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Mr. Fred Coldren Campaign Manager 301 Franklin Street Cape May, New Jersey 08204

> The New Jersey Campaign Contributions and Re: Reporting Act, Chapter 83, Laws of 1979 19 Amended and Supplemented ("the Act") Your Letter dated May 18, 1977 Opinion #(0-25-77)

Dear Mr. Coldren:

Your letter dated May 18, 1977 to the New Jersey Election Law Enforcement Commission ("the Commission"), including a request for advisory opinion, has been forwarded to me for reply.

Your letter suggests that the organization which in fact ordered and paid for the primary election flyers is "The 1977 Campaign Committee, Cape May County". In those circumstances, the expenditures should be reflected in the reports of The 1977 Campaign Committee, Cape May County, with such notations as you may deem necessary to clarify the situation respecting the incorrect attribution.

In the absence of formal complaint, the Commission would not anticipate taking any further action. In the event of a formal complaint, the letter of clarification would be made a part of any subsequent proceeding.

Yours very truly,

Edward J. Farrell

Legal Counsel

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