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N.J. Election Law Enforcement Commission

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The Election Law Enforcement Commission has released the names of fifty-seven candidates, eighteen treasurers and two political committees that filed reports in the 1983 primary election and were reprimanded or fined for failure to comply with the Campaign Contributions and Expenditures Reporting Act. Also released were the names of eight candidates and four treasurers in the 1982 general election who were reprimanded or fined for filing violations; and the names of three candidates and one treasurer in special elections conducted in 1982.

The Commission also announced that it had entered into a settlement agreement with Assemblyman Willie Brown, 29th Legislative District, for reporting violations occurring in the 1981 primary and general elections. Assemblyman Brown received 17 contributions, each over \$100 towards his June 2, 1981 primary election candidacy. He was required to identify those 17 contributions by June 17, 1981, the deadline for the filing of the 15-day post-election report. These contributions were not identified until the filing of a 60-day post-election report on August 19, 1981. In regard to the 1981 general election, Assemblyman Brown received 18 contributions, each in excess of \$100, and was required to identify those contributions on a 7-day pre-election report due for filing on October 27, 1981. The contributors were not disclosed until Assemblyman Brown filed a 60-day post-election report on January 21, 1983. Finally, Assemblyman Brown was required to file a 15-day post-election report for the 1981 general election, but neglected to file such a report until January 21, 1983. For these violations, the Commission, with the consent of Assemblyman Brown, entered a fine of \$800, which was reduced to \$400 on the condition that it be paid within 30 days of receipt of the Consent Order. The fine of \$400 was paid.

Summary sheets are attached for the candidates, treasurers and political committees fined in connection with the 1983 primary election, the 1983 school board election, the 1982 general election and 1982 special elections. The summary sheets give the names of the candidates and, where applicable, their treasurers, the public offices they were seeking, the type of report filed, the number of days late, and the Commission action. In regard to the number of days late, where a candidate filed only after the Commission began complaint procedures, the summary sheet indicates only "post complaint." Also, where a candidate has been fined as a previous violator of the Reporting Act, the summary sheets so indicates.

The New Jersey Campaign Contributions and Expenditures Reporting Act requires that candidates and political committees spending more than \$1,000.00 file reports of their financial activity with the Commission 25 and 7 days prior to an election and 15 days after the election. Candidates spending \$1,000.00 or less are required to file an A-1 Form with the Commission 25 day prior to an election. Where candidates were required to file detailed campaign reports (Form R-1), reprimands and fines were imposed jointly on the candidate and their treasurers.

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Final Decisions have been mailed to all candidates and treasurers. The publication of this list is part of revised Commission procedures, begun with the 1978 primary election, designed to foster compliance, enhance disclosure and make enforcement more effective.

All candidates are notified by the Election Law Enforcement Commission of their reporting obligations. Candidates who fail to report timely are again notified that reports have not been received. The Act gives the Commission broad authority to initiate enforcement actions against such candidates, committees and treasurers, including civil enforcement and imposition of monetary penalties.

Factors considered by the Commission in levying fines include the number of days the filing is late and any previous violations that are on record with the Commission. In some cases, the Commission has imposed fines with two figures, for example "\$50/25." This means that the Commission has imposed a fine of \$50, which fine will be reduced to \$25 if payment is received within 30 days after service of the Final Decision.

Copies of the Complaints and Final Decisions are available at the Commission offices at the National State Bank Building, 28 W. State Street, Suite 1215, Trenton, NJ.

