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PRESS ADVISORY

Eleven municipal and one county freeholder candidates must pay fines and fees totaling approximately \$9,689,87 for violating the Campaign Contributions and Expenditures Reporting Act, the New Jersey Election Law Enforcement Commission (ELEC) announced today.

These enforcement actions, known as final decisions, were approved by the Commission at its July 16, 2019 meeting. In addition, ELEC on July 31, 2019 issued one complaint against a candidate and its treasurer for failure to report, late reporting, and excessive currency contributions. They too, could face fines.

To search for individual complaints and final decisions, go to this link:

<u>http://www.elec.state.nj.us/ELECReport/SearchComplaintsDecisions.aspx</u> and enter name of candidate or committee, or pick date released.

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