers shall be signed by voters registered as affiliated with the Republican Party equal in number to not less than 1 percent of the number of persons registered as members of the Republican Party, as reflected in the report of registration issued by the Secretary of State in January of the year of the presidential primary election.



Article 4. Nomination Papers

6021. Nomination papers properly prepared, circulated, signed and verified shall be left, for examination, with the county clerk of the county in which they are circulated, at least 74 days prior to the presidential primary.

6024. Each signer of a nomination paper may sign only one paper. He shall declare his intention to support the candidate for nomination, add his place of residence, and give his street and number if any. His election precinct shall also appear on the paper just preceding his name, and he shall write the date of his signature at the end of the line just after his residence.

6025. Any nomination paper may be presented in sections. Each section shall contain the names of the candidate. Each section shall bear the name of the county in which it is circulated. Only voters of the county registered as intending to affiliate with the political party by which the nominations are to be made are competent to sign.

6026. Each section shall be prepared with the lines for signatures numbered, and shall have attached the affidavit of the verification deputy who obtained signatures to it, stating that all the signatures to the attached section were made in his presence, and that to the best of his knowledge and belief each signature to the section is the genuine signature of the person whose name it purports to be. No other affidavit is required. The affidavit of any verification deputy shall be verified free of charge by any officer authorized to administer oaths.

6027. A verified nomination paper is prima facie evidence that the signatures are genuine and that the persons signing it are voters, until it is otherwise proved by comparison of the signatures with the affidavits of registration in the office of the county clerk.

6028. The nomination paper for a candidate shall be in substantially the following form:

SECTION OF NOMINATION PAPER SIGNED BY VOTER ON BEHALF OF CANDIDATE

Section _____ Page _____

County of _____ Nomination paper for _____ as presidential nominee of the Republican Party.

State of California }
County of _____ } ss.

Signer's Statement

I, the undersigned, am a voter of the County of _____, State of California, and am registered as intending to affiliate with the

Republican Party. I have not signed the nomination paper of any other candidates for the same office, and further declare that I intend to support the nomination of the candidate named herein at the Republican Party presidential primary to be held on the _____ day of _____, 19__.

Number	Precinct	Signature	Residence	Date
1				
2				
3				
etc.				

Verification Deputy's Affidavit

I, _____, solemnly swear (or affirm) that I have been appointed as a verification deputy to secure signatures in the County of _____ to the nomination paper of the candidate named in the signer's statement above as candidate for nomination by the Republican Party at its presidential primary election; that all the signatures on this section of the nomination paper numbered from 1 to _____, inclusive, were made in my presence, and that to the best of my knowledge and belief each signature is the genuine signature of the person whose name it purports to be.

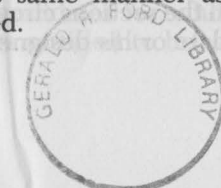
(Signed) _____
Verification Deputy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 19__.

Notary Public (or other official)

Article 5. Verification Deputies

6030. The candidate or his designee may arrange for the appointment of verification deputies to serve within the county in which the deputies reside in securing signatures to the nomination paper of the candidate. The verification deputies thus appointed are the duly authorized verification deputies to secure signatures to the nomination paper of the candidate in that county. The form on which the verification deputies are appointed shall be filed with the county clerk of the county in which the verification deputies reside, at or before the time the nomination paper of the candidate is left with the county clerk for examination. Additional verification deputies may be appointed in the same manner as the original verification deputies were appointed.



6031. The verification deputies may be appointed by the candidate or his designee on a form which shall be substantially as follows:

APPOINTMENT OF VERIFICATION DEPUTIES BY CANDIDATE OR HIS DESIGNEE

I, the undersigned candidate or designee, do hereby appoint the following voters of the County of _____ as verification deputies to obtain signatures, in that county, to nomination papers for _____ as a candidate in the Republican Party presidential primary, to be held the _____ day of _____, 19__.

Verification Deputies

Name	Residence
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
etc.	etc.

Candidate or His Designee

(Signed) Name	Residence
_____	_____

Filed in the office of the County Clerk of _____ County, this _____ day of _____, 19__.

_____, County Clerk
By _____, Deputy

6032. Verification deputies may obtain signatures to the nomination paper of a candidate for whom they were appointed, at any time not more than 104 nor less than 74 days prior to the presidential primary.

6033. The verification of signatures to nomination papers shall not be made by a county clerk, a deputy county clerk, or within 100 feet of any election booth, polling place, or any place where registration of electors is being conducted.

Article 6. Arrangement and Examination of Nomination Papers

6040. Each section of a nomination paper, after being verified, shall be returned by the verification deputy who circulated it to the candidate or his designee by whom the verification deputy was appointed. All the sections circulated in any county shall be collected by the candidate or his designee and he shall arrange and leave the

sections with the county clerk for examination.

6041. Prior to filing, the sections of a nomination paper for a candidate shall be numbered in order.

6042. Nomination papers, properly assembled, may be consolidated and fastened together by counties, but nomination papers signed by voters in different counties shall not be thus fastened together.

6043. The county clerk shall examine all nomination papers left with him for examination and shall disregard and mark "not sufficient" the name of any voter of his county which does not appear in the same handwriting on an affidavit of registration in the office of the county clerk. He shall also disregard and mark "not sufficient" the name of any voter of his county who has not stated his intention to affiliate with the Republican Party.