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NAME	COUNTY & MUNICIPALITY	OFFICE SOUGHT	PARTY	FILING	DAYS LATE	COMMISSION ACTION
DANZE, NICHOLAS A.	Woodbury Heights Borough Gloucester County	Municipal	D	A-1	10	Reprimand
PASQUINI, JOHN A.	Woodbury Heights Borough Gloucester County	Municipal	D	A-1	10	Reprimand
LAIR, ARTHUR R.	Alpine Borough Bergen County	Municipal	R	A-1	12	Reprimand
WIGMORE, WILLIAM E.	Alpine Borough Bergen County	Municipal	R	A-1	12	Reprimand
SLOMIENSKI, JR. WALTER M.	Wallington Borough Bergen County	Municipal	D	A-1	12	Reprimand
DUNNIE, DONALD D.	Moonachie Borough Bergen County	Municipal	R	A-1	14	Reprimand
ISBITTS, SEYMOUR	New Milford Borough Bergen County	Municipal	D	A-1	14	Reprimand
O'NEILL, REGINA	New Milford Borough Bergen County	Municipal	D	A-1	14	Reprimand
STOVALL, JACQUELINE	Legislative District No. 37	State Assembly	R	A-1	18	Reprimand
KETTNER, BERNARD R.	Woodcliff Lake Borough Bergen County	Municipal	R	A-1	18	Reprimand

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MURASKA, PETER "PAUL"	Gloucester County Logan Township	Municipal	R	A-1	11	Reprimand
TEDDINGTON, CHARLES	Essex County East Orange	Municipal	R	A-1	12	Reprimand
YANKUS, CHARLES	Gloucester County Monroe Township	Municipal	D	A-1	12	Reprimand
GLYNN, KATHLEEN M.	Middlesex County	Freeholder	R	A-1	12	Reprimand
IANNONE, JAMES R.	Cape May County	Freeholder	D	A-1	13	Reprimand
MADDEN, EDWARD J.	Bergen County Cresskill Borough	Municipal	R	A-1	14	Reprimand
URBAN, ERICH	33rd Legislative District	State Assembly	R	A-1	20	\$50/25
CAMPBELL, WILLIAM M.	Hudson County Kearny Township	Municipal	D	A-1	24	\$50/25
KOZAK, HELEN	31st Legislative District	State Senate	R	A-1	post complaint	\$100/50
BUCCO, JOSEPH A.	Gloucester County Franklin Township	Municipal	D	A-1	N/F	\$200/100

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STROCKBINE, CHARLES E.	Fairfield Township Cumberland County	Municipal	R	A-1	13	Reprimand
BARNHART, CRAIG K.	Pine Hill Borough Camden County	Municipal	D	A-1	18	Reprimand
STOTT, GEORGE W.	Pine Hill Borough Camden County	Municipal	D	A-1	18	Reprimand
SUYDAM, JOHN R.	Pine Hill Borough Camden County	Municipal	D	A-1	18	Reprimand
PALERMO, JOSEPH, JR.	Pitman Borough Gloucester County	Municipal	D	A-1	18	Reprimand
KAMINSKI, RICHARD	Hudson County	County Sheriff	R	A-1	post-complaint	\$200/100
SCIARRILLO, JOHN, JR.	East Hanover Township Morris County	Municipal	R	A-1	N/F	\$200/100
SNYDER, JAMES R.	Atlantic Highlands Borough Monmouth County	Municipal	D	A-1	N/F	\$200/100
GRIMES, JAMES A.	Mount Arlington Borough Morris County	Municipal	R	A-1	N/F	\$250/125 previous violato

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William E. Sturm, Jr. - Donald M. Kelly - T	Cape May County	County Freeholder	R	25-day	13	\$50/25, Jointly
Dominick J. Pugliese - C Gerald McCann - T	Hudson County	County Sheriff	D	25-day Information	18	\$50/25, Jointly
Samuel M. Stubbs - C John M. Moran - T	Cape May County Lower Township	Municipal	R	7-day	2	Reprimand
Joseph Suliga - C Jenny Tarka - T	Union County Linden	Municipal	D	7-day	2	Reprimand
John P. Gallagher - C Raymond J. O'Grady - T	Legislative District No. 13	State Senate	R	7-day	3	\$50/25, Jointly
James J. Brown - C	Legislative District No. 27	State Senate	R	7-day	3	\$100/50 Previous Violator
Walter W. Porter - C George Tostl - T	Passaic County	County Freeholder	R	7-day	6	\$100/50, Jointly
Gregory M. Brown - C Jeannette R. Wade - T	East Orange Essex County	Municipal	D	7-day	17	\$200/100, Jointly
Joseph F. Stillpena - C Robert R. Wagner - T	Egg Harbor Atlantic County	Municipal	R	15-day	19	\$50/25, Jointly
Margerie Criles-Reesler - C Robert R. Wagner - T	Egg Harbor Atlantic County	Municipal	R	15-day	19	\$50/25, Jointly

