

NEW JERSEY ELECTION LAW ENFORCEMENT COMMISSION

MINUTES - March 2, 1977 Meeting

PRESENT

Frank P. Reiche, Chairman
Sidney Goldmann, Vice-Chairman
Archibald S. Alexander, Member
Lewis B. Thurston, III, Executive Director
Edward J. Farrell, Legal Counsel
Herbert Alexander, Consultant

ABSENT

Josephine S. Margetts, Member

The meeting convened at 10:10 a.m.

Pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Law, P.L. 1975, c.231, annual notice of the meetings of the Commission, as amended, was filed with the Secretary of State's office, copies were posted in the State House Annex, copies were mailed to the Newark Star Ledger and the Philadelphia Bulletin and the entire State House Press Corps.

1. Approval of Minutes of Commission Meetings

The Commission approved the minutes of the public sessions of January 19 and February 24, 1977 and the executive session of the February 24, 1977 meeting.

2. Advisory Opinion Requests

The Commission approved, in some cases with changes, the counsel's drafts of advisory opinions in response to the following requests. This was done on motion of Chairman Reiche, seconded by Vice-Chairman Goldmann and by a vote of 3-0, with Commissioner Margetts absent, except for 0-43-76, (Marvin Perskie) This one was approved by a vote of 2-1 (Commissioner Alexander dissenting because he believes that the expenditures in question should be reported; Commissioner Margetts absent).

0-21-76 Assemblyman C. Louis Bassano
0-38-76 Peter S. Barno
0-40-76 Donald F. Campbell
0-44-76 Jim Canna
0-45-76 Enrico DiGiulio
0-47-76 Richard D. Millet
0-48-76 Lois Hull
0-49-76 Nicholas P. Tworischuk
0-50-76 David W. Conrad
0-01-77 Mary Ann LaGola
0-02-77 Anita Strauss
0-03-77 Mark A. Stein
0-04-77 Raymond Wilson

The following advisory opinion requests and drafts of advisory opinions from counsel were discussed and held for further consideration:

0-42-76 Robert C. Ordille
0-46-76 Joseph J. Sorrentino

3. Certain late filing cases for 1974 and 1975

After a review of the record of each of the matters referred to below and discussion of them, the Commission made the following determinations in each case. This was done on a motion by Chairman Reiche, seconded by Vice-Chairman Goldmann and a vote of 3-0, (Commissioner Margetts absent).

William Zitzow	C-34-75	Dismissal
Charles J. Ordille	C-82-75	Reprimand
Connie Lambert	C-109-75	Reprimand
Fred Mazzilli	C-110-75	Admonishment
Lawrence E. Nyland	C-115-75	Reprimand
Judith A. Palombi	C-139-75	Reprimand
Silvio Ferrari	C-150-75	Dismissal
Anthony R. LaMarra	C-153-75	Dismissal
M. Bruce MacNaul	C-156-75	Reprimand
Camille Spangenberg	C-174-75	Reprimand
Judith B. Farnell	C-224-75	Dismissal
Michael K. Ligorano	C-230-75	Admonishment
Mary Ann Matheson	C-231-75	Admonishment
Mark A. Minter	C-232-75	Admonishment
Ted Boersma	C-256-75	Reprimand
J. Edward Kidd	C-261-75	Dismissal
James R. Marinelli	C-276-75	Reprimand
Valerie Parker	C-284-75	Admonishment
Donald Zeiller	C-296-75	Reprimand

Each of the above-cited cases involve the primary election in 1975 with the exception of William Zitzow which involved the general election in 1974 and Donald Zeiller which involved the May municipal election in 1975.

The Commission reviewed the following additional cases and withheld the determination in each pending staff review of the files:

Roy Haack	C-65-75
William Meisner	C-64-75
Kurt E. Johnson	C-103-75

4. Adjournment - The Commission adjourned the meeting at approximately 3:25 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



LEWIS B. THURSTON, III
Executive Director