6044. Within five days after any nomination papers are left with him for examination, the county clerk shall:

(a) Examine and affix to them a certificate reciting that he has examined them and stating the number of names which have not been marked "not sufficient."

(b) Transmit the papers with the certificate of examination to the Secretary of State, who shall file the papers.

6045. The county clerk's certificate to nomination papers of a candidate shall be in substantially the following form:

COUNTY CLERK'S CERTIFICATE TO NOMINATION PAPERS OF A CANDIDATE

To the Secretary of State:

I, County Clerk of the County of _____, hereby certify that I have examined the nomination papers, to which this certificate is attached, of the candidate for the ensuing presidential primary, and that the number of names which I have not marked "not sufficient" is _____.

The candidate named in the nomination papers is _____.
Dated this _____ day of _____, 19__.

_____, County Clerk
By _____, Deputy

6046. No filing fee is required from any person to be voted for at a presidential primary.

Article 7. Certified List of Candidates, Notice of Election

6050. At least 59 days before a presidential primary, the Secretary of State shall transmit to each county clerk a certified list containing the names and addresses of the candidates for whom nomination papers have been filed and who are entitled to be voted for at the

presidential primary.

The certified list shall be in substantially the following form:

CERTIFIED LIST OF CANDIDATES
SECRETARY OF STATE

To the County Clerk of _____ County:

I, _____, Secretary of State, do hereby certify that the following list contains the name and post office address of each person for whom nomination papers have been filed in my office and who is entitled to be voted for at the presidential primary to be held on the _____ day of _____, 19____, as nominee of the Republican Party.

List of Candidates
Republican Party

Name	Address
1 _____	_____
2 _____	_____
3 _____	_____
etc.	etc.

Dated at Sacramento, California, this _____ day of _____, 19____.

(SEAL) _____ Secretary of State

6051. Immediately after the county clerk receives the certified list of candidates from the Secretary of State, he shall publish it in a presidential primary notice, under the party designation. The notice shall also contain:

- (a) The date of the election.
- (b) The hours during which the polls will be open.

6052. The publication of the presidential primary notice shall be made in the county pursuant to Section 6061 of the Government Code, and by causing a copy thereof to be posted at the courthouse door and at such other places in the county as are designated by ordinance for the posting of public notices.

The cities or town of residence of the candidates shall be included in the presidential primary notice.

6053. The notice of the list of candidates published by the county clerk shall be in substantially the following form:

NOTICE BY COUNTY CLERK OF TIME AND PLACE OF PRESIDENTIAL
PRIMARY ELECTION, POLITICAL PARTIES ENTITLED TO
PARTICIPATE THEREIN, AND NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF
CANDIDATES

Notice is hereby given that a Republican presidential primary election is to be held in the County of _____ on the _____ day of _____, 19____, and that there is stated the name and address of each person for whom nomination papers have been filed in the office of the Secretary of State and who is entitled to be voted for, at the election, as nominee of that party for President.

List of Candidates
Republican Party

Name	Address
1 _____	_____
2 _____	_____
3 _____	_____
etc.	etc.

Notice is also hereby given that at the presidential primary the polls will be open from the hour of 7 o'clock a.m. to the hour of 8 o'clock p.m. on the day thereof.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 19____.
_____, County Clerk

Article 8. Canvass of Returns. Certificate of Election

6055. The Secretary of State shall, not later than the 24th day after the election, compile and file in his office a statement of the canvassed returns filed with him by the county clerks.

The compiled statement shall show for each candidate the total of the votes received and the votes received in each county.

6056. The Secretary of State shall, not later than the 24th day after the election, issue a certificate of election to the candidate who received the largest vote cast of that party, such person thereby being the party's presidential nominee candidate from California.

6057. The Secretary of State shall, not later than the 24th day after the election, issue a certification to delegate to each person selected as a delegate.

Article 9. Write-In Candidates

6060. Notwithstanding any other provisions of law, a space shall be provided on the presidential primary ballot for an elector to write in the name of a candidate for President of the United States.

6061. Any person who believes his name may be used as a write-in

candidate for President of the United States shall, not later than 21 days before the primary election, file his endorsement of his write-in candidacy with the Secretary of State, or no votes shall be counted for him.

6062. Any person who receives, by write-in vote, a plurality of the votes cast for President of the United States shall, within 10 days after the primary election, file a list of delegates to the national convention of his political party with the Secretary of State in the manner prescribed in Section 6071.

6063. If the candidate fails to file a list of delegates, the state central committee of the party in whose primary the candidate received the plurality vote shall, within 10 days of the end of the 10-day period required in Section 6062, file a list of delegates with the Secretary of State. The delegation shall go to the convention unpledged to any candidate.

Article 10. Selection of Delegates

6070. Every candidate whether selected pursuant to Section 6010, or unselected as defined in Section 6013, who wishes to have a delegation of electors pledged to his candidacy in accordance with the result of the presidential preference primary or who wishes to have an official California delegation at the Republican National Convention shall form a delegation in compliance with Section 6071 of this code.

6071. (a) The delegation of each candidate shall be composed as follows:

(1) Seventy-eight percent of the delegation, or the nearest whole number thereto which provides for a total number of district delegates equal to at least three times the number of congressional districts within the state, shall be composed of three delegates selected for each congressional district.