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Jesse Edmonds, Jr. - C Robert R. Wagner - T	Egg Harbor Atlantic County	Municipal	R	15-day	19	\$50/25, Jointly
Allan Carlgnan - C Robert R. Wagner - T	Egg Harbor Atlantic County	Municipal	R	15-day	19	\$50/25, Jointly
Robert R. Wagner - C	Egg Harbor	Municipal	R	15-day	19	\$50/25
Daniel J. Dalton - C Renee Mirenda - T	Legislative District No. 4	State Senate	D	15-day	27	\$50/25, Jointly
Frank Pogoda - C Martin Monaco - T	Legislative District No. 34	State Assembly	D	15-day	35	\$50/25, Jointly
Francis E. Rodgers - C Marion P. Borek - T	Hudson County	County Clerk	D	1) 25-day 2) 7-day	12 3	1. \$50/25, Jointly 2. \$50/25, Jointly
Mary E. Patterson - C James A. Thompson - T	East Orange Essex County	Municipal	D	1) 25-day 2) 15-day	13 13	1. \$50/25, Jointly, 2. \$50/25, Jointly
Wynona M. Lipman - C David W. Mills - T	Legislative District No. 29	State Senate	D	25-day	13	\$50/25, Jointly
John J. Mahoney - C John H. Crispo, Jr. - T	Atlantic County	County Freeholder	R	7-day	6	\$100/50, Jointly
Bob Franks - C Sandi Swayze - T	Legislative District No. 22	State Assembly	R	7-day	6	\$100/50, Jointly

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NICHOLAS, CHRIS - C CATECHIS, JOHN - T	Fort Lee Borough Bergen County	Municipal	D	7-day	3	\$100/50 Previou Jointly violato
PACI, CHRIS - C PACI, JOSEPH - T	Bergen County	County Freeholder	D	25-day 7-day	21 3	1. \$100/50 Jointly 2. \$50/25 Jointly
LANZARO, WILLIAM - C SOKOLOWSKI, STANLEY - T	Monmouth County	County Sheriff	R	7-day	15	\$200/100 Jointly

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VILLANO, LOUIS S. - C FLEMING, HAROLD E. - T	Prospect Park Borough Passaic County	Municipal	D	25-day	13	\$50/25, Jointly
FRANCIN, ANTHONY - C FLEMING, HAROLD E. - T	Prospect Park Borough Passaic County	Municipal	D	25-day	13	\$50/25, Jointly
MASSARO, NICHOLAS - C FLEMING, HAROLD E. - T	Prospect Park Borough Passaic County	Municipal	D	25-day	13	\$50/25, Jointly
LEARD, RONALD E. - C CONNOLLY, EUGENE T. - T	Lacey Township Ocean County	Municipal	D	7-day	2	Reprimand
MASON, WILLIAM M. - C CONNOLLY, EUGENE T. - T	Lacey Township Ocean County	Municipal	D	7-day	2	Reprimand
SALMON, CHARLES E., JR. - C SMITH, KENNETH E. - T	Palmyra Borough Burlington County	Municipal	D	7-day 15-day	14 70	\$200/100, Jointly
JOHNSON, DONALD L. - C SMITH, KENNETH E. - T	Palmyra Borough Burlington County	Municipal	D	7-day 15-day	14 70	\$200/100, Jointly
MILLER, HELEN H. - C MC PHERSON, FAITH - T	City of Plainfield Union County	Municipal	D	7-day 15-day	86 64	\$300/150, Jointly

