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PRESS ADVISORY

Executive Director Frederick M. Herrmann announced today that the New Jersey Election Law Enforcement Commission is proposing amendments to N.J.A.C. 19:25-6.10, Use of funds for legal fees, prohibiting the use of campaign funds for legal fees in connection with criminal matters.

The proposed amendments were published in the New Jersey Register on January 20, 2009, and are available on the Commission's website at www.elec.state.nj.us. Copies of the Commission's proposal may also be obtained by calling the Commission at (609) 292-8700.

The Commission will conduct a hearing to elicit public comment concerning the proposal on **Tuesday, March 17, 2009** at 10:15 A.M. at:

Election Law Enforcement Commission
Edward J. Farrell Memorial Conference Room
28 West State Street, 12th Floor
Trenton, New Jersey

The Commission invites participation in this hearing and requests that any testimony be limited to no more than ten minutes. Persons wishing to testify at the **March 17, 2009** hearing are requested to reserve time to speak by contacting Administrator Elbia L. Zeppetelli at (609) 292-8700 no later than Friday, March 13, 2009.

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Submit written comments by March 23, 2009 to:

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