(2) The remainder of the delegation shall be composed of delegates selected at large from throughout the state.

The names of the persons chosen as delegates shall be submitted to the Secretary of State, by the candidate or his designee, no later than 30 days before the presidential primary election for certification.

(b) There shall be no more than one alternate per delegate. Alternates shall be appointed by the candidate or his designee and shall be appointed by congressional districts, the number per congressional district to be no less than three. Such alternates shall be submitted to the Secretary of State within thirty (30) days after the primary for certification.

(c) Each delegate to the Republican National Convention shall use his best efforts at the convention for the party's presidential nominee candidate from California to whom the delegate has pledged support until such person is nominated for the office of

President of the United States by such convention, receives less than 10 percent of the votes for nomination by such convention, releases the delegate from his obligation, or until two convention nominating ballots have been taken. Thereafter, each delegate shall be free to vote as he chooses, and no rule may be adopted by a delegation requiring the delegation to vote as a body or causing the vote of any delegate to go uncounted or unreported.

Article 11. Republican Presidential Primary Ballot

6080. The format of the presidential portion of the Republican primary ballot shall be governed by the provisions of Chapter 2 (commencing with Section 10200) of Division 7, with the following exceptions:

(a) Instructions to voters shall exclude any reference to groups of candidates preferring a person whose name appears on the ballot or references to any group of candidates not expressing a preference for a particular candidate.

(b) In place of the heading: "FOR DELEGATES TO NATIONAL CONVENTION. Vote for One Group Only." shall appear the heading: "PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE. Vote for One."

(c) Candidates for President shall be listed on the ballot in the same order provided for in Chapter 2 (commencing with Section 10200) of Division 7 for statewide candidates.

(d) Only the names of selected and unselected presidential candidates shall appear on the ballot in the spaces provided. No reference shall be made to their being preferred by candidates for delegates to the national convention.



December 17, 1975

Mr. Tom Bauer
President Ford Finance Committee
523 West 6th Street
Room 452
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Bauer:

In accordance with our telephone conversation today, I am forwarding certain materials with regard to the Federal Election Commission.

If you have any questions about this material, please don't hesitate to contact your State Legal Counsels or our office.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

T. Timothy Ryan
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December 19, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: BO CALLAWAY
STU SPENCER
BOB VISSER ✓
BOB ODELL
FRED BUSH

FROM: BOB MOSBACHER

Please do not send any letters of solicitation or make any phone calls soliciting funds into California without clearing with me.

I want to advise Ed Carter of any such activity.



Neil Sel.

December 16, 1975

Mr. David Leggett
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Dear Dave:

Enclosed please find the Delegate Selection Summary
and Comments which I promised to send to you in my
letter of December 11, 1975.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

Robert P. Visser
General Counsel

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Enclosure





STATE OF CALIFORNIA

EVELLE J. YOUNGER
ATTORNEY GENERAL

December 19, 1975

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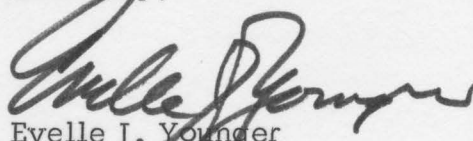
Dear Mr. Visser:

Reference is made to your letter dated November 13, 1975. Sheldon Lytton, a very able attorney with a distinguished firm, O'Melveny and Myers, 611 West Sixth Street, Los Angeles, California 90017, has offered to serve as legal counsel for the PFC in California.

I understand that Charles Bakaly, Esq. (member of the California Steering Committee for President Ford) has already so advised your assistant Tim Ryan.

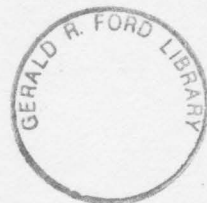
I look forward to working with you in this campaign.

Sincerely,


Evelle J. Younger
Attorney General

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cc: Honorable Dennis Carpenter
Charles Bakaly, Esq.
Sheldon Lytton, Esq.



HARRY L. DUNN
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LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90017

December 23, 1975

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Dear Messrs. Visser and Ryan:

I have your letter of December 9th with enclosures, addressed to Mr. Lytton and to me.

Several of the enclosures referred to "proposed" rules and regulations. Please advise if any of these have been finalized and, if so, we would appreciate receiving copies. We understand that you will keep us supplied with copies of any future rules, regulations, advisory opinions, etc.

We have arranged between us the division of responsibilities as follows:

Mr. Guy Henry and myself are to serve as legal consultants to the State Finance Committee, of which Mr. Carter is Chairman. Each of us will serve in a voluntary capacity, but we would expect to be



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reimbursed for our disbursements, if any, made under your guidelines and approved by your Committee or Mr. Carter. Your correspondence to us should be addressed to Mr. Henry at 611 West Sixth Street, Los Angeles, California 90017, with copies to me at my home, 1360 Hillcrest Avenue, Pasadena, California 91106. We understand that neither Mr. Henry's name or mine will be listed on any letterhead or other public releases from your Committee.

Mr. Sheldon Lytton will serve as legal consultant on a voluntary basis to the California Campaign Committee.

We understand that the above arrangements have been approved by Mr. Bakaly.

I understand that the Finance Committee, through the office of Mr. Thomas Bauer, has established a list of gentlemen who are asked to be sponsors for a table at the proposed dinner. The Committee has opened an office here in the Pacific Mutual Building and has employed Mr. Bauer and secretarial help. I assume that this has been cleared with your National Committee.

Sincerely yours,



Harry L. Dunn

HLD/gmd



January 12, 1976

Richard L. Fruin, Jr., Esquire
Eawler, Felix & Hall
605 West Olympic Boulevard
Los Angeles, California 90015

Dear Dick:

It was a great pleasure speaking with you on the telephone last week. I am very glad to hear fo your ddeep interestiin working wn the President's campaign and have spoken to several of the California PFC representatives with regard to your involvement. In addition, I am hopeful that I will be able to take you up on your suggestion that you would be willing to vólunteer a ceratain amount of time on a national baais

Chris and I are looking forward to celebrating another victory with you and Pat in Washington in November.

With kind personal regards.

Very truly yours,

Robert P. Visser
General Counsel

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January 12, 1976

George S. L. Dunlop, Esquire
680 Beach Street, Suite 477
San Francisco, California

Dear George:

Enclosed are two articles from the Washington Star edition published January 4 regarding Jerry Brown and the Federal Trade Commission's action regarding a former case of ours.

With regard to your interest in participating in the President's campaign, I have spokentoo several PFC leaders in California during the visit of the State Chairmen to Washington last week. I am sure that you will be hearing from them in the very near future and look forward to working with you in this important election.

Please give my very best rggards to Jane andllet me know when that new "son" of yours arrives.

Kind personal regards.

Very truly yours,

Robert P. Visser
General Counsel

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Legal Dept

MEMORANDUM

January 15, 1976

TO: Bo Callaway
Stu Spencer
Peter Kaye

FROM: Tim Ryan

RE: Equal Time -- California

Attached are two requests for equal time on California TV stations. We should coordinate the use of this "equal time" with Liggett and Lytton.



January 12, 1976

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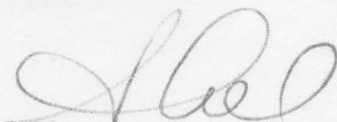
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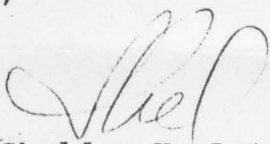
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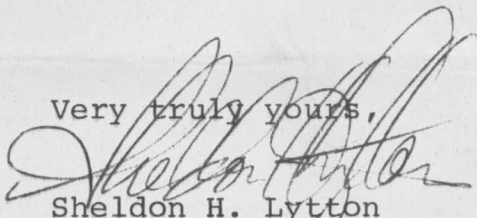
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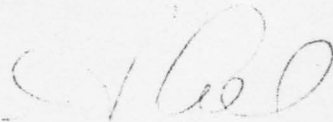
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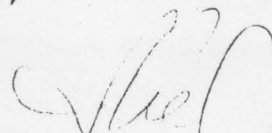
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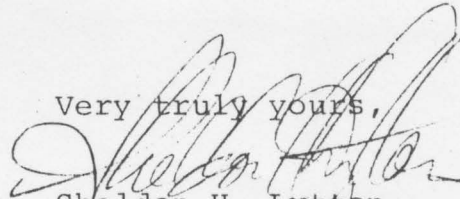
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CALIFORNIA -- DEMOCRATS ONLY*

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PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE PRIMARY

DATE A primary for the expression of presidential preferences is held on the 1st Tuesday after the 1st Monday in June (June 8, 1976) in presidential election years (2503).

ACCESS TO THE BALLOT
Secretary of State The Secretary of State places the names of all persons who are generally advocated for or recognized in the news media as candidates for the Democratic presidential nomination on the primary ballot (6311). The list of candidates is announced and the candidates so notified by the Secretary of State not earlier than January 1 nor later than February 1, 1976 (6311). A candidate not named by the Secretary of State or an uncommitted group may have its name placed on the ballot by filing nomination papers (6315) signed by a number of registered Democrats equal to at least 1% of the total number of registered Democrats as of January 1, 1976 (6316). No voter may sign more than one nomination paper (6334). Signatures may be obtained only by verification deputies appointed by a steering committee or its representatives (6340). A form appointing verification deputies must be filed with the clerk of the county in which a verification deputy resides on or before the date on which nomination papers are filed (6340). A verification deputy may obtain signatures only in the county in which he resides (6340). Nomination papers must be prepared, circulated and signed between February 1 and the 85th day prior to the primary (by March 15, 1976)(6342) and be filed for verification with the clerk of each county in which signatures were obtained by the 74th day prior to the primary (by March 26, 1976) (6331). The county clerk must examine the nomination papers and forward them to the Secretary of State with a certificate of examination within 5 days (6349). The Secretary of State notifies each presidential candidate and uncommitted group at least 64 days prior to the primary (by April 5, 1976) whether it has qualified for placement

Petition

Verification Deputies

Filing Deadline

* Parenthetical references are to the California Election Laws.



CALIFORNIA -- DEMOCRATS (2)

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WITHDRAWAL

A candidate may withdraw his name by filing an affidavit with the Secretary of State by the 64th day prior to the primary (by April 5, 1976) stating without qualification that he is not a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination (6313).

BALLOT POSITION

The names of candidates are listed alphabetically and rotated on the ballot (10303).

WRITE IN VOTES

Write in votes are permitted (6375), but not counted unless the write in candidate has filed an endorsement of his write in candidacy with the Secretary of State at least 21 days prior to the primary (by May 18, 1976)(6376).

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Congressional District delegates are allocated to each presidential candidate and uncommitted group in proportion to the vote each received within each Congressional District, provided (a) anyone receiving at least 15% of the vote is entitled to at least 1 delegate; and (b) anyone receiving fewer than 10% of the vote shall not be entitled to any delegates (6365.1). At large delegates and all the alternates are allocated to each presidential candidate and uncommitted group in proportion to the votes each received statewide, provided that (a) anyone receiving at least 15% of the vote is entitled to at least 1 delegate; and (b) anyone receiving fewer than 10% of the vote is not entitled to any delegates (6365.2).

BINDING V. ADVISORY

Elected delegates and alternates must pledge to vote for the presidential candidate for whom they were selected until released or the candidate receives fewer than 15% of the convention vote on any ballot (6367).

VOTING

Only registered Democrats may vote in the primary (311). One must register to vote, change one's party affiliation or designate a party affiliation at least 29 days prior to the primary (by May 9, 1976)(103;312). A voter who expects to be absent from his precinct on primary day or who, because of physical disability or religious reasons is unable to vote in person, or who resides more than ten miles from his polling place or in a

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CALIFORNIA -- DEMOCRATS (3)

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DELEGATE SELECTION

Steering Committee	Each presidential candidate and uncommitted group must appoint a seven member steering committee (6325) responsible for circulating nomination papers, if required, and for holding Congressional District caucuses to nominate delegates (6326). Each committee elects a chairperson and appoints a caucus organizer for each Congressional District (6327).
Nominations	Candidates for National Convention delegate must file with the county clerk a declaration of candidacy for recommended delegate by the Thursday preceding the 2nd Sunday in April (by April 8, 1976)(6328). Candidates must be registered Democrats residing in the Congressional District from which they seek election and must sign a pledge for support for a particular presidential candidate or state uncommitted status (6328). Caucuses are held in each Congressional District for each presidential candidate and uncommitted group at 1 p.m. on the second Sunday in April (April 11, 1976) for the purpose of recommending 10 delegates (6329).
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Presidential Preference Congressional District Caucuses	The names of the recommended delegates are ranked in order of the vote each received and are subject to rejection or removal by the presidential candidate or uncommitted group (6329). The chairperson of each steering committee files with the Secretary of State by April 16, 1976 names of potential delegates from each Congressional District equal to the number of delegates to be elected from each district (6329).
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Presidential Candidate Approval	
Filing Deadline	
Uncommitted Slates	
Delegation Allocation	

CALIFORNIA -- DEMOCRATS (4)

Before June 23, 1976, each steering committee selects from among the list of potential delegates it filed the names of the actual Congressional District delegates equal to the number to which the presidential candidate or uncommitted group is entitled pursuant to the results of the presidential preference primary (6365; 6365.1). If "uncommitted" is entitled to delegates in any district where an uncommitted slate has not been filed, the State Central Committee chairperson convenes a caucus for the purpose of selecting delegates from that district no later than the 3rd Saturday in June (by June 26, 1976)(6365.1).

APPORTIONMENT

Seventy-five percent of the National Convention delegates are apportioned among the Congressional Districts on the basis of a formula giving equal weight to the average of the Democratic presidential vote cast in the two most recent elections and to the number of registered Democrats as of January 1, 1976 (6305). The number of delegates to be elected from each Congressional District and the number of delegates and alternates to be selected at large is certified to the Secretary of State by the Democratic State Central Committee Chairperson on or before February 1, 1976 (6305).

AT LARGE SELECTION

The Congressional District delegates meet in convention on the 3rd Saturday following the primary (June 26, 1976) and caucus by their presidential preference or uncommitted status to select the number of at large delegates and alternates to which they are entitled according to the results of the presidential preference primary (6365; 6365.2). Presidential Candidates have the right to approve at large delegates and alternates pledged to their candidacies(6365.2).



10/15/75

February 5, 1976

Mr. Leon W. Parma
P. O. Box 2262
La Jolla, California

Dear Leon:

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This is to advise you that we had attempted to contact Toby Terrar some months ago and were unable to reach him after leaving several messages. We have this week telephoned his father as suggested in your letter and understand that Toby is very busy writing a book at this time. We expressed our interest in talking with Toby if he finds he has time to work with us on the campaign.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

Robert P. Visser
General Counsel

RPV:em



Σ-
lets call him
& let me get info

~~Mr. [unclear]~~
Today is writing a book
doesn't answer phone. (I
tried in past to reach him)
His brother will print
his message to him
if his interested
in his call.



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You can be sure they will be contacted immediately and put on the President's team out here.

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I look forward to seeing you in the not too distant future. With warm regard.

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The President Ford Committee-California
1116 Wilshire Boulevard
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Dear Mr. Liggett:

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- (2) An inventory of all personal property, to include furniture, equipment, and furnishings in your office.

We would appreciate your forwarding this information to us as soon as possible. Your cooperation is very much appreciated.

Sincerely,

T. Timothy Ryan
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TTR:jr



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Daniel H. Lowenstein, Esquire
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Dear Dan:

Thank you for your letter of February 5, 1976, enclosing the material I requested with regard to the Fair Political Practices Commission regulations.

As you may know, the campaign expenditure limits have survived in the Buckley v. Valeo decision insofar as a Presidential candidate accepting primary matching funds.

There is a possibility that I will be on the West Coast in the not too distant future at which time I would look forward to talking with you further about the effects of the Buckley v. Valeo decision.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

Robert P. Visser
General Counsel

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FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION

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Sacramento 95814
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February 5, 1976

Mr. Robert P. Visser
Oblon, Spivak, Maier & Visser
Cafritz Building, Suite 926
1625 Eye Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20006

Dear Bob:

Thank you for your letter of January 27. I enjoyed meeting you and if you are ever in this area, I hope you will give me a call as I would be interested to hear about developments under the Federal Election Law and the experiences of a major campaign in operation under that law.

I am enclosing a copy of FPPC Regulation Section 18580. Sections (b)(2) and (3) exclude from the definition of expenditure most attorneys fees arising out of the need to comply with the Political Reform Act. You should note that this regulation is applicable solely to the limits on expenditures in ballot measure campaigns, and is therefore now moot since it seems clear that even those limits will not survive the Supreme Court's decision in Buckley v. Valeo. Although the Commission has not specifically considered the question, it seems quite possible that such costs ought to be reported even though they ought not to be limited.

I do not recall the precise context in which you were interested in this regulation, and it may be that your problem is also academic in light of Buckley. At any rate, if there is any other way I can help you, please let me know.

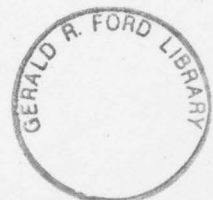
Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Dan".

Daniel H. Lowenstein
Chairman

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Enclosure



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By: *Samuel H. Lowenstein*

Chairman

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ORDER ADOPTING EMERGENCY REGULATIONS OF THE
FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION

After proceedings had in accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act (Gov. Code Title 2, Div. 3, Part 1, Ch. 4.5) and pursuant to the authority vested by Section 83112 of the Government Code, and to implement, interpret, or make specific Sections 85300-85305 of the Government Code, the Fair Political Practices Commission hereby adopts its regulations in Division VI, Title 2, California Administrative Code, as follows:

Chapter 5, Article 3: Limitations on Expenditures -
Statewide Measures

18580. Expenditures

(a) For the purpose of Government Code Sections 85300-85305, the term "expenditure" means:

(1) All costs related to preparing, developing, presenting or publishing any communication or material

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if such costs are incurred primarily for the purpose of influencing the action of the voters for or against a state measure.

(A) In any proceeding or inquiry in which the Commission is required to determine whether a communication or material being communicated was primarily for the purpose of influencing the action of the voters for or against a state measure, the primary criteria upon which a determination will be based shall include the following:

1. Whether the communication or material identifies the measure specifically.

2. Whether the communication or material refers to the fact that the measure is before the people for a vote.

3. Whether the communication or material is stated or represented in terms such that a reasonable person would conclude that the material communicated favors one side or another of the measure before the voters.

In making its determination, the Commission may also consider the following additional criteria:

4. Whether the communication or material differs in frequency or content from the normal commercial advertising or other communication or material prepared, developed, presented or published by the person incurring the cost.

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(5) Whether the communication directs itself to a readership or audience different from that generally addressed in the normal commercial advertising or other communication, or material prepared, developed, presented or published by the person incurring the cost.

(6) Whether the medium used differs from that generally utilized in the normal commercial advertising or other communication or material prepared, developed, presented or published by the person incurring the cost.

(7) The timing of the communication or material as related to the date of the election.

(B) For the purpose of computing the includable costs of any communication or material, a person shall include all costs traceable directly to the communication or material such as production, postage, space or time purchased, agency fees, printing, etc., plus a proportionate share of the compensation paid or payable to the person's own employees to the extent a portion of their compensated time is spent in developing, presenting, publishing, or preparing the communication or material.

(C) If a printed communication, the cost of which is includable pursuant to this regulation, has a circulation outside the State of California, only that portion of the total cost (as described in (B) above) as is

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proportionate to the circulation inside California to the total circulation is includable.

(D) In the event a broadcast communication, the cost of which is includable pursuant to this regulation, is broadcast outside as well as inside the state of California, the includable cost shall be the entire cost of the purchase of broadcast time from stations located within California and a share of the cost of readying the material for broadcast proportionate to the population of California divided by total population to whom the communication will be broadcast.

(2) Payment for space occupancy if the space is utilized primarily for the purpose of influencing the actions of the voters for or against the measure. If such premises are shared with others or used also for other purposes, a reasonable allocation method shall be used.

(3) Gross compensation paid or payable to employees for that portion of their compensated time as is devoted to activities primarily for the purpose of influencing the actions of the voters for or against the measure.

(4) Payment of the expenses of any person (including the expenses of a volunteer if paid by another person or reimbursements to the volunteer) if such expenses are incurred in connection with any activity carried on primarily for the purpose of influencing the action of the voters for or against a measure.

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(5) Payments in connection with raising funds to be used for the purpose of influencing the action of the voters for or against the measure.

(6) The utilization of contributions of an in-kind nature received by a committee to the extent they are used primarily for the purpose of influencing the action of the voters for or against the measure. The amount of the includable expenditure is the amount of the fair market value to the recipient.

(7) Any payment not described above made primarily for the purpose of influencing the action of the voters for or against the measure.

(b) Notwithstanding paragraph (a), the following are not expenditures as the term is used in Sections 85300-85305:

(1) Monetary contributions or transfers between committees on the same side of a measure.

(2) Costs incurred in connection with litigation, proceedings or appearances before courts, legislative bodies and administrative agencies.

(3) Costs incurred by committees in interpreting their legal responsibilities under applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations.

(4) The utilization of personal services rendered by a volunteer if such services are rendered without any understanding or agreement that they shall be directly or

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indirectly repaid or compensated and if they are not repaid or compensated.

(5) The costs incurred by any regularly published newspaper or magazine of general circulation which in the ordinary course of business publishes news articles or editorials in preparing or communicating an opinion or reporting and commenting on the measure or the campaign related to the measure.

(6) The costs incurred by any federally regulated broadcast outlet in communicating an opinion on the measure or reporting and commenting on the measure or the campaign related to the measure.

(7) Costs incurred by any person or organization other than a committee pursuant to Section 82013(a) in providing the opportunity for either oral or written debate on the measure provided that supporters and opponents are each given a substantially equal opportunity to present their case.

(8) The costs incurred by any person or entity in communicating to its own members, stockholders or employees so long as:

(A) The communication, if oral or visual, is directed exclusively and directly to such persons.

(B) The communication, if written, is mailed or distributed directly to such persons and not for the purpose of redistribution to persons who are not employees or members.

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(9) The costs legally incurred by any public agency.

(c) Notwithstanding paragraph (b) the following costs are expenditures within the meaning of Section 85300, if incurred primarily for the purpose of influencing the action of the voters for or against a measure.

(1) All costs incurred by any person in publicizing any activity described in paragraph (b) (2) or (3).

(2) Any costs of production, reproduction, broadcast, rebroadcast or dissemination of any material used in conjunction with the activities described in (b) (5), (6) and (7) if incurred by any person not a newspaper, magazine or broadcast outlet described in paragraph (b).

(d) The limitations on expenditures as herein defined, shall begin on the date the measure has qualified to be placed on the ballot, provided, however, that expenditures made prior to qualification for services to be received or for material or communication to be disseminated after qualification shall be includable within the limitations.

(e) Except as provided in (d), an expenditure is deemed made on the date payment is made, an enforceable promise to make a future payment is undertaken or consideration is received, whichever occurs first.

(f) Nothing in this regulation shall be construed to interpret the term "expenditure" as used in sections of the Political

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Reform Act other than Sections 85300-85305 or to relieve any person or committee of any disclosure obligations imposed by Chapter 4 of the Act.

FINDING OF EMERGENCY

The Fair Political Practices Commission finds that an emergency exists and that the foregoing regulations are necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety or general welfare. A statement of the facts constituting such emergency is:

STATEMENT OF FACTS

These regulations must take effect immediately to insure that persons affected by the spending limitations of the Political Reform Act (Government Code Sections 81000-91014) will be able to comply with the Act, and maintain proper accounts and records to demonstrate compliance.

The said regulations are therefore adopted as emergency regulations to take effect immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State as provided in Section 11422(c) of the Government Code.

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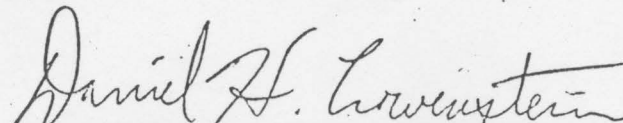


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This is to certify that Government Code Sections 11423, 11424, and 11425 were complied with prior to adoption of the attached emergency regulation, Division VI, Title 2, California Administrative Code, Chapter 5, Article 3, Section 18580.

FOR THE COMMISSION:


Daniel H. Lowenstein



February 24, 1976

George S. L. Dunlop, Esquire
680 Beach Street
Suite 477
San Francisco, California

Dear George:

I am forwarding herewith some materials on campaign organizations and delegate activities which have been developed by our State organizations. You may find this information helpful in your efforts.

Hope all is going well with you and if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

Robert P. Visser
General Counsel

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MEMORANDUM

TO: PFC CHAIRMEN AND CHAIRWOMEN

As you know the Federal election laws which govern our presidential campaign have made your roll, and that of a grass roots campaign, of paramount importance.

One provision of the law provides that an individual may spend up to \$500 of his/her own money for such items as invitations, food and beverages in connection with any candidate's electoral activity conducted in your own home. (This expenditure is not considered an additional contribution nor is it credited against the campaign expenditure limitations.) *If your spouse wishes to co-host this event, you may spend \$500 each, in total \$1,000.*

We would ~~like to~~ encourage as many such events in your area as can be scheduled. The format of each event is flexible since each host may structure ~~that event as~~ they see fit. Whether the host may be willing to spend \$50.00 or the full \$500.00, the impact of such events on the campaign (in either case) is significant.

SUGGESTED FORMAT

1. Prepare an invitation. We suggest that if you are going to prepare your own invitations it should include -
 - A. A President Ford '76 brochure (a sample is attached)
 - B. A return card (a suggested format is attached)

the activity



An invitation is being prepared that will be available for purchase at a cost of about \$10/hundred.

Samples and ordering information will be forwarded to you shortly.

2. Select a time -- a week-day morning coffee, afternoon coffee, and evening wine/cheese reception are suggested.
3. Select a speaker -- the local PFC chairmen or PFC steering committee member is quite capable of carrying the load. Where possible we will schedule a "Name" Ford supporter.
4. Select the list or lists to which invitations will be mailed. We suggest that all Republicans within the 1, 2 or 3 precincts surrounding the host's home be contacted.

Remember - they all won't attend (it doesn't matter) they will have the opportunity of signing up for the president.

5. Contact the PFC headquarters for materials -- brochures, bumper strips, sign-up cards and issue papers will be made available.
6. All returns from the invitation and completed sign-up cards should be collected by the PFC chairmen and then forwarded to the PFC main office.
7. Refreshments do not have to be elaborate. Coffee and cookies are adequate.
8. Each host must keep track of all expenses incurred so that they do not exceed the \$500.00 limitation.

For this purpose, a sample menu is attached.



SAMPLE BUDGETS

A.	1.	Invitations 500 @\$10/100	\$ 50
	2.	Postage @.13/ea	40
	3.	Refreshments	20
	4.	Paper cups, paper plates, etc.	20
	5.	Misc rentals - i.e. chairs, coffee pot	40
	6.	Clean up afterwards	20
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		TOTAL	\$235

B.	1.	Invitations 1000 @\$10/100	\$100
	2.	Postage @.13/ea	130
	3.	Refreshments	50
	4.	Paper cups, paper plates, etc.	40
	5.	Misc rentals - i.e. chairs, coffee pot	60
	6.	Clean up afterwards	20
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		TOTAL	\$400



SIZE - 4 1/4 x 5 3/8

- YES! WE SUPPORT PRESIDENT GERALD FORD
- YES! WE WILL ATTEND YOUR RECEPTION
- YES! SIGN ME UP TO WORK FOR PRESIDENT FORD,
BUT WE WILL BE UNABLE TO COME TO YOUR
RECEPTION

NAME _____ PHONE _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

The President Ford Committee, Howard H. Callaway, Chairman, Robert Mosbacher, National Finance Chairman, Robert C. Moot, Treasurer. A copy of our Report is filed with the Federal Election Commission and is available for purchase from the Federal Election Commission, Washington, D.C. 20463.

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(OR HOST/HOSTESS NAME)

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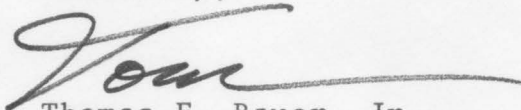
Mr. Tim Ryan
Counsel
President Ford Committee
1828 L Street, N.W. Suite 250
Washington, D.C. 20036

Dear Tim:

Shel Lytton asked me to send this in for your files.

Regards,

Sincerely,



Thomas F. Bauer, Jr.
Director, Finance Office

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cc: Mr. Guy Henry
Mr. Sheldon Lytton



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Mr. Fred Wilson
Trans-World
130 El Camino Drive
Beverly Hills, California

Dear Fred:

We are very pleased to know that the reception for Secretary Richardson is on track. If we get a good reception from the sizeable mailing of the invitations this week, I am sure it will be a most successful event.

Fred, I would like to sit down early next week at your convenience to go over the restrictions which must be carefully observed. The recent Supreme Court Ruling left standing the limitation of \$500 of your own money which can be spent for such items as invitations, food and beverages in connection with any fund raising activity conducted in your own home. Careful records must be kept of all these expenses, if you wish to pay for up to \$500 toward these costs.

You and Mrs. Wilson jointly have a limit of \$1,000 for these types of expenditures in your own home.

Fred, we have not developed a budget for the reception, but I am sure you and Ed. McCoubrey will have talked about what you want in the way of arrangements and our Committee will pay all bills incurred in connection with the reception exceeding the \$1,000 amount if you and Mrs. Wilson wish to absorb that.

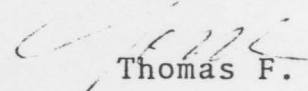
If you would like, I would be happy to discuss this with your book-keeper and answer any questions pertaining to these requirements.

Thanks again for all your help.

Best wishes and regards.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure : Checklist


Thomas F. Bauer, Jr.



cc: 41001 Thunderbird Road
Rancho Mirage 92270

Guy H Gary

March 8, 1976

Mr. David Packard
26580 Taaffe Road
Los Altos Hills, California 94022

Dear Dave:

Section 9003(b)(2) of the Presidential Election Campaign Fund Act provides that the candidate of a major party in a Presidential election shall certify to the Commission, under penalty of perjury, that no contributions to defray qualified campaign expenses have been or will be accepted by such candidates or any of their authorized committees. The purpose of the certification, of course, is for such major party nominee to receive the government's \$20,000,000 check for the general campaign.

Governor Reagan's contribution envelope indicates that his committee is only accepting individual contributions up to \$1,000 prior to a nominating convention, but that this solicitation may be repeated following the convention. As indicated above, if he were to accept such funds at this time, he would be prohibited from certifying for such payment. His suggestion that they may seek additional contributions at a later date, therefore, would appear to be merely superfluous language and of no force and effect unless they were actually currently accepting such contributions for the general election.

We very much appreciate your assistance in this regard.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

Robert P. Visser
General Counsel